## INQUIRY INTO GOVERNMENT'S MANAGEMENT OF THE POWERHOUSE MUSEUM AND OTHER MUSEUMS AND CULTURAL PROJECTS IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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I grew up in Granville and Parramatta was part of my life, I have always admired the old Historic buildings but I have become very saddened by the lack of respect the government and developers have been showing regarding Historical sites. Seems as though a photo in local history books at the library is enough.

It seems no matter when people want to choose to save Historical sites, it always seems to be money before history. There are many tourists that spend thousands of dollars to travel to European countries specifically to see the history. To have these Historical buildings saved from destruction should show how this can be part of our history to be visited by tourists and for students to learn about our local areas and Heritage.

I am extremely disappointed with all of this destruction and no obvious care to keep what are well built structures. Greed, it seems is what this is all about.