



# JUDGING CRITERIA

## Innovation & Excellence in Public Buildings

THIS AWARD RECOGNISES EXCELLENCE IN A NEW OR REFURBISHED PUBLIC BUILDING. A PUBLIC BUILDING IS DEFINED AS A BUILDING OWNED BY A GOVERNMENT OR STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND WHERE THE PRIMARY USE IS DEVELOPING AND DELIVERING VALUABLE COMMUNITY SERVICES, FOR EXAMPLE, LIBRARY, HOSPITAL, CHILD CARE, CIVIC CENTRE OR COMMUNITY CENTRE.

### 1. PROJECT VISION AND INNOVATION

Describe how the development displays innovation in the project concept and in overcoming site or development complexities.

### 2. CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Describe the tangible, economic, environmental and social dividends.

### 3. QUALITY OF DESIGN AND FINISH

Detail and provide examples of how the development exhibits a high quality of architectural design and is compatible with surrounding land uses. Describe how this contributes to the success of the development. (eg. Site constraints, unique design solutions, and project cost constraints). Include supporting images.

### 4. ADAPTABILITY

Describe how the development allows for adaptability to building technology changes and user demands.

### 5. USER SATISFACTION, COMMUNITY AND INDUSTRY PERCEPTION

Describe the extent to which the development has proven a high satisfaction level of all users and the perception amongst the community and property marketplace.

### 6. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Provide a summary of results achieved, demonstrating the development's operational efficiency.

### 7. ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL FACTORS

Explain how the development demonstrates the investment was an effective use of public money.

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