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Proposed integrated fitout of new leased premises for the Australian Taxation Office in Albury, New South Wales

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The Committee recommends that the House of Representatives resolve, pursuant to Section 18 (7) of the <i>Public Works Committee Act 1969</i> , that it is expedient to carry out the following proposed work: proposed facilities for the introduction into service of Land 121 vehicles at RAAF Base Amberley and Damascus Barracks, Meeandah, Queensland and at Gaza Ridge Barracks, Victoria.	8
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