

Public Place Names (Acton) Determination 2017

Disallowable instrument DI2017–295

made under the

Public Place Names Act 1989, s 3 (Minister to determine names)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Public Place Names (Acton) Determination 2017*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day after its notification day.

3 Determination of Place Name

I determine the place name as indicated in the schedule.

Ben Ponton
Delegate of the Minister
06 December 2017

SCHEDULE
(See section 3)

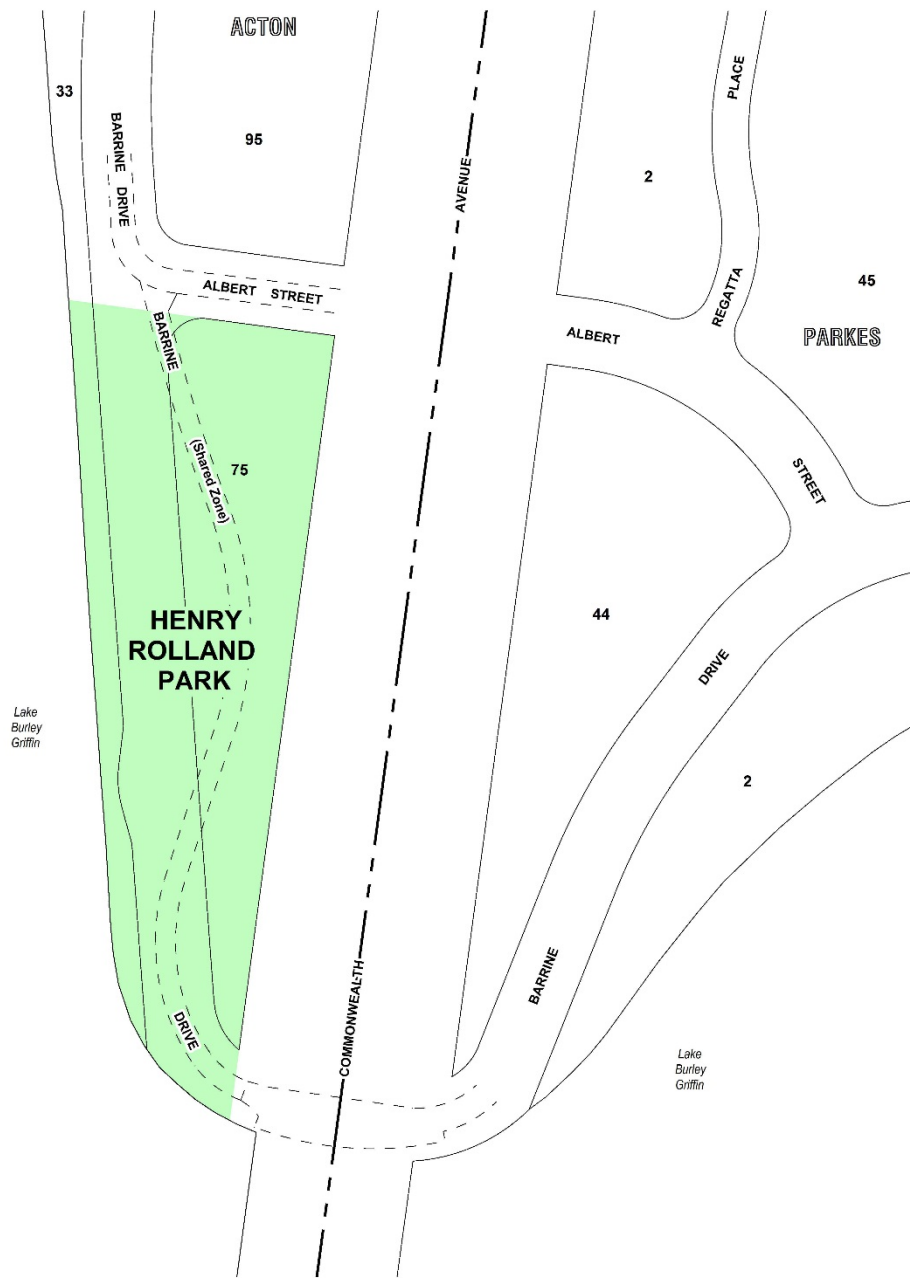
Division of Acton

The location of the public place with the following name is indicated on the associated diagram.

NAME	ORIGIN	SIGNIFICANCE
Henry Rolland Park	Henry Maitland Rolland OBE (1882-1972)	Architect; Acton resident; amateur artist Henry Rolland served as resident architect for the Commonwealth in Canberra during 1912-16, working mainly on the construction of the Royal Military College, Duntroon. In 1916 he was appointed Assistant Works Director for Victoria, under the Works and Railway Department. Rolland was appointed Works Director for the Federal Capital Territory in 1921 and returned to Canberra as construction activity recommenced after the war. His residential designs included cottages in Balmain Crescent and Liversidge Street, Acton and the director's residence at Mt Stromlo Observatory. Rolland was appointed Chief Architect within the Federal Capital Commission in 1925 to oversee the construction of new buildings and services in the national capital, including its centrepiece, the provisional Parliament House. His contribution to Canberra was officially recognised when the Duke of York bestowed on him the Order of the British Empire after the official opening of the provisional Parliament House on 9 May 1927. Rolland left Canberra in August 1927 to take up the position of Works Director for South Australia, Department of Works and Railways. He published his autobiography <i>Over the years: an autobiography</i> in 1971. Several of Rolland's watercolours of the Canberra district are held by the National Library of Australia.



Schedule
(see section 3)



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Diagram