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AMENDMENT/PROPOSAL

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TEXT

The World Heritage Committee,

1. Having examined Document WHC/23/45.COM/7B.Add,
2. Recalling Decision **44 COM 7B.142**, adopted at its extended 44th session (Fuzhou/online, 2021),
3. Deeply regrets that, despite its previous requests, the State Party has completed significant development projects within and around the property prior to submitting the requested Integrated Tourism Management Plan of Borobudur-Yogyakarta-Prambanan (ITMP BYP), the Borobudur Visitor Management Plan (BVMP), or the updated Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA) to address the projects' potential impact on the property's Outstanding Universal Value (OUV);
4. Notes that the ITMP BYP and BVMP are to be reviewed to align with the latest national policy and post-pandemic situation, and requests the State Party to submit the updated versions of these documents to the World Heritage Centre and the Advisory Bodies for review before they are finalised;
5. Further requests the State Party to *duly implement the revised submit to the World Heritage Centre the complete HIA in accordance with the*

newly provided Guidance and Toolkit for Impact Assessment in a World Heritage context, as submitted on 9 March 2023~~conducted by an independent team from the Ministry of Education, Culture and Research and Technology in 2022~~

6. Notes with utmost concern that eight out of eleven proposed projects have already been completed, and urges the State Party to halt the projects that have not yet been completed until the submitted documents have been reviewed by the World Heritage Centre and the Advisory Bodies and any resulting recommendations for change have been addressed;
7. Welcomes the State Party's ongoing endeavour ~~Also notes that the Presidential Decree No. 1 of 1992 is being updated~~ to harmonize the management of Borobudur Temple Compounds *by updating the Presidential Decree No. 1 of 1992*, and requests ~~that~~ the State Party *to* prioritize ~~the establishment of the previously promised an~~ integrated management body *for the entire covering whole of the* Borobudur National Strategic Area, ~~based on the Law of the Republic of Indonesia Number 11 of 2010, which should~~ involve *multiple all-relevant* stakeholders *such as, including the* national and regional governments, private sector partners and local communities, and *to oversee its* ~~that the~~ development and operation ~~of this management body be initiated by the Ministry of Education and Culture and the Borobudur Conservation Office~~;
8. Also requests the State Party to invite a joint World Heritage Centre/ICOMOS Reactive Monitoring mission to the property as soon as possible to review the state of conservation of the property, assess the existing, cumulative and potential impacts of the finalised, ongoing and/ or planned construction projects and any planned mitigation measures on the property and its OUV, propose any further required mitigation measures, and to consider what advice or assistance might enrich the Management Plan for the property;
9. Further notes that the State Party's Technical Guidance for Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA) is to be revised to align with the new Guidance and Toolkit for Impact Assessments in a World Heritage Context, and reminds the State Party to submit information on any proposal that may have an impact on the OUV of the property to the World Heritage Centre for examination by the Advisory Bodies before making any decision that would be difficult to reverse and before any further works commence, along with HIAs, in conformity with paragraphs 118bis and 172 of the Operational Guidelines; State of conservation of properties WHC/23/45.COM/7B.Add, p. 261 inscribed on the World Heritage List
10. Finally requests the State Party to submit to the World Heritage Centre, by **1 December 2024**, an updated report on the state of conservation

of the property and the implementation of the above, for examination
by the World Heritage Committee at its 47th session.
