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Item 4 of the Provisional Agenda : Review of nominations to the World  
Heritage List.

1. At its fourth session (September 1980), the Committee deferred a decision on twenty-one nominations to the World Heritage List. These nominations are listed below in Section A.

2. Twenty-eight new nominations from fourteen countries were received by the Secretariat as at 1 January 1981, the deadline set by the Committee for the submission of nominations to be examined in 1981. These nominations, which are listed below in Section B, are hereby submitted to the Bureau for consideration.

A. Nominations deferred by the Committee

<u>Id. No.</u>	<u>Name of Property</u>	<u>Nomination Submitted by</u>
101	<u>Dey's Palace at Algiers</u>	Algeria

The Bureau shared the opinion expressed by ICOMOS that the Dey's Palace could not be considered in isolation and felt that Algeria may wish to study the possibility of extending the nomination to cover the whole of the Casbah. No further information has been received.

103	<u>Citadel Quarter of Setif</u>	Algeria
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Further information is necessary as to the actual measures taken to create an archaeological reserve (expropriations, demolitions, etc.). An aerial photograph taken after 1979 would provide useful information in this respect. No further information has been received.

- 106 National Archaeological Park of Guyabo de Turrialba Costa Rica

Additional information was required to permit a comparative evaluation of the scientific importance of the site nominated with similar sites in Central and Latin America. Some additional elements of information have been received and transmitted to ICOMOS.

- 107 Santa Rosa Historic Mansion Costa Rica

The IUCN representative informed the Bureau that the Historic Mansion was situated in Santa Rosa National Park which had important natural features. The Bureau felt therefore that Costa Rica might wish to extend the site nominated to cover also the natural heritage of this area. No further information has been received.

- 109 Ruins of Ujarras Costa Rica

The possibility of considering this site, not as an isolated property but as one of a series of missionary establishments found in several States Parties, should be studied. No further information has been received.

- 11 Adulis Ethiopia

- 13 Melka-Kontoure

- 14 Matara

- 16 Yeha

On the recommendation of ICOMOS, these four nominations were deferred until the list of properties which Ethiopia intends to nominate has been received. No further information has been received.

- 111 Bale Mountain Ethiopia

- 112 Abijatta-Shalla Lakes

Further information on these two sites will be presented orally to the Bureau following the results of the preparatory assistance mission which ended in April 1981.

- 92 Convent of Santa Giulia - San Salvatore Italy

The Bureau deferred this nomination until the list of properties which Italy intends to nominate has been received. No further information has been received.

- 116      Town of Djenné      Mali
- Further information should be made available on the state of urbanization of Djenné and on the measures for its protection. No further information has been received.
- 117      National Park of the Baoulé Loop      Mali
- Additional information is required to enable IUCN to make an evaluation of the site. The Bureau noted that a consultant would be sent by IUCN for this purpose. No further information has been received.
- 118      Land of the Dogon      Mali
- Both IUCN and ICOMOS were of the opinion that the property nominated should be more clearly defined. No further information has been received.
- 119      Town of Timbuktu      Mali
- Details are needed on the delimitation of the area nominated and on administrative measures for the preservation of the site, as well as an inventory of existing monuments, to enable ICOMOS to evaluate the nomination. No further information has been received.
- The Bureau expressed its willingness to grant preparatory assistance to Mali, if requested, to work with the authorities in completing the nominations of cultural properties.
- 122      Birni Gazargamu and Gambaru      Nigeria
- Additional information is necessary on the exact delimitation of the two archaeological sites nominated, as well as an inventory of the monuments on the sites. No further information has been received.
- 142      Rock carvings at the Sacred Rock of Hunza and near Gilgit and Chilas      Pakistan
- ICOMOS considered that further research was necessary to ascertain the cultural and historical interest of the site and secondly that additional documentation and information was necessary to complete the nomination file (precise map of the area showing the location of the engraved rocks and of the archaeological sites, together with brief descriptions of each rock carving and each site). The Bureau therefore decided to defer this nomination. No further information has been received.

143 Historical monuments of Thatta Pakistan

Additional information has been provided for this nomination and is submitted to the Bureau in the form of an addendum to the original nomination.

25 Djoudj National Bird Sanctuary Senegal

The Fourth Session of the Bureau was informed by the representative of the Government of Senegal that all necessary measures would be taken so that development works on the Delta of the River Senegal would in no way prejudice the Djoudj River Sanctuary. The Bureau had recommended the inscription of this site on the List but requested Senegal to make available to the Committee the latest environmental impact study. A preparatory assistance mission was granted for 4 m/m consultant services to plan technical measures for adequate protection of the site including regulation of the water level. The first mission took place in January 1981. A second mission will be undertaken in June/July 1981 and the results of the final report will be submitted to the Committee at its Fifth Session.

21 Aleppo Syrian Arab Republic

The Bureau noted that the site was threatened by intensive urbanization and recommended that the nomination be deferred until the results of the Unesco mission, at present in Aleppo, were available. The report of the group of consultants has been received and transmitted to ICOMOS.

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B. Additional nominations received by 1 January 1981

145	Los Glaciares	Argentina
147	Kakadu National Park	Australia
154	Great Barrier Reef	Australia
166	Sydney Opera House in its setting with the Sydney Harbour Bridge and the surrounding waterways of Sydney Harbour from Bradley's Head to McMahon's Point	Australia
167	Willandra Lakes Region	Australia
157	Anthony Island	Canada
158	Head-smashed-in Bison Jump Complex	Canada
168	Speyer Cathedral	Federal Republic of Germany
169	Würzburg Residence with the Court Gardens and Residence Square	Federal Republic of Germany

160	Palace and Park of Fontainebleau	France
161	Château and Estate of Chambard	France
162	Amiens Cathedral	France
163	The Roman Theatre and its surroundings and the "Triumphal Arch" of Orange	France
164	Roman and Romanesque monuments of Arles	France
165	Cistercian abbey of Fontenay	France
149	Archaeological Park and Ruins of Quirigua	Guatemala
155	Nimba Strict Nature Reserve	Guinea
148 (rev.)	The Old City of Jerusalem and its walls	Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
170	The Međina of Fez	Morocco
171	Lahore Fort	Pakistan
172	Shalamar Gardens, Lahore	Pakistan
159	Darien National Park	Panama
153	Niokolo Koba National Park	Senegal
144	Ruins of Kilwa Kisiwani and Ruins of Sango Mnara	Tanzania
156	Serengeti National Park	Tanzania
150	Mammoth Cave National Park	United States of America
151	Olympic National Park	United States of America
152	Wright Brothers National Memorial	United States of America