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### **Strong demand for Defence and Cyber Security Hub leads to proposed new office development at 25 Catalina Drive, Majura Park**

Canberra Airport has announced plans for its first major office development at Majura Business Park in ten years.

It follows strong demand for accommodation in A grade office buildings in 2017 at Canberra Airport, from the Defence and Cyber Security sectors of the economy.

The Australian Cyber Security Centre is currently being fitted out at Brindabella Business Park and the new headquarters for the Department of Home Affairs is being built at 3 Molongo Drive.

The proposed building will accommodate up to 25,000 sq metres of A grade office space (NLA) across six floors above a basement carpark, and complies with the Green Building Council of Australia's environmental principles.

"Canberra Airport has been a member of the Green Building Council of Australia since its inception in 2002," the airport's Managing Director, Stephen Byron said.

"We have since then remained committed to the use of sustainable products and energy efficient solutions across all of our buildings, with 8 Brindabella Circuit at Brindabella Business Park achieving the first 5-star, green star rating in Australia."

A Major Development Plan (MDP) is required by the Airports Act 1996 and will be open for public consultation for 60 business days. The consultation period closes on Friday 11 May, 2018.

Copies of the preliminary draft MDP are available for inspection or purchase throughout the consultation period from the Airport Management Office, or by downloading from [www.canberraairport.com.au/mdp](http://www.canberraairport.com.au/mdp)

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