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Hi

I totally object to any proposal to land aircraft on Lake Burley Griffin !
The lake is an item of architectural importance, at the centre of our National Capital.

The use of Lake Burley Griffin should not be extended to serving as an aircraft runway for small privately operated aircraft.

These small aircraft with powerful engines will introduce an additional source of unwanted noise and safety hazard into the calm scenic centre of Canberra and it's immediate environment. They will represent a significant hazard to sailors and rowers on Lake Burley Griffin.

From a sustainability point of view sea planes set a very poor example for respect and protection of the natural environment, and reduction of carbon emissions. They would only be consistent with the existing Federal Governments totally inadequate response to the global issue of climate change, and further Australia's existing non-compliance with the Paris agreement.

Why convert Lake Burley Griffin into an aircraft runway when Canberra already has a perfectly serviceable, and largely under used airport ?

I am disappointed that the NCA sees fit to waste it's time considering and reporting on such a ridiculous proposal.

The proposal has no merit, and should be firmly rejected.

Regards
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