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## World Heritage

AMENDMENT

Item of the Agenda	8?
	Regarding sites of memory
Amended Draft Decision	42 COM
Amendment submitted by the Delegation of	Norway
Date	3 July 2018

## TEXT

The World Heritage Committee,

Having examined Documents WHC/18/42.COM/8B and WHC/18/42.COM/INF 8B.3....

Recalling Decision 42. COM 8b.24 (Manama 2018)

<u>Considering that</u>, in compliance with the Convention and the Operational Guidelines, Outstanding Universal Value is recognised at the time of inscription of a property on the World Heritage List and that no recognition of Outstanding Universal Value is foreseen prior to this stage, <u>decides</u> to include the review of the referral procedure and its application for examination in the framework of the next revision of the Operational Guidelines at its 43rd session in 2019.

<u>Also decides</u> that the evaluation of sites associated with recent conflicts and other negative and divisive memories shall be undertaken once a comprehensive reflection has taken place and the Committee at its 44<sup>th</sup> session has discussed and decided how these sites might relate to the purpose and scope of the World Heritage Convention and its Operational Guidelines.