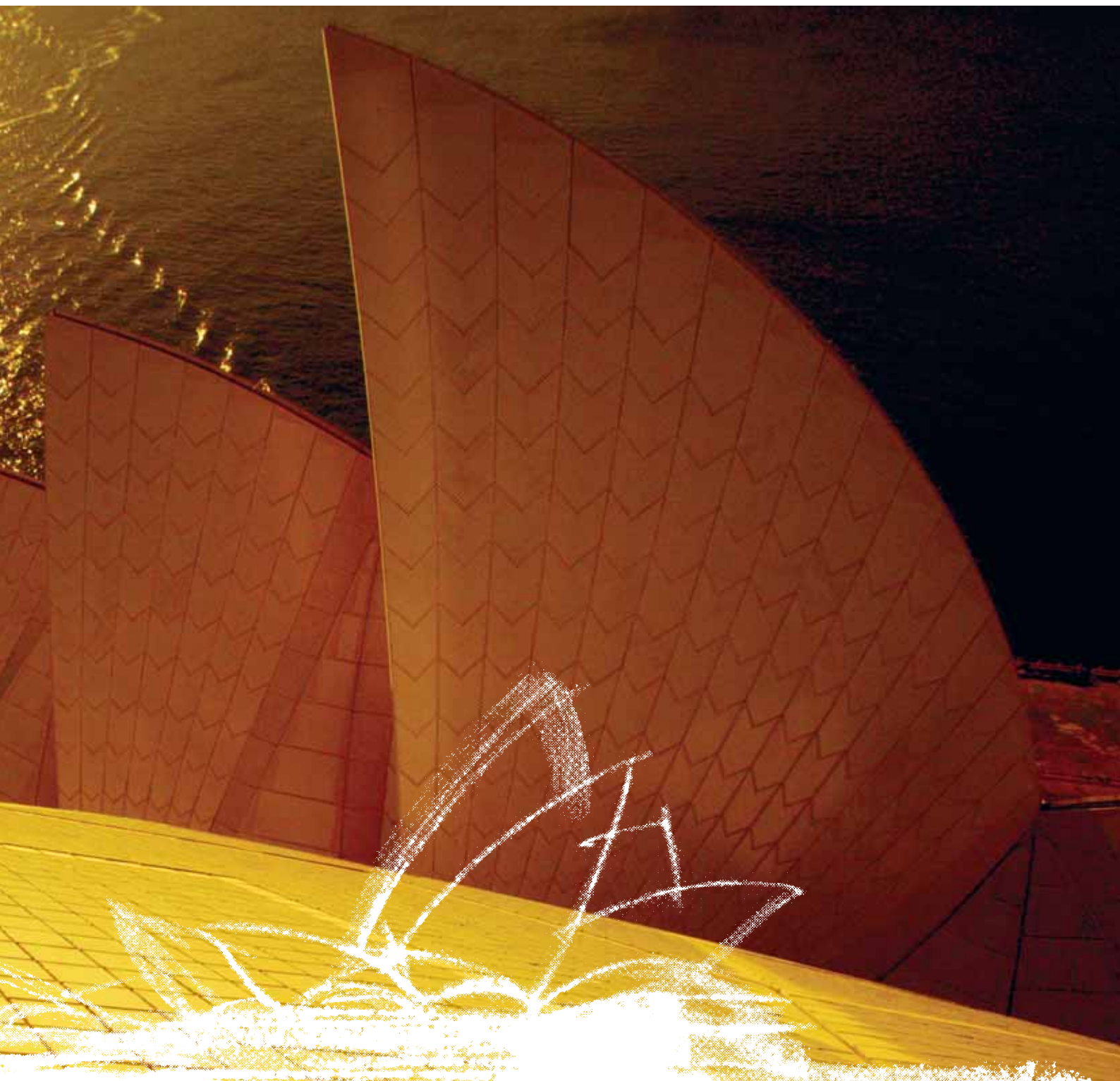




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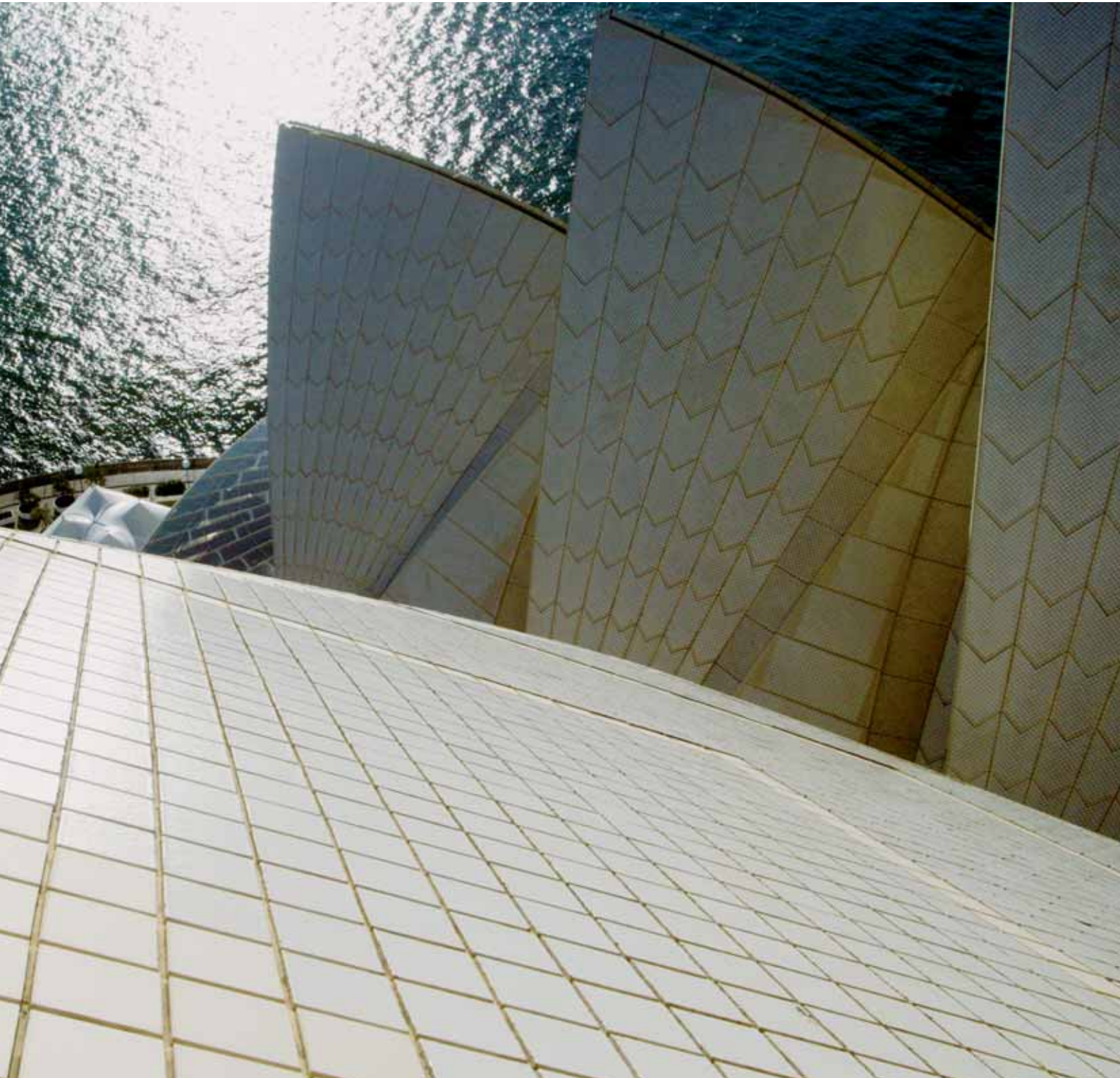
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PREFACE

Australia is pleased to present the Sydney Opera House for inscription on the World Heritage List. The nomination has been prepared jointly by the Australian Government and the State Government of New South Wales. Many others have assisted in the preparation of the nomination and their assistance is gratefully acknowledged.

The Sydney Opera House is an extraordinary building set in a stunning harbour. Since its inception it has captured the imagination of people the world over and has become a cultural symbol not only of the city in which it stands but of the Australian nation.

This place is an outstanding human creation, an influential masterpiece of architecture that has unified landscape and architecture in one monument.

