

HSM Risk Assessment

Richard E. Byrd Historic Monument, McMurdo Station, Antarctica

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Description

Richard E. Byrd Historic Monument, McMurdo Station, Antarctica. Bronze bust on black marble, 5ft high x 2ft square, on wood platform, bearing inscriptions describing the polar achievements of Richard Evelyn Byrd. Erected at McMurdo Station in 1965.

Risk Assessment Score

3.1

0 (Low)

10 (Extreme)

Risk Assessment Details

1	Is the HSM comprised of durable materials?	Yes	5	Is the HSM located 3m or less above sea level?	No
2	Is the HSM located in the Western Antarctic (i.e., west of the Transantarctic Mountains)?	Yes	6	Is the HSM located within 100m of shoreline?	No
3	Is the HSM located on the Antarctic Peninsula, South Orkney Islands, or South Shetland Islands?	No	7	Does the HSM site have steep slopes (i.e., greater than 20%)?	No
4	Is the HSM located at a coastal site?	Yes	8	Is the HSM situated on permafrost soils?	No