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Completing the entry form will involve identifying a design source if the quilt is not an original design. Entrants will not be asked to show proof of copyright observance on the online entry form. The following information is provided to encourage quilters to ensure that quilt entries do not breach any copyright laws.

For up to date information relating to copyright, please access <http://www.copyright.org.au>.

When using copyright material, if a substantial part (important, distinctive or recognisable) is used, there could be a copyright breach.

Strategies for seeking and documenting permission to use copyright material include:

- Look for a copyright notice on the material in the first instance.
- Conduct an Internet search to find the copyright owner.
- Approach the gallery or museum that holds the item.
- Approach the publisher for permission.
- Make a direct approach to the copyright owner.
- Get the permission in writing where possible.
- If the permission is verbal, document the conversation in writing.

Document any permission request in writing for your own records.