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Introduction

The pace of political events suggests that it might be convenient to regular users of the two *Handbooks* to have an up-dating supplement from time to time. This is the sixth such supplement, the first having covered only 1977, the second 1977-79, the third 1977-80, the fourth 1977-81, and the fifth 1977-82. It has been prepared for a limited private circulation and stocks will be exhausted by the first and only distribution.

The format follows that of the *Handbooks*, but only changes which took place in 1977-83 are recorded. Therefore ministerial changes during the earlier life of a particular ministry will need to be checked with the 1965-74 *Handbook* which contains a postscript covering 1975-76 for a complete picture. Portfolio lists are not provided in this supplement, but a set of portfolio lists 1855-1982 was distributed in 1983. To expedite publication the Queensland state election of 1983 has not been included as the official returns had not yet been tabled.

The information has not been checked by the responsible Commonwealth and State Officers, and I would be grateful for advice on any errors noted.

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20 January 1984

## COMMONWEALTH

FRASER MINISTRY (Liberal-National Country Coalition) No. 44  
 from 22 December 1975 (as of 1 January 1977) to 20 December 1977

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|--|--|
| John Malcolm Fraser* (L)                           | Prime Minister   |
| John Douglas Anthony* (NC)                         | Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for National Resources, Minister for Overseas Trade  |
| Phillip Reginald Lynch* (L)                        | Treasurer (until 19 Nov. 1977)   |
| Ian McCahon Sinclair* (NC)                         | Minister for Primary Industry  |
| Senator Reginald Grieve Withers* (L)               | Minister for Administrative Services, Vice-President of the Executive Council  |
| Senator Robert Carrington Cotton* (L)              | Minister for Industry and Commerce   |
| Anthony Austin Street* (L)                         | Minister for Employment and Industrial Relations, Minister assisting the Prime Minister in Public Service Matters  |
| Peter James Nixon* (NC)                            | Minister for Transport   |
| Senator John Leslie Carrick* (L)                   | Minister for Education, Minister assisting the Prime Minister in Federal Affairs   |
| Andrew Sharp Peacock* (L)                          | Minister for Foreign Affairs   |
| Denis James Killen* (L)                            | Minister for Defence   |
| Senator Margaret Georgina Constance Guilfoyle* (L) | Minister for Social Security   |
| Robert James Ellicott (L)                          | Attorney-General (until 6 Sept. 1977)  |
| John Winston Howard <sup>1</sup> (L)               | Minister for Business and Consumer Affairs (until 17 July 1977); Minister for Special Trade Negotiations, Minister assisting the Prime Minister (from 17 July 1977); Treasurer (from 19 November 1977) |
| Ralph James Dunnett Hunt (NC)                      | Minister for Health  |
| Michael John Randall MacKellar (L)                 | Minister for Immigration and Ethnic Affairs  |
| Robert Ian Viner (L)                               | Minister for Aboriginal Affairs  |
| Albert Evan Adermann (NC)                          | Minister for the Northern Territory, Minister assisting the Minister for National Resources  |
| Eric Laidlaw Robinson (L)                          | Minister for Posts and Telecommunication, Minister assisting the Treasurer   |
| John Elden McLeay (L)                              | Minister for Construction, Minister assisting the Minister for Defence   |

<sup>1</sup> Member of Cabinet from 19 November 1977.

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|-----------------------------------|---|
| Kevin Eugene Newman (L)           | Minister for Environment, Housing and<br>Community Development  |
| Senator James Joseph Webster (NC) | Minister for Science  |
| Anthony Allan Staley (L)          | Minister for the Capital Territory,<br>Minister assisting the Prime Minister<br>in the Arts   |
| Senator Peter Drew Durack (N)     | Minister for Veterans' Affairs (until<br>6 Sept. 1977); Attorney-General (from<br>6 Sept. 1977)   |
| Ian Malcolm Macphee (L)           | Minister for Productivity, Minister<br>assisting the Prime Minister in Women's<br>Affairs, Minister assisting the Minister<br>for Employment and Industrial Relations |

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|----------------------------|---|
| Wallace Clyde Fife (L)     | Minister for Business and Consumer<br>Affairs (from 17 July 1977) |
| Ransley Victor Garland (L) | Minister for Veterans' Affairs (from<br>6 Sept. 1977)             |

## FRASER MINISTRY (Liberal-National Country Coalition) No. 45

20 December 1977 to 3 November 1980

|                                      |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| John Malcolm Fraser* (L)             | Prime Minister  |
| John Douglas Anthony* (NC)           | Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Trade<br>and Resources  |
| Phillip Reginald Lynch* (L)          | Minister for Industry and Commerce  |
| Ian McCahon Sinclair* (NC)           | Minister for Primary Industry (until 27<br>Sept. 1979); Minister for Special Trade<br>Representations (from 19 Aug. 1980)   |
| Senator Reginald Grieve Withers* (L) | Minister for Administrative Services,<br>Vice-President of the Executive Council<br>(until 25 Aug. 1978)  |
| Anthony Austin Street* (L)           | Minister for Employment and Industrial<br>Relations (until 5 Dec. 1978); Minister<br>for Industrial Relations (from 5 Dec.<br>1978)   |
| Peter James Nixon* (NC)              | Minister for Transport (until 7 Dec. 1979);<br>Minister for Primary Industry (from 27<br>Sept. 1979)  |
| John Winston Howard* (L)             | Treasurer   |
| Senator John Leslie Carrick* (L)     | Minister for Education (until 7 Dec. 1979);<br>Minister Assisting the Prime Minister in<br>Federal Affairs (until 25 Aug. 1978);<br>Vice-President of the Executive Council<br>(from 25 Aug. 1978); Minister for<br>National Development and Energy (from<br>7 Dec. 1979) |

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| Andrew Sharp Peacock* (L)                             | Minister for Foreign Affairs   |
| Denis James Killen* (L)                               | Minister for Defence   |
| Senator Margaret Georgina<br>Constance Guilfoyle* (L) | Minister for Social Security   |
| Eric Laidlaw Robinson* (L)                            | Minister for Finance   |
| Robert Ian Viner* (L)                                 | Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Minister<br>Assisting the Prime Minister (until 5<br>Dec. 1978); Minister for Employment<br>and Youth Affairs (from 5 Dec. 1978)  |
| Ralph James Dunnett Hunt <sup>1</sup> (NC)            | Minister for Health (until 7 Dec. 1979);<br>Minister for Transport (from 7 Dec.<br>1979)   |
| Michael John Randal MacKellar (L)                     | Minister for Immigration and Ethnic Affairs<br>(until 7 Dec. 1979); Minister Assisting<br>the Treasurer (25 Aug. 1978 to 7 Dec.<br>1979); Minister for Health, Minister<br>Assisting the Prime Minister (from 7<br>Dec. 1979)                          |
| Albert Evan Adermann (NC)                             | Minister for the Northern Territory<br>(until 28 Sept. 1978); Minister<br>Assisting the Minister for Primary<br>Industry; Minister for Veterans' Affairs<br>(from 25 Aug. 1978)  |
| John Elden McLeay (L)                                 | Minister for Construction (until 5 Dec.<br>1978); Minister Assisting the Minister<br>for Defence; Minister for Administrative<br>Services (from 5 Dec. 1978)   |
| Kevin Eugene Newman (L)                               | Minister for National Development (until<br>7 Dec. 1979); Minister for Productivity,<br>Minister Assisting the Prime Minister in<br>Federal Affairs (from 7 Dec. 1979)   |
| Senator James Joseph Webster (NC)                     | Minister for Science (until 5 Dec. 1978);<br>Minister for Science and the Environment<br>(5 Dec. 1978 to 7 Dec. 1979)  |
| Anthony Allan Staley (L)                              | Minister for Post and Telecommunications   |
| Senator Peter Drew Durack <sup>2</sup> (L)            | Attorney-General   |
| Ian Malcolm Macphee (L)                               | Minister for Productivity (until 7 Dec.<br>1979); Minister Assisting the Minister<br>for Industry and Commerce (5 Dec. 1978 to<br>7 Dec. 1979); Minister for Immigration<br>and Ethnic Affairs, Minister Assisting<br>the Treasurer (from 7 Dec. 1979) |

<sup>1</sup>Member of Cabinet from 7 December 1979.

<sup>2</sup>Member of Cabinet from 25 August 1978.

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| Wallace Clyde Fife (L)                    | Minister for Business and Consumer Affairs (until 7 Dec. 1979); Minister Assisting the Prime Minister in Federal Affairs (25 Aug. 1978 to 7 Dec. 1979); Minister for Education (from 7 Dec. 1979)  |
| Ransley Victor Garland (L)                | Minister for Veterans' Affairs (until 25 Aug. 1978); Minister for Special Trade Representations, Minister Assisting the Minister for Trade and Resources (until 7 Dec. 1979); Minister for Business and Consumer Affairs, Minister Assisting the Minister for Industry and Commerce (from 7 Dec. 1979) |
| Robert James Ellicott (L)                 | Minister for Home Affairs, Minister for the Capital Territory  |
| Raymond John Groom (L)                    | Minister for Environment, Housing and Community Development, Minister Assisting the Minister for Employment and Industrial Relations (until 5 Dec. 1978); Minister for Housing and Construction (from 5 Dec. 1978)   |
| Senator Glenister Sheil <sup>1</sup> (NC) | Member of the Executive Council (until 21 Dec. 1977)   |
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| Senator Frederick Michael Chaney (L)      | Minister for Administrative Services (25 Aug. 1978 to 5 Dec. 1978); Minister Assisting the Minister for Education (25 Aug. 1978 to 7 Dec. 1979); Minister for Aboriginal Affairs (from 5 Dec. 1978); Minister Assisting the Minister for National Development and Energy (from 7 Dec. 1979)            |
| Senator Douglas Barr Scott (NC)           | Minister for Special Trade Representations, Minister Assisting the Minister for Trade and Resources (7 Dec. 1979 to 19 Aug. 1980)  |
| David Scott Thomson (NC)                  | Minister for Science and the Environment (from 7 Dec. 1979)  |

<sup>1</sup> Senator Shiel was designated to become Minister for Veterans' Affairs but could not assume a portfolio pending amendment of the Ministers of State Act to increase the number of Ministers to twenty-eight. He was required to resign from Executive Council for expressing views on apartheid which conflicted with Government policy; the Act was not amended and the Ministry remained at twenty-seven.

## FRASER MINISTRY (Liberal-National Country Coalition) No. 46

3 November 1980 to 11 March 1983

|   |   |
|---|---|
| John Malcolm Fraser* (L)                                | Prime Minister  |
| John Douglas Anthony* (NC)                              | Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Trade and Resources   |
| Phillip Reginald Lynch* (L)                             | Minister for Industry and Commerce (until 11 Oct. 1982)   |
| Ian McCahon Sinclair* (NC)                              | Minister for Communications (until 7 May 1982); Minister for Defence (from 7 May 1982)  |
| Senator John Leslie Carrick* (L)                        | Minister for National Development and Energy; Vice-President of the Executive Council (until 7 May 1982)  |
| Anthony Austin Street* (L)                              | Minister for Foreign Affairs  |
| Peter James Nixon* (NC)                                 | Minister for Primary Industry   |
| John Winston Howard* (L)                                | Treasurer   |
| Andrew Sharp Peacock* (L)                               | Minister for Industrial Relations (until 16 April 1981); Minister for Industry and Commerce (from 11 Oct. 1982)   |
| Denis James Killen* (L)                                 | Minister for Defence (until 7 May 1982); Vice-President of the Executive Council (from 7 May 1982)  |
| Senator Dame Margaret Georgina Constance Guilfoyle* (L) | Minister for Finance  |
| Robert Ian Viner* <sup>1</sup> (L)                      | Minister for Employment and Youth Affairs (until 16 Apr. 1981); Minister Assisting the Prime Minister (until 7 May 1982); Minister for Industrial Relations (16 Apr. 1981 to 7 May 1982); Minister for Defence Support, Minister Assisting the Minister for Defence (from 7 May 1982) |
| Senator Peter Drew Durack* (L)                          | Attorney-General  |
| Senator Frederick Michael Chaney* (L)                   | Minister for Social Security  |
| Robert James Ellicott (L)                               | Minister for Home Affairs and Environment (until 19 March 1981)   |
| Ralph James Dunnett Hunt (NC)                           | Minister for Transport (until 7 May 1982); Minister for Transport and Construction (from 7 May 1982)  |
| Michael John Randal MacKellar (L)                       | Minister for Health (until 20 April 1982)   |

1 Ceased to be a Member of Cabinet from 7 May 1982



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| Wallace Clyde Fife <sup>1</sup> (L)       | Minister for Education, Minister Assisting the Prime Minister in Federal Affairs (until 7 May 1982); Minister for Aviation, Minister Assisting the Prime Minister in Federal Affairs and Public Service Matters (from 7 May 1982)  |
| Ian Malcolm Macphee <sup>2</sup> (L)      | Minister for Immigration and Ethnic Affairs (until 7 May 1982); Minister for Employment and Industrial Relations (from 7 May 1982)   |
| David Scott Thomson (NC)                  | Minister for Science and Technology  |
| Kevin Eugene Newman (L)                   | Minister for Administrative Services; Minister Assisting the Minister for Defence (until 7 May 1982)   |
| John Colinton Moore (L)                   | Minister for Business and Consumer Affairs (until 20 April 1982)   |
| Michael Hodgman (L)                       | Minister for the Capital Territory, Minister Assisting the Minister for Industry and Commerce  |
| Senator Anthony John Messner (L)          | Minister for Veterans' Affairs, Minister Assisting the Treasurer   |
| Senator Peter Erne Baume <sup>2</sup> (L) | Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Minister Assisting the Minister for National Development and Energy (until 7 May 1982); Minister for Health (20 Apr. to 7 May 1982); Minister for Education (from 7 May 1982)                     |
| Daniel Thomas McVeigh (NC)                | Minister for Housing and Construction (until 7 May 1982); Minister Assisting the Minister for Trade and Resources; Minister for Home Affairs and Environment (from 7 May 1982)   |
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| Ian Bonython Cameron Wilson (L)           | Minister for Home Affairs and Environment (19 March 1981 to 7 May 1982); Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Minister Assisting the Minister for Social Security (from 7 May 1982)  |
| Neil Anthony Brown (L)                    | Minister for Employment and Youth Affairs (16 Apr. 1981 to 7 May 1982); Minister for Business and Consumer Affairs (20 Apr. to 7 May 1982); Minister for Communications, Minister Assisting the Attorney-General (from 7 May 1982) |
| James Joseph Carlton (L)                  | Minister for Health, Minister Assisting the Minister for National Development and Energy (from 7 May 1982)   |
| John Charles Hodges (L)                   | Minister for Immigration and Ethnic Affairs (from 7 May 1982)  |

1 Member of Cabinet from 16 April 1981

2 Member of Cabinet from 7 May 1982

## HAWKE MINISTRY (Labor) No. 47

from 11 March 1983

|                                 |  |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Robert James Lee Hawke*         | Prime Minister   |
| Lionel Frost Bowen*             | Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Trade and Industry, Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for Commonwealth-State Relations; Vice-President of the Executive Council (from 14 July 1983)  |
| Senator John Norman Button*     | Minister for Industry and Commerce; Minister Assisting the Minister for Communications (until 6 Dec. 1983)   |
| Senator Donald James Grimes*    | Minister for Social Security   |
| Ralph Willis*                   | Minister for Employment and Industrial Relations; Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for Public Service Matters (until 14 July 1983); Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for Public Service Industrial Matters (from 14 July 1983) |
| Paul John Keating*              | Treasurer  |
| Michael Jerome Young*           | Special Minister of State, Vice-President of the Executive Council (until 14 July 1983)  |
| Stewart John West* <sup>1</sup> | Minister for Immigration and Ethnic Affairs  |
| Senator Peter Alexander Walsh*  | Minister for Resources and Energy  |
| William George Hayden*          | Minister for Foreign Affairs   |
| Senator Susan Maree Ryan*       | Minister for Education and Youth Affairs; Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for Women's Affairs (until 25 May 1983); Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for the Status of Women (from 25 May 1983)                                |
| Senator Gareth John Evans*      | Attorney-General   |
| Gordon Glen Denton Scholes*     | Minister for Defence   |
| Peter Frederick Morris          | Minister for Transport   |
| John Charles Kerin <sup>2</sup> | Minister for Primary Industry  |
| Kim Christian Beazley           | Minister for Aviation, Minister Assisting the Minister for Defence; Special Minister of State (from 14 July 1983)  |

<sup>1</sup> Ceased to be a Member of Cabinet from 4 November 1983

<sup>2</sup> Member of Cabinet from 4 November 1983

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|----------------------------------|---|
| Christopher John Hurford         | Minister for Housing and Construction;<br>Minister Assisting the Minister for<br>Industry and Commerce (until 25 May<br>1983); Minister Assisting the<br>Treasurer (from 25 May 1983) |
| John Joseph Brown                | Minister for Sport, Recreation and Tourism,<br>Minister for Administrative Services;<br>Minister Assisting the Minister for<br>Industry and Commerce (from 25 May 1983)               |
| John Sydney Dawkins <sup>1</sup> | Minister for Finance; Minister Assisting the<br>Prime Minister for Public Service<br>Matters (from 14 July 1983)  |
| Neal Blewett                     | Minister for Health   |
| Barry Owen Jones                 | Minister for Science and Technology   |
| Michael John Duffy               | Minister for Communications   |
| Barry Cohen                      | Minister for Home Affairs and Environment   |
| Allan Clyde Holding              | Minister for Aboriginal Affairs   |
| Senator Arthur Thomas Gietzelt   | Minister for Veterans' Affairs  |
| Thomas Uren                      | Minister for Territories and Local<br>Government, Minister Assisting the<br>Prime Minister for Community Development<br>and Regional Affairs  |
| Brian Leslie Howe                | Minister for Defence Support  |

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<sup>1</sup>Member of Cabinet from 14 July 1983

## NEW SOUTH WALES

## WRAN MINISTRY (Labor) No. 70

from 14 May 1976 (as of 1 January 1977)

- Neville Wran Premier; Treasurer (29 Jan. 1980 to 2 Oct. 1981); Minister for Mineral Resources (2 Oct. 1981 to 1 Feb. 1983)
- Laurie John Ferguson Deputy Premier, Minister for Public Works, Minister for Ports; Minister for Housing (until 10 Feb. 1977)
- John Brophy Renshaw Treasurer (until 29 Jan. 1980)
- Peter Francis Cox Minister for Transport; Minister for Highways (until 19 Oct. 1978)
- Francis John Walker Attorney-General (until 1 Feb. 1983); Minister of Justice (19 Oct. 1978 to 1 Feb. 1983); Minister for Aboriginal Affairs (from 2 Oct. 1981); Minister for Youth and Community Services, Minister for Housing (from 1 Feb. 1983)
- Patrick Darcy Hills Minister for Industrial Relations; Minister for Mines (until 19 Oct. 1978); Minister for Energy (until 2 Oct. 1981); Minister for Technology (19 Oct. 1978 to 29 Feb. 1980 and from 2 Oct. 1981)
- David Paul Landa, M.L.C. Vice-President of the Executive Council; Minister for Planning and Environment (until 29 Feb. 1980); Minister for Education (29 Feb. 1980 to 2 Oct. 1981); Minister for Energy, Minister for Water Resources (2 Oct. 1981 to 1 Feb. 1983); Attorney-General, Minister of Justice, Minister for Consumer Affairs (from 1 Feb. 1983)
- Donald Day Minister for Decentralisation and Development, Minister for Primary Industries (until 19 Oct. 1978); Minister for Agriculture (19 Oct. 1978 to 29 Feb. 1980); Minister for Industrial Development, Minister for Decentralisation (from 29 Feb. 1980)
- Eric Lance Bedford Minister for Education (until 29 Feb. 1980); Minister for Planning and Environment (from 29 Feb. 1980)
- Henry Frederick Jensen Minister for Local Government (until 2 Oct. 1981); Minister for Roads (19 Oct. 1978 to 2 Oct. 1981)

William Frederick Crabtree Minister for Lands (until 29 Feb. 1980);  
Minister for Services (19 Oct. 1978 to  
2 Oct. 1981); Minister for Police (29  
Feb. 1980 to 2 Oct. 1981)

Kevin James Stewart Minister for Health (until 2 Oct. 1981);  
Minister for Youth and Community  
Services (2 Oct. 1981 to 1 Feb. 1983);  
Minister for Mineral Resources (from  
1 Feb 1983)

Sydney David Einfeld Minister for Co-operative Societies (until  
29 Feb. 1980); Minister for Consumer  
Affairs (until 2 Oct. 1981); Minister  
for Housing (19 Oct. 1978 to 29 Feb.  
1980)

Ronald Joseph Mulock Minister for Justice (until 19 Oct. 1978);  
Minister for Services (until 10 Feb.  
1977); Minister for Housing (10 Feb.  
1977 to 19 Oct. 1978); Minister for  
Mineral Resources and Development (19  
Oct. 1978 to 29 Feb. 1980); Minister  
for Mineral Resources, Minister for  
Technology (29 Feb. 1980 to 2 Oct. 1981);  
Minister for Education (from 2 Oct. 1981)

Kenneth George Booth Minister for Sport and Recreation,  
Minister for Tourism (until 2 Oct. 1981);  
Assistant Treasurer (29 Feb. 1980 to  
2 Oct. 1981); Treasurer (from 2 Oct.  
1981)

Alan Robert Lindsay Gordon Minister for Conservation, Minister for  
Water Resources (until 2 Oct. 1981);  
Minister for Forests (29 Feb. 1980 to  
2 Oct. 1981); Minister for Local  
Government, Minister for Lands (from  
2 Oct. 1981)

Rex Frederick Jackson Minister for Youth and Community Services  
(until 2 Oct. 1981); Minister for  
Corrective Services (2 Oct. 1981 to  
27 Oct. 1983); Minister for Roads  
(1 Feb. 1983 to 27 Oct. 1983)

William Henry Haigh Minister Assisting the Premier (until 19  
Oct. 1978); Minister for Services (10  
Feb. 1977 to 19 Oct. 1978); Minister  
for Corrective Services (19 Oct. 1978  
to 2 Oct. 1981)

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Jack Rowland Hallam, M.L.C.

Minister for Decentralisation, Minister Assisting the Premier (19 Oct. 1978 to 29 Feb. 1980); Minister for Agriculture (29 Feb. 1980 to 2 Oct. 1981); Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries (from 2 Oct. 1981)

Terence William Sheahan

Minister for Housing, Minister for Co-operative Societies (from 29 Feb. 1980); Assistant Minister for Transport (29 Feb. 1980 to 2 Oct. 1981); Minister Assisting the Premier (2 Oct. 1981 to 1 Feb. 1983); Minister for Energy, Minister for Finance (from 1 Feb. 1983)

Laurence John Brereton

Minister for Health (from 2 Oct. 1981); Minister for Roads (from 27 Oct. 1983)

Peter Thomas Anderson

Minister for Police, Minister for Services (2 Oct. 1981 to 26 May 1982); Minister for Police and Emergency Services (from 16 May 1982); Minister for Corrective Services (from 27 Oct. 1983)

Michael Arthur Cleary

Minister for Sport and Recreation, Minister for Tourism (2 Oct. 1981 to 26 May 1982); Minister for Leisure, Sport and Tourism (from 26 May 1982)

Paul Francis Patrick Whelan

Minister for Consumer Affairs, Minister for Roads (2 Oct. 1981 to 1 Feb. 1983); Minister for Water Resources, Minister for Forests (from 1 Feb. 1983)

VICTORIA

## HAMER MINISTRY (Liberal) No. 62

23 August 1972 (as of 1 January 1977) to 5 June 1981

|                                   |   |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Rupert James Hamer                | Premier; Treasurer, Minister of the Arts (until 16 May 1979); Minister for State Development and Decentralisation (16 May 1979 to 3 Feb. 1981); Minister for Tourism (from 16 May 1979)               |
| Lindsay Hamilton Simpson Thompson | Deputy Premier; Minister of Education (until 16 May 1979); Chief Secretary (16 May to 20 June 1979); Treasurer, Minister for Police and Emergency Services (from 16 May 1979)                         |
| Vance Oakley Dickie, M.L.C.       | Chief Secretary (until 16 Aug. 1978)  |
| Alan John Hunt, M.L.C.            | Minister for Local Government (until 16 May 1979); Minister for Federal Affairs (until 16 Aug. 1978); Minister for Planning (16 Aug. 1978 to 16 May 1979); Minister of Education (from 16 May 1979)   |
| James Charles Murray Balfour      | Minister for Fuel and Power, Minister of Mines (until 1 Sept. 1977); Minister for Minerals and Energy (1 Sept. 1977 to 3 Feb. 1981)   |
| William Archibald Borthwick       | Minister for Conservation, Minister of Lands, Minister of Soldier Settlement (to 16 May 1979); Minister of Health (from 16 May 1979)  |
| Joseph Anstice Rafferty           | Minister of Transport (until 16 Aug. 1978); Chief Secretary (16 Aug. 1978 to 16 May 1979)   |
| Ian Winton Smith                  | Minister of Agriculture (until 3 Feb. 1981); Minister for Economic Development, Minister for State Development, Decentralisation and Tourism (3 Feb. 1981 to 15 Mar. 1981 and 17 Mar. to 25 May 1981) |
| Roberts Christian Dunstan         | Minister of Public Works (until 10 Aug. 1978); Minister for Property and Services (16 May 1978 to 10 Aug. 1978)   |
| Alan Henry Scanlan                | Minister of Special Education (until 16 May 1979)   |
| William Vasey Houghton, M.L.C.    | Minister of Health (until 16 May 1979); Minister for Conservation, Minister of Lands, Minister of Soldier Settlement (from 16 May 1979)   |
| Brian James Dixon                 | Minister for Youth, Sport and Recreation; Minister for Social Welfare (until 16 May 1979); Minister of Housing (16 May 1979 to 3 Feb. 1981); Minister for Employment and Training (from 3 Feb. 1981)  |

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| Frederick James Granter, M.L.C. | Minister of Water Supply, Minister of Forests  |
| Digby Glen Crozier, M.L.C.      | Minister for State Development and Decentralisation, Minister of Tourism (until 16 Aug. 1978); Minister for State Development Decentralisation and Tourism (16 Aug. 1978 to 16 May 1979); Minister for Local Government (from 16 May 1979)                     |
| Robert Roy Cameron Maclellan    | Minister of Labour and Industry, Minister of Consumer Affairs (until 16 Aug. 1978); Minister of Transport (from 16 Aug. 1978)  |
| Walter Jona                     | Minister of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs, Assistant Minister of Health (until 16 May 1979); Minister for Community Welfare Services (from 16 May 1979)   |
| Geoffrey Phillip Hayes          | Minister of Planning (until 16 Aug. 1978); Minister of Housing (until 16 May 1979)   |
| Haddon Storey, M.L.C.           | Attorney-General; Minister for Federal Affairs (from 16 Aug. 1978)   |
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| James Halford Ramsay            | Minister of Labour and Industry, Minister of Consumer Affairs (from 16 Aug. 1978)  |
| Thomas Leslie Austin            | Minister of Public Works, Minister for Property and Services (16 Aug. 1978 to 3 Feb. 1981); Minister of Agriculture (from 3 Feb. 1981)   |
| Louis Stuart Lieberman          | Minister for Planning (from 16 May 1979); Assistant Minister of Health (16 May 1979 to 3 Feb. 1981); Minister for Minerals and Energy, Minister of Mines (from 3 Feb. 1981)  |
| Alan Raymond Wood               | Minister of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs (16 May 1979 to 3 Feb. 1981); Assistant Minister for State Development Decentralisation and Tourism (from 19 Feb. to 23 Dec. 1980); Minister of Public Works, Minister for Property and Services (from 3 Feb. 1981) |
| Norman Lacy                     | Minister for the Arts (from 16 May 1979); Assistant Minister of Education (16 May 1979 to 3 Feb. 1981); Minister of Educational Services (from 3 Feb. 1981)  |
| Jeffrey Gibb Kennett            | Minister of Housing, Minister of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs (from 3 Feb. 1981)   |



## THOMPSON MINISTRY (Liberal) No. 63

5 June 1981 to 8 April 1982

|                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Lindsay Hamilton Simpson Thompson | Premier, Treasurer   |
| William Archibald Borthwick       | Deputy Premier, Minister of Health   |
| Alan John Hunt, M.L.C.            | Minister of Education  |
| Haddon Storey, M.L.C.             | Attorney-General, Minister for Federal Affairs, Minister of Consumer Affairs   |
| Digby Glen Crozier, M.L.C.        | Minister for Minerals and Energy, Minister of Mines                            |
| William Vasey Houghton, M.L.C.    | Minister for Conservation, Minister of Lands, Minister of Soldier Settlement   |
| Brian James Dixon                 | Minister for Employment and Training, Minister for Youth, Sport and Recreation |
| Frederick James Granter, M.L.C.   | Minister for Police and Emergency Services                                     |
| Robert Roy Cameron Maclellan      | Minister of Transport  |
| Walter Jona                       | Minister for Community Welfare Services  |
| James Halford Ramsay              | Minister for Economic Development, Minister of Labour and Industry             |
| Thomas Leslie Austin              | Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Forests                                   |
| Louis Stuart Lieberman            | Minister for Local Government, Minister for Planning                           |
| Alan Raymond Wood                 | Minister of Public Works, Minister for Property and Services                   |
| Norman Lacy                       | Minister for the Arts, Minister of Educational Services                        |
| Jeffrey Gibb Kennett              | Minister of Housing, Minister of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs                |
| Glyn Jenkins, M.L.C.              | Minister of Water Supply   |
| George Graeme Weiderman           | Minister for Tourism   |

## CAIN MINISTRY (Labor) No. 64

from 8 April 1982

|                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| John Cain                        | Premier; Attorney-General (until 8 Sept. 1983); Minister for Federal Affairs (until 21 Dec. 1982)  |
| Robert Clive Fordham             | Minister for Education, Minister of Educational Services   |
| William Albert Landeryou, M.L.C. | Minister for Economic Development, Minister for Tourism (until 21 Dec. 1982); Minister for Industrial Affairs, Minister for Labour and Industry (21 Dec. 1982 to 31 Aug. 1983) |

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|--------------------------------------|--|
| Evan Walker, M.L.C.                  | Minister for Conservation, Minister for Planning (until 1 Sept. 1983), Minister for Planning and Environment (from 1 Sept. 1983); Minister for Public Works (from 8 Sept. 1983)    |
| Ian Robert Cathie                    | Minister of Housing; Minister of Economic Development (21 Dec. 1982 to 12 Nov. 1983); Minister for Industry, Commerce and Technology (from 12 Nov. 1983)                           |
| Steven Marshall Crabb                | Minister of Transport; Minister of Industrial Affairs (from 1 Sept. 1983); Minister of Labour and Industry (1 Sept. 1983 to 8 Sept. 1983)  |
| John Joseph Ginifer                  | Minister for Consumer Affairs, Minister of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs (until 10 May 1982)  |
| Robert Allen Jolly                   | Treasurer; Minister of Labour and Industry (until 21 Dec. 1982)  |
| Daniel Eric Kent, M.L.C.             | Minister of Agriculture  |
| Roderick Alexander Mackenzie, M.L.C. | Minister of Soldier Settlement (until 21 Dec. 1982); Minister of Forests, Minister of Lands (until 1 Sept. 1983); Minister for Conservation, Forests and Lands (from 1 Sept. 1983) |
| Charles Race Thorson Mathews         | Minister for the Arts, Minister for Police and Emergency Services  |
| Thomas William Roper                 | Minister of Health   |
| James Lionel Simonds                 | Minister for Employment and Training   |
| John Hamilton Simpson                | Minister for Property and Services; Minister of Public Works (until 8 Sept. 1983); Minister of Labour and Industry, Assistant Minister of Transport (from 8 Sept. 1983)            |
| Pauline Therese Toner                | Minister for Community Welfare Services  |
| Neil Benjamin Trezise                | Minister for Youth, Sport and Recreation   |
| David Ronald White, M.L.C.           | Minister for Minerals and Energy, Minister of Water Supply, Minister of Mines (until 11 May 1983)  |
| Frank Noel Wilkes                    | Minister for Local Government  |

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Peter Spyker

Minister of Consumer Affairs (from 11 May 1982); Minister of Immigration and Ethnic Affairs (11 May 1982 to 21 Dec. 1982)

James Harley Kennan, M.L.C.

Attorney-General (from 8 Sept. 1983)

## QUEENSLAND

## BJELKE-PETERSEN MINISTRY (National-Liberal Coalition) No. 39

8 August 1968 (as of 1 January 1977) to 18 August 1983

|                                  |   |
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| Johannes Bjelke-Petersen (N)     | Premier   |
| William Edward Knox (L)          | Deputy Premier (until 9 Oct. 1978); Treasurer (until 15 Dec. 1978); Minister of Health (15 Dec. 1978 to 23 Dec. 1980); Minister for Employment and Labour Relations (from 23 Dec. 1980)   |
| Ronald Ernest Camm (N)           | Minister for Mines and Energy (until 17 July 1980); Minister for Police (16 Dec. 1977 to 17 July 1980)  |
| Frederick Alexander Campbell (L) | Minister for Industrial Development, Labour Relations and Consumer Affairs (until 16 Dec. 1977); Minister for Transport (26 Aug. 1977 to 16 Dec. 1977); Minister for Labour Relations (16 Dec. 1977 to 18 Dec. 1980)                        |
| John Desmond Herbert (L)         | Minister for Community and Welfare Services, Minister for Sport (until 16 Dec. 1977); Minister for Welfare (16 Dec. 1977 to 13 Sept. 1978)  |
| Victor Bruce Sullivan (N)        | Minister for Primary Industries (until 29 July 1980); Minister for Mines and Energy (29 July to 23 Dec. 1980); Minister for Commerce and Industry (23 Dec. 1980 to 6 Dec. 1982)   |
| Allen Maxwell Hodges (N)         | Minister for Maritime Services and Tourism (until 31 July 1979)   |
| Neville Thomas Eric Hewitt (N)   | Minister for Water Resources (until 16 Dec. 1977); Minister for Lands, Forestry and Water Resources (16 Dec. 1977 to 23 Dec. 1980)  |
| Keith William Hooper (L)         | Minister for Transport (until 26 Aug. 1977)   |
| Russell James Hinze (N)          | Minister for Local Government and Main Roads (until 29 July 1980); Minister for Local Government, Main Roads and Police (29 July 1980 to 6 Dec. 1982); Minister for Local Government, Main Roads and Racing (from 6 Dec. 1982)              |
| Thomas Guy Newbery (N)           | Minister for Police (until 16 Dec. 1977); Minister for Culture, National Parks and Recreation (16 Dec. 1977 to 21 Aug. 1979)  |
| Kenneth Burgoyne Tomkins (N)     | Minister for Lands, Forestry, National Parks and Wildlife Service (until 16 Dec. 1977); Minister for Transport (16 Dec. 1977 to 23 Dec. 1980); Minister for Water Resources and Aboriginal and Island Affairs (23 Dec. 1980 to 6 Dec. 1982) |
| Llewellyn Roy Edwards (L)        | Minister for Health (until 15 Dec. 1978); Deputy Premier (from 9 Oct. 1978); Treasurer (from 15 Dec. 1979)  |

- Valmond James Bird (N) Minister for Education and Cultural Activities (until 16 Dec. 1977); Minister for Education (16 Dec. 1977 to 23 Dec. 1980); Minister for Northern Development and Maritime Services (23 Dec. 1980 to 6 Dec. 1982); Minister for Northern Development and Aboriginal and Island Affairs (from 6 Dec. 1982)
- Norman Edward Lee (L) Minister for Works and Housing (until 16 Dec. 1977); Minister for Industry and Administrative Services (16 Dec. 1977 to 23 Dec. 1980)
- Claude Alfred Wharton (N) Minister for Aboriginal and Islanders Advancement and Fisheries (until 16 Dec. 1977); Minister for Works and Housing (from 16 Dec. 1977)
- William Daniel Lickiss (L) Minister for Justice, Attorney-General (to 23 Dec. 1980); Minister for Welfare (14 Sept. 1978 to 2 Oct. 1978)
- John Ward Greenwood (L) Minister for Survey and Valuation (to 23 Dec. 1980)
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- Charles Robert Porter (L) Minister for Aboriginal and Island Affairs (16 Dec. 1977 to 23 Dec. 1980)
- Samuel Sydney Doumany (L) Minister for Welfare (2 Oct. 1978 to 23 Dec. 1980); Minister for Justice, Attorney-General (from 23 Dec. 1980)
- Maxwell David Hooper (N) Minister for Maritime Services and Tourism (24 Aug. 1979 to 23 Dec. 1980)
- Ivan James Gibbs (N) Minister for Culture, National Parks and Recreation (24 Aug. 1979 to 23 Dec. 1980); Minister for Mines and Energy (from 23 Dec. 1980)
- Michael John Ahern (N) Minister for Primary Industries (from 29 July 1980)
- William Douglas Hewitt (L) Minister for Environment, Valuation and Administrative Services (23 Dec. 1980 to 4 Aug. 1983); Minister for Welfare Services (from 5 Aug. 1983)
- Donald Frederick Lane (L) Minister for Transport (from 23 Dec. 1980)
- William Angus Manson Gunn (N) Minister for Education (23 Dec. 1980 to 6 Dec. 1982); Minister for Commerce and Industry (from 6 Dec. 1982)
- William Hamline Glasson (N) Minister for Lands and Forestry (23 Dec. 1980 to 6 Dec. 1982); Minister for Lands, Forestry and Police (from 6 Dec. 1982)
- Jannion Anthony Elliott (N) Minister for Tourism, National Parks, Sport and The Arts (from 23 Dec. 1980)

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| Brian Douglas Austin (L)  | Minister for Health (from 23 Dec. 1980)  |
| Terence Anthony White (L) | Minister for Welfare Services (23 Dec. 1980 to 4 Aug. 1983)                        |
| Lionel William Powell (N) | Minister for Education (from 6 Dec. 1982)  |
| John Philip Goleby (N)    | Minister for Water Resources and Maritime Services (from 6 Dec. 1982)              |
| Colin John Miller (L)     | Minister for Environment, Valuation and Administrative Services (from 5 Aug. 1983) |

BJELKE-PETERSEN MINISTRY (National) No. 40

from 19 August 1983

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|-----------------------------|--|
| Johannes Bjelke-Petersen    | Premier, Treasurer   |
| William Angus Manson Gunn   | Minister for Commerce and Industry (until 7 Nov. 1983); Deputy Premier, Minister Assisting the Treasurer (from 7 Nov. 1983)  |
| Russell James Hinze         | Minister for Local Government, Main Roads and Racing   |
| Valmond James Bird          | Minister for Northern Development and Aboriginal and Island Affairs (until 6 Nov. 1983)                                      |
| Claude Alfred Wharton       | Minister for Works and Housing   |
| Ivan James Gibbs            | Minister for Mines and Energy  |
| Michael John Ahern          | Minister for Primary Industries (until 7 Nov. 1983); Minister for Industry, Small Business and Technology (from 7 Nov. 1983) |
| William Hamline Glasson     | Minister for Lands, Forestry and Police  |
| Jannion Anthony Elliott     | Minister for Tourism, National Parks, Sport and the Arts (until 6 Nov. 1983)   |
| Lionel William Powell       | Minister for Education   |
| John Philip Goleby          | Minister for Water Resources and Maritime Services   |
| Angelo Pietro Dante Bertoni | Minister for Health (until 6 Nov. 1983)  |
| Neil John Turner            | Minister for Transport (until 7 Nov. 1983); Minister for Primary Industries (from 7 Nov. 1983)                               |

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| Vincent Patrick Lester  | Minister for Employment and Labour Relations (until 6 May 1983); Minister for Employment and Industrial Affairs (from 7 Nov. 1983) |
| Martin James Tenni      | Minister for Administrative Services and Environment; Minister for Valuation (until 7 Nov. 1983)                                   |
| Neville John Harper     | Minister for Justice and Attorney-General  |
| Geoffrey Hugh Muntz     | Minister for Welfare Services; Minister for Welfare Services and Ethnic Affairs (from 7 Nov. 1983)                                 |
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| Donald Frederick Lane   | Minister for Transport (from 7 Nov. 1983)  |
| Brian Douglas Austin    | Minister for Health (from 7 Nov. 1983)   |
| Peter Richard McKechnie | Minister for Tourism, National Parks, Sport and The Arts (from 7 Nov. 1983)  |
| Robert Carl Katter      | Minister for Northern Development and Aboriginal and Island Affairs (from 7 Nov. 1983)   |

## SOUTH AUSTRALIA

## DUNSTAN MINISTRY (Labor) No. 63

2 June 1970 to 15 February 1979 (as of 1 January 1977)

|                                      |  |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| Donald Allan Dunstan                 | Premier, Treasurer; Minister for Immigration and Ethnic Affairs (16 June 1977 to 28 Sept. 1978); Minister of Ethnic Affairs (from 28 Sept. 1978) |
| James Desmond Corcoran               | Deputy Premier, Minister of Works, Minister of Marine; Minister for the Environment (from 6 Oct. 1977)   |
| Hugh Richard Hudson                  | Minister of Mines and Energy, Minister for Planning  |
| Donald Hubert Louis Banfield, M.L.C. | Minister of Health; Chief Secretary (until 6 Oct. 1977); Minister Assisting the Deputy Premier (from 6 Oct. 1977)                                |
| Geoffrey Thomas Virgo                | Minister of Transport, Minister of Local Government  |
| Thomas Mannix Casey, M.L.C.          | Minister of Lands, Minister of Repatriation, Minister of Irrigation, Minister of Tourism, Recreation and Sport                                   |
| Donald Jack Hopgood                  | Minister of Education  |
| Brian Alfred Chatterton, M.L.C.      | Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Forests, Minister of Fisheries  |
| John David Wright                    | Minister of Labour and Industry; Minister Assisting the Premier in Industrial Democracy (from 6 Oct. 1977)                                       |
| Ronald George Payne                  | Minister of Community Welfare  |
| Peter Duncan                         | Attorney-General, Minister of Prices and Consumer Affairs  |
| Donald William Simmons               | Minister for the Environment (until 6 Oct. 1977); Chief Secretary, Minister assisting the Premier (from 6 Oct. 1977)                             |
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| John Charles Bannon                  | Minister of Community Development, Minister Assisting the Minister of Ethnic Affairs (from 28 Sept. 1978)  |

## CORCORAN MINISTRY (Labor) No. 64

15 February 1979 to 18 September 1979

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| James Desmond Corcoran | Premier, Treasurer, Minister of Ethnic Affairs; Minister of Works, Minister of Marine, Minister for the Environment (until 15 Mar. 1979) |
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| Hugh Richard Hudson                  | Deputy Premier, Minister of Mines and Energy; Minister for Planning (until 15 Mar. 1979); Minister of Economic Development, Minister of Tourism (from 15 Mar. 1979)  |
| Donald Hubert Louis Banfield, M.L.C. | Minister of Health, Minister Assisting the Deputy Premier (until 1 May 1979)   |
| Geoffrey Thomas Virgo                | Minister of Transport; Minister of Local Government (until 15 Mar. 1979); Minister of Marine (from 15 Mar. 1979)   |
| Thomas Mannix Casey, M.L.C.          | Minister of Lands, Minister of Repatriation (until 1 May 1979); Minister of Irrigation, Minister of Tourism, Recreation and Sport (until 15 Mar. 1979); Minister of Environment (15 Mar. 1979 to 1 May 1979) |
| Donald Jack Hopgood                  | Minister of Education  |
| Brian Alfred Chatterton, M.L.C.      | Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Forests, Minister of Fisheries  |
| John David Wright                    | Minister of Labour and Industry, Minister Assisting the Premier in Industrial Democracy; Minister of Public Works (from 15 Mar. 1979)  |
| Ronald George Payne                  | Minister of Community Welfare (until 15 Mar. 1979); Minister of Planning, Minister of Water Resources, Minister of Housing (from 15 Mar. 1979)   |
| Peter Duncan                         | Attorney-General, Minister of Prices and Consumer Affairs (until 15 Mar. 1979); Minister of Health (from 15 Mar. 1979)   |
| Donald William Simmons               | Chief Secretary; Minister Assisting the Premier (until 15 Mar. 1979)   |
| John Charles Bannon                  | Minister of Community Development; Minister Assisting the Minister of Ethnic Affairs (until 15 Mar. 1979); Minister of Local Government, Minister of Recreation and Sport (from 15 Mar. 1979)                |
| Roy Kitto Abbott                     | Minister of Community Welfare (from 15 Mar. 1979)  |
| Christopher John Sumner, M.L.C.      | Attorney-General, Minister of Prices and Consumer Affairs, Minister Assisting the Premier in Ethnic Affairs (from 1 May 1979)  |
| John Robert Cornwall, M.L.C.         | Minister of Lands, Minister of Repatriation, Minister of Environment (from 1 May 1979)   |

TONKIN MINISTRY (Liberal) No. 65

18 September 1979 to 10 November 1982

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| David Oliver Tonkin    | Premier, Treasurer, Minister of State Development, Minister of Ethnic Affairs |
| Eric Roger Goldsworthy | Deputy Premier, Minister of Mines and Energy                                  |

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| Kenneth Trevor Griffin, M.L.C. | Attorney-General, Minister of Corporate Affairs   |
| Dean Craig Brown               | Minister of Industrial Affairs, Minister of Public Works  |
| Harold Allison                 | Minister of Education; Minister of Aboriginal Affairs (until 5 Mar. 1982)   |
| William Allan Rodda            | Chief Secretary, Minister of Fisheries, Minister of Marine (until 5 Mar. 1982)  |
| Charles Murray Hill, M.L.C.    | Minister of Local Government, Minister of Housing, Minister of Arts, Minister Assisting the Premier in Ethnic Affairs                               |
| William Edward Chapman         | Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Forests  |
| David Charles Wotton           | Minister of Environment, Minister of Planning (until 18 June 1981); Minister of Environment and Planning (from 18 June 1981)                        |
| Michael Minell Wilson          | Minister of Transport, Minister of Recreation and Sport; Minister of Marine (from 5 Mar. 1982)  |
| John Charles Burdett, M.L.C.   | Minister of Community Welfare, Minister of Consumer Affairs   |
| Jennifer Lillian Adamson       | Minister of Health, Minister of Tourism   |
| Peter Bruce Arnold             | Minister of Water Resources, Minister of Irrigation, Minister of Lands, Minister of Repatriation; Minister of Aboriginal Affairs (from 5 Mar. 1982) |
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| John Wayne Olsen               | Chief Secretary, Minister of Fisheries (from 5 Mar. 1982)   |

BANNON MINISTRY (Labor) No. 66  
from 10 November 1982

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| John Charles Bannon             | Premier, Treasurer, Minister of State Development, Minister for the Arts   |
| John David Wright               | Deputy Premier, Minister of Labour, Minister of Public Works   |
| Christopher John Sumner, M.L.C. | Attorney-General, Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs, Minister of Ethnic Affairs; Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Fisheries, Minister of Forests (22 Apr. 1983 to 27 Apr. 1983) |
| Donald Jack Hopgood             | Minister for Environment and Planning, Minister of Lands, Minister of Repatriation   |

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| Brian Alfred Chatterton, M.L.C. | Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Fisheries, Minister of Forests (until 21 Apr. 1983) |
| Roy Kitto Abbott                | Minister of Transport, Minister of Marine  |
| John Robert Cornwall, M.L.C.    | Minister of Health   |
| Lynn Maurice Ferguson Arnold    | Minister of Education, Minister of Technology  |
| Gavin Francis Keneally          | Chief Secretary, Minister of Tourism   |
| Ronald George Payne             | Minister of Mines and Energy   |
| Gregory John Crafter            | Minister of Community Welfare, Minister of Aboriginal Affairs                            |
| John William Slater             | Minister of Water Resources, Minister of Recreation and Sport                            |
| Terence Henry Hemmings          | Minister of Housing, Minister of Local Government  |
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| Frank Trevor Blevins, M.L.C.    | Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Finance, Minister of Forests (from 27 Apr. 1983)    |

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA

## COURT MINISTRY (Liberal-National Country Coalition) No. 25

8 April 1974 (as of 1 January 1977) to 25 January 1982

- Sir Charles Walter Michael Court (L) Premier, Treasurer, Minister Co-ordinating Economic and Regional Development
- Desmond Henry O'Neil (L) Deputy Premier (until 5 Mar. 1980); Minister for Works, Minister for Water Supplies, Minister for the North-West (until 10 Mar. 1977); Chief Secretary, Minister for Police and Traffic, Minister for Regional Administration and the North-West (10 Mar. 1977 to 5 Mar. 1980)
- Richard Charles Old (NC) Minister for Agriculture
- Graham Charles MacKinnon, M.L.C. (L) Minister for Education, Minister for Cultural Affairs, Minister for Recreation (until 10 Mar. 1977); Minister for Tourism (10 May 1977 to 5 Mar. 1980); Minister for Fisheries and Wildlife, Minister for Conservation and the Environment (10 Mar. 1977 to 25 Aug. 1978); Minister for Works, Minister for Water Supplies (25 Aug. 1978 to 5 Mar. 1980)
- Neil McNeill, M.L.C. (L) Minister for Justice, Chief Secretary (until 10 Mar. 1977)
- Raymond James O'Connor (L) Minister for Transport, Minister for Police, Minister for Traffic (until 10 Mar. 1977); Minister for Works, Minister for Water Supplies, Minister for Housing (10 Mar. 1977 to 25 Aug. 1978); Minister for Labour and Industry, Minister for Consumer Affairs, Minister for Immigration (from 7 Aug. 1978); Minister for Fisheries and Wildlife, Minister for Conservation and the Environment (25 Aug. 1978 to 5 Mar. 1980); Deputy Premier (from 5 Mar. 1980); Minister for Regional Administration and the North-West, Minister for Tourism (5 Mar. 1980 to 12 Feb. 1981)
- William Leonard Grayden (L) Minister for Labour and Industry, Minister for Consumer Affairs, Minister for Immigration (until 21 July 1978); Minister for Education, Minister for Cultural Affairs, Minister for Recreation (from 5 Mar. 1980)
- Ian George Medcalf, M.L.C. (L) Attorney General, Minister for Federal Affairs
- Peter Vernon Jones (NC) Minister for Housing, Minister for Conservation and the Environment, Minister for Fisheries and Wildlife

- (until 10 Mar. 1977); Minister for Education, Minister for Cultural Affairs, Minister for Recreation (10 Mar. 1977 to 5 Mar. 1980); Minister for Resources Development. Minister for Mines, Minister for Fuel and Energy, Minister for Industrial Development and Commerce (from 5 Mar. 1980); Minister for Housing, Minister for Regional Administration and the North-West, Minister for Tourism (from 12 Feb. 1981)
- Andrew Mensaros (L) Minister for Industrial Development, Minister for Mines, Minister for Fuel and Energy (until 5 Mar. 1980); Minister for Works, Minister for Water Resources, Minister Assisting the Minister Co-ordinating Economic and Regional Development, Minister for Housing (from 5 Mar. 1980)
- Edgar Cyril Rushton (L) Minister for Local Government, Minister for Urban Development and Town Planning (until 25 Aug. 1978); Minister for Transport (from 25 Aug. 1978)
- Keith Alan Ridge (L) Minister for Lands, Minister for Forests, Minister for Tourism (until 10 Mar. 1977); Minister for Health, Minister for Community Welfare (10 Mar. 1977 to 8 Nov. 1977, and 23 Dec. 1977 to 25 Aug. 1978); Minister for Housing (25 Aug. 1958 to 5 Mar. 1980)
- Norman Eric Baxter, M.L.C. (NC) Minister for Health, Minister for Community Welfare (until 10 Mar. 1977)
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- David John Wordsworth, M.L.C. (L) Minister for Transport (10 Mar. 1977 to 25 Aug. 1978); Minister for Lands, Minister for Forests (from 25 Aug. 1978)
- Margaret June Craig (L) Minister for Lands, Minister for Forests (10 Mar. 1977 to 25 Aug. 1978); Minister for Local Government, Minister for Urban Development and Town Planning (from 25 Aug. 1978)
- Raymond Laurence Young (L) Minister for Health (from 25 Aug. 1978); Minister for Community Welfare (25 Aug. 1978 to 5 Mar. 1980)
- William Ralph Boucher Hassell (L) Chief Secretary, Minister for Police and Traffic, Minister for Community Welfare (from 5 Mar. 1980)
- Gordon Edgar Masters, M.L.C. (L) Minister for Fisheries and Wildlife, Minister for Conservation and the Environment (from 5 Mar. 1980)

- Ian James Laurance (L) Honorary Minister assisting the Ministers (the Minister from 12 Feb. 1981) in the Portfolios of Housing, Regional Administration and the North-West, and Tourism (from 5 Mar. 1980)
- Barry John MacKinnon (L) Honorary Minister assisting the Minister in the Portfolio of Industrial Development and Commerce (from 5 Mar. 1980)

## O'CONNOR MINISTRY (Liberal-National Country Coalition) No. 26

25 January 1982 to 25 February 1983

- Raymond James O'Connor (L) Premier, Treasurer, Minister Co-ordinating Economic and Regional Development
- Edgar Cyril Rushton (L) Deputy Premier, Minister for Transport, Minister for Emergency Services
- Richard Charles Old (NC) Minister for Primary Industry, Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Fisheries and Wildlife
- Ian George Medcalf, M.L.C. (L) Attorney-General, Minister for Federal Affairs; Minister for Police (from 30 Dec. 1982)
- Andrew Mensaros (L) Minister for Works, Minister for Water Resources, Minister for Education, Minister Assisting the Minister Co-ordinating Economic and Regional Development
- Peter Vernon Jones (NC) Minister for Resources Development, Minister for Mines, Minister for Fuel and Energy
- Raymond Laurence Young (L) Minister for Health, Minister for Community Welfare, Minister for Housing, Minister for Consumer Affairs
- William Ralph Boucher Hassell (L) Minister for Police and Prisons, Minister Assisting the Minister for Emergency Services (until 30 Dec. 1982); Minister for Employment (from 30 Dec. 1982)
- Gordon Edgar Masters, M.L.C. (L) Minister for Labour and Industry, Minister for Immigration
- Margaret June Craig (L) Minister for Local Government, Minister for Urban Development and Town Planning
- Ian James Laurance (L) Minister for Lands, Minister for Forests, Minister for Conservation and Environment
- Barry John MacKinnon (L) Minister for Industrial Development and Commerce, Minister for Regional Administration and the North West, Minister for Tourism
- Robert Gerald Pike, M.L.C. (L) Chief Secretary, Minister for Cultural Affairs, Minister for Recreation; Minister for Prisons (from 30 Dec. 1982)

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| James George Clarko (L)     | Honorary Minister Assisting the Minister in the Portfolio of Education  |
| Richard Steele Shalders (L) | Honorary Minister Assisting the Minister in the Portfolios of Community Welfare, Housing and Consumer Affairs |

BURKE MINISTRY (Labor) No. 27

from 25 February 1983

|                             |   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Brian Thomas Burke          | Premier and Cabinet, Treasurer, Minister Co-ordinating Economic and Social Development, Minister for Forests, Minister for Tourism, Minister for Women's Interests  |
| Malcolm John Bryce          | Deputy Premier, Minister for Economic Development, Minister for Technology; Minister for Defence Liaison (from 23 Dec. 1983)  |
| Desmond Keith Dans, M.L.C.  | Minister for Industrial Relations; Minister for Administrative Services (from 23 Dec. 1983)   |
| Joseph Max Berinson, MLL.C. | Attorney-General; Minister for Inter-Governmental Relations, Minister for Defence Liaison, Minister Assisting the Treasurer, Chief Secretary (until 23 Dec. 1983); Minister for Budget Management, Minister for Prisons (from 23 Dec. 1983) |
| Arthur Raymond Tonkin       | Minister for Water Resources, Minister for Parliamentary and Electoral Reform; Minister for Consumer Affairs (until 23 Dec. 1983)   |
| Jeffrey Phillip Carr        | Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for Local Government   |
| Ronald Davies               | Minister for the Environment, Minister for Multi-Cultural and Ethnic Affairs, Minister for the Arts   |
| Hywel David Evans           | Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Fisheries and Wildlife; Minister Assisting the Minister for Forests (from 23 Dec. 1983)  |
| Robert John Pearce          | Minister for Education  |
| Barry James Hodge           | Minister for Health   |
| Kenneth Finlay McIver       | Minister for Works, Minister for Lands and Surveys  |

David Charles Parker

Minister Assisting the Minister  
Co-ordinating Economic and Social  
Development; Minister for Employment,  
Minister for Planning, Minister for  
Administrative Services (until 23 Dec.  
1983); Minister for Minerals and  
Energy (from 23 Dec. 1983)

Julian Fletcher Grill

Minister for Transport, Minister for  
Regional Development and the North West,  
Minister with special responsibility  
for 'Bunbury 2000'

Keith James Wilson

Minister for Housing, Minister for Youth  
and Community Services with special  
responsibility for Aboriginal Affairs,  
Minister for Sport and Recreation

Peter M'Callum Dowding, M.L.C.

Minister for Mines, Minister for Fuel and  
Energy (until 23 Dec. 1983); Minister  
for Planning, Minister for Employment  
and Training, Minister for Consumer  
Affairs (from 23 Dec. 1983)

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## TASMANIA

## NEILSON MINISTRY (Labor) No. 42

31 March 1975 to 1 December 1977 (as of 1 January 1977)

|                               |  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| William Arthur Neilson        | Premier, Treasurer, Minister for Planning and Development                    |
| Douglas Ackley Lowe           | Deputy Premier, Minister for Industrial Relations and Health                 |
| Brian Kirkwall Miller, M.L.C. | Attorney-General, Minister for Police and Emergency Services                 |
| Neil Leonard Charles Batt     | Minister for Education, Recreation and the Arts                              |
| Michael Thomas Claude Barnard | Minister for Tourism and the Environment                                     |
| Geoffrey Donald Chisholm      | Minister for Resources and Energy  |
| Darrell John Baldock          | Minister for Main Roads, Transport and Local Government                      |
| Eric Walter Barnard           | Minister for Primary Industry  |
| Harold Norman Holgate         | Minister for Housing and Construction, Minister assisting the Deputy Premier |
| Michael Robert Polley         | Minister for Social Welfare and Child Care, Minister assisting the Premier   |

## LOWE MINISTRY (Labor) No. 43

1 December 1977 to 11 November 1981

|                               |  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Douglas Ackley Lowe           | Premier; Minister for Industrial Relations and Manpower Planning (until 7 Aug. 1979); Minister for Economic Planning and Development (7 Aug. 1979 to 29 Aug. 1980); Minister for Energy (16 Sept. 1980 to 7 July 1981); Minister for Finance, Minister for Forests (18 Dec. 1979 to 25 Feb. 1980); Treasurer (18 Dec. 1979 to 25 Feb. 1980 and from 7 Aug. 1980) |
| Neil Leonard Charles Batt     | Deputy Premier (until 18 Dec. 1979 and 25 Feb. to 29 Aug. 1980); Treasurer (until 18 Dec. 1979 and 25 Feb. to 7 Aug. 1980); Minister for Forests (7 Aug. to 18 Dec. 1979 and 25 Feb. to 7 Aug. 1980); Minister for Finance (7 Aug. to 18 Dec. 1979 and 25 Feb. to 29 Aug. 1980)  |
| Brian Kirkwall Miller, M.L.C. | Attorney-General; Minister for Consumer and Ethnic Affairs (until 29 Aug. 1980); Minister for Racing and Gaming and Licensing (7 Aug. 1979 to 29 Aug. 1980); Minister for Health Services, Minister for Immigration and Ethnic Affairs (from 29 Aug. 1980)   |

- Michael Thomas Claude Barnard Minister for Health, Minister for Tourism (until 29 Aug. 1980); Deputy Premier, Minister for Economic Planning and Development, Minister for Tourism and Licensing (from 29 Aug. 1980)
- Eric Walter Barnard Minister for Primary Industry, Minister for Police and Road Safety (until 7 Aug. 1979)
- Geoffrey Donald Chisholm Minister for Housing and Construction (until 7 Aug. 1979)
- Darrell John Baldock Minister for Main Roads and Transport, Minister for Municipal Planning (until 7 Aug. 1979); Minister for Housing, Minister for Mines (from 6 May 1980); Minister for Administrative Services (6 May to 29 Aug. 1980); Minister for Recreation (from 29 Aug. 1980)
- Harold Norman Holgate Minister for Education, Recreation and the Arts (until 29 Aug. 1980); Minister for Police and Emergency Services (from 7 Aug. 1979); Minister for Racing and Gaming (from 29 Aug. 1980); Minister for Education (29 Aug. 1980 to 7 July 1981); Minister for Local Government, Minister for the Environment, Minister for Water Resources (from 7 July 1981)
- Michael Robert Polley Minister for Community Welfare (until 14 Aug. 1978); Minister for National Parks and Wildlife (until 14 Aug. 1978 and 7 Aug. 1979 to 25 Feb. 1980); Minister for Community Welfare and Child Care (14 Aug. 1978 to 7 Aug. 1979); Minister for Mines (14 Aug. 1978 to 25 Feb. 1980); Minister for Lands (7 Aug. 1979 to 25 Feb. 1980)
- Andrew Barnard Keith Lohrey Minister for Resources and Energy (until 14 Aug. 1978); Minister for the Environment (until 7 Aug. 1979); Minister for National Parks and Wildlife (14 Aug. 1978 to 7 Aug. 1979 and 25 Feb. 1980 to 13 Oct. 1981); Minister for Water Resources (14 July 1978 to 7 Aug. 1979); Minister for Lands (25 Feb. 1980 to 13 Oct. 1981); Minister for Mines (25 Feb. to 6 May 1980); Minister for Community Welfare and Child Care, Minister for Handicapped Persons' Services (6 May 1980 to 13 Oct. 1981)
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- John Anthony Coughlan Minister for Housing and Construction, Minister for Community Welfare and Child Care (7 Aug. 1979 to 6 May 1980)

Terrence Gordon Aulich

Minister for Industrial Relations and Manpower Planning (from 7 Aug. 1979); Minister for Administrative Services (7 Aug. 1979 to 6 May 1980); Minister for Primary Industry, Minister for the Environment, Minister for Water Resources (18 Dec. 1979 to 25 Feb. 1980); Minister for Construction, Minister for the Arts (6 May 1980 to 7 July 1981); Minister for Education and the Arts (from 7 July 1981)

Michael Walter Field

Minister for Main Roads and Transport (from 7 Aug. 1979); Minister for Local Government (7 Aug. 1979 to 7 July 1981); Minister for Construction (from 7 July 1981)

Julian John Amos

Minister for Primary Industry (7 Aug. to 18 Dec. 1979 and from 25 Feb. 1980); Minister for the Environment, Minister for Water Resources (7 Aug. to 18 Dec. 1979 and 25 Feb. 1980 to 7 July 1981); Minister for Forests (from 7 Aug. 1980); Minister for Energy (from 7 July 1981)

Gillian Hilma James

Minister for Consumer Affairs, Minister for Administrative Services (from 29 Aug. 1980); Minister for Public Health (29 Aug. 1980 to 7 July 1981); Minister for Public and Mental Health (from 7 July 1981)

Godfrey Harry Adams

Minister for Lands, Minister for National Parks and Wildlife, Minister for Community Welfare and Child Care, Minister for Handicapped Persons' Services (from 13 Oct. 1981)

HOLGATE MINISTRY (Labor) No. 44

11 November 1981 to 27 May 1982

Harold Norman Holgate

Premier, Treasurer, Minister for Racing and Gaming

Michael Thomas Claude Barnard

Deputy Premier, Minister for Economic Planning and Development, Minister for Tourism and Licensing

Brian Kirkwall Miller, M.L.C.

Attorney-General, Minister for Health Services, Minister for Immigration and Ethnic Affairs

Terrence Gordon Aulich

Minister for Education and the Arts, Minister for Industrial Relations and Manpower Planning

Michael Walter Field

Minister for Main Roads and Transport, Minister for Construction

Julian John Amos

Minister for Energy, Minister for Forests, Minister for Primary Industry

Darrell John Baldock Minister for Housing, Minister for  
Mines, Minister for Recreation

Gillian Hilma James Minister for Public and Mental Health,  
Minister for Consumer Affairs, Minister  
for Administrative Services

Godfrey Harry Adams Minister for Lands, Minister for  
National Parks and Wildlife, Minister  
for Community Welfare and Child Care,  
Minister for Handicapped Persons'  
Services

Robert James Graham Minister for Police and Emergency  
Services, Minister for Local  
Government, Minister for the  
Environment, Minister for Water  
Resources

GRAY MINISTRY (Liberal) No. 45

from 27 May 1982

Robin Trevor Gray Premier (from 26 May 1982); Treasurer,  
Minister for Energy, Minister for  
Racing and Gaming

Eardley Max Bingham Deputy Premier, Attorney-General,  
Minister for Education, Minister for  
Industrial Relations; Minister for  
Police and Emergency Services (until  
24 Jan. 1983)

Geoffrey Allan Pearsall Minister for Tourism, Minister for  
National Parks and Recreational Lands,  
Minister for the Environment,  
Minister for Licensing; Minister for  
Housing (from 24 Jan. 1983)

Neil Maxwell Robson Minister for Industry and Small Business,  
Minister for Inland Fisheries

Thomas John Cleary Minister for Health, Minister for  
Community Welfare and the Elderly,  
Minister for Ethnic Affairs

Ian Maxwell Braid Minister for Construction, Minister for  
Main Roads, Minister for Local  
Government, Minister for Lands;  
Minister for Housing (until 24 Jan.  
1983)

Richard John Beswick Minister for Primary Industry, Minister  
for Forests, Minister for Sea  
Fisheries, Minister for Water  
Resources

Francis Roper Groom Minister for Mines, Minister for  
Transport, Minister for Administrative  
Services; Minister for Police and  
Emergency Services and Road Safety  
(from 24 Jan. 1983)

## THE COMMONWEALTH

The following by-elections were held after 18 May 1974

Bass won by Liberal 28 June 1975. Cunningham retained 15 October 1977.

The following Senate vacancies were filled after 18 May 1974.

Murphy (NSW) replaced by Bunton (Independent) 27 February 1975  
 Milliner (Qld) replaced by Field (Independent) 3 September 1975  
 Greenwood (Vic) replaced by Lewis (Liberal) 7 December 1976  
 Webster (Vic) replaced by Neal (National) 11 March 1980  
 Hall (SA) replaced by Haines (Democrat) 14 December 1977  
 Wriedt (Tas) replaced by Hearn (Labor) 15 October 1980

The 1977 Election

Polling date: 10 December

House of Representatives 124\*

| PARTIES                | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal                | 3,017,894 | 38.09                 | 107                | 67           |
| National Country       | 793,445   | 10.01                 | 30                 | 19           |
| Labor                  | 3,141,048 | 39.65                 | 124                | 38           |
| Democrat               | 743,365   | 9.38                  | 115                | 0            |
| Democratic Labor (Vic) | 113,271   | 1.43                  | 33                 | 0            |
| Progress               | 52,767    | 0.67                  | 44                 | 0            |
| Communist**            | 15,996    | 0.20                  | 8(9)               | 0            |
| Independents           | 45,064    | 0.57                  | 37(43)             | 0            |
| Valid vote             | 7,922,850 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote          | 204,912   | 2.52%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote             | 8,127,762 | 95.02                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment              | 8,553,780 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in forty-six electorates, changing results in four.

\* Including A.C.T. (two) and Northern Territory

\*\* Including two Socialist

Senate 34\*

| PARTIES                  | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National Country | 3,333,223 | 45.07                 | 22         | 18           |
| National Country (W.A.)  | 36,619    | 0.50                  | 3          | 0            |
| Labor                    | 2,718,876 | 36.76                 | 22         | 14           |
| Democrat                 | 823,550   | 11.13                 | 24         | 2            |

|                            |           |       |    |   |
|----------------------------|-----------|-------|----|---|
| Democratic Labor (Vic)     | 123,192   | 1.67  | 3  | 0 |
| Progress**                 | 88,203    | 1.19  | 14 | 0 |
| Socialist                  | 42,740    | 0.58  | 10 | 0 |
| Marijuana                  | 39,945    | 0.54  | 7  | 0 |
| Call to Australia (N.S.W.) | 49,395    | 0.67  | 3  | 0 |
| Australia                  | 8,283     | 0.11  | 8  | 0 |
| Independents               | 132,181   | 1.79  | 35 | 0 |
| Valid vote                 | 7,396,207 |       |    |   |
| Informal vote              | 731,555   | 9.00% |    |   |
| Total vote                 | 8,127,762 | 95.02 |    |   |
| Enrolment                  | 8,553,780 |       |    |   |

\* Including A.C.T. (two) and Northern Territory (two)

\*\* Including Workers (S.A.)

#### NEW SOUTH WALES

##### House of Representatives

| PARTIES          | VOTES     | %TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|-----------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal          | 1,018,257 | 35.93                | 35                 | 18           |
| National Country | 320,051   | 11.29                | 9                  | 8            |
| Labor            | 1,201,560 | 42.40                | 43                 | 17           |
| Democrat         | 239,808   | 8.46                 | 41                 | 0            |
| Progress         | 17,512    | 0.62                 | 16                 | 0            |
| Communist        | 9,691     | 0.34                 | 4                  | 0            |
| Socialist        | 1,898     | 0.07                 | 2                  | 0            |
| Independents     | 25,021    | 0.88                 | 17(19)             | 0            |
| Valid vote       | 2,833,785 |                      |                    |              |
| Informal vote    | 65,660    | 2.26%                |                    |              |
| Total vote       | 2,899,445 | 94.88                |                    |              |
| Enrolment        | 3,056,035 |                      |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in nine electorates, changing the result in one.

Seats won: 43

Liberal 18

Barton (P), Bennelong, Berowra, Bradfield, Cook, Dundas, Eden-Monaro, Farrer, Lowe, Macarthur (P), Mackellar, Macquarie (P), Mitchell, North Sydney, Phillip (P), St George (P), Warringah, Wentworth

National Country: 8

Calare (P, C), Cowper, Gwydir, Hume, Lyne, New England, Paterson, Richmond

Labor: 17

Banks (P), Blaxland, Chifley, Cunningham, Grayndler<sup>1</sup>, Hughes, Hunter, Kingsford-Smith, Newcastle, Parramatta, Prospect, Reid, Riverina (P) Robertson (P), Shortland, Sydney, Werriwa<sup>2</sup>

1 Retained 23 June 1979.

2 Retained 23 September 1978.

Senate

| PARTIES                      | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National Country (J) | 1,136,215 | 43.35                 | 3          | 2            |
| Labor (H)                    | 1,050,672 | 40.08                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (B)                 | 218,364   | 8.33                  | 5          | 1            |
| Progress (A)                 | 64,557    | 2.46                  | 3          | 0            |
| Call to Australia (F)        | 49,395    | 1.88                  | 3          | 0            |
| Marijuana (I)                | 22,879    | 0.87                  | 3          | 0            |
| Australia (D)                | 4,454     | 0.17                  | 3          | 0            |
| Socialist (Ung.)             | 5,437     | 0.21                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (C)             | 3,632     | 0.14                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (E)             | 7,235     | 0.28                  | 4          | 0            |
| Independents (G)             | 55,230    | 2.11                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (Ung.)          | 3,179     | 0.12                  | 2          | 0            |
| Valid vote                   | 2,621,249 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote                | 278,196   | 9.59%                 |            |              |
| Total vote                   | 2,899,445 | 94.88                 |            |              |
| Enrolment                    | 3,056,035 |                       |            |              |
| Senators elected:            | 5         |                       |            |              |
| <u>Liberal:</u>              |           |                       |            |              |
| Baume, Lajovic               | 2         |                       |            |              |
| <u>Labor:</u>                |           |                       |            |              |
| Mulvihill, Gietzelt          | 2         |                       |            |              |
| <u>Democrat:</u>             |           |                       |            |              |
| Mason                        | 1         |                       |            |              |

## VICTORIA

House of Representatives

| PARTIES          | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal          | 842,545   | 39.60                 | 32                 | 20           |
| National         | 120,032   | 5.64                  | 4                  | 3            |
| Labor            | 791,083   | 37.18                 | 33                 | 10           |
| Democrat         | 250,943   | 11.80                 | 32                 | 0            |
| Democratic Labor | 113,271   | 5.32                  | 33                 | 0            |
| Communist        | 1,537     | 0.07                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Independents     | 8,115     | 0.38                  | 8(11)              | 0            |
| Valid vote       | 2,127,526 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote    | 62,381    | 2.85%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote       | 2,189,907 | 95.62                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment        | 2,290,127 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in seventeen electorates, changing the result in one.

Seats won: 33

Liberal: 20

Balaclava, Ballarat (P), Bendigo (P), Bruce, Casey (P), Chisholm (P), Corangamite, Deakin (P), Diamond Valley (P), Flinders, Henty (P), Higgins, Holt (P), Hotham (P), Indi (P,C), Isaacs (P), Kooyong, LaTrobe (P), McMillan (P), Wannon

National: 3

Gippsland, Mallee (P), Murray

Labor: 10

Batman (P), Burke, Corio (P), Gellibrand, Lalor, Maribyrnong (P), Melbourne, Melbourne Ports, Scullin, Wills

Senate

| PARTIES              | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National (D) | 833,477 | 41.87                 | 3          | 2            |
| Labor (F)            | 680,673 | 34.20                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (C)         | 322,493 | 16.20                 | 5          | 1            |
| Democratic Labor (A) | 123,192 | 6.19                  | 3          | 0            |
| Marijuana (G)        | 14,773  | 0.74                  | 2          | 0            |
| Australia (H)        | 1,351   | 0.07                  | 3          | 0            |



|                     |           |       |   |   |
|---------------------|-----------|-------|---|---|
| Socialist (E)       | 3,593     | 0.18  | 3 | 0 |
| Independents (B)    | 4,286     | 0.22  | 3 | 0 |
| Independents (Ung.) | 6,598     | 0.33  | 4 | 0 |
| Valid vote          | 1,990,436 |       |   |   |
| Informal vote       | 199,471   | 9.11% |   |   |
| Total vote          | 2,189,907 | 95.62 |   |   |
| Enrolment           | 2,290,127 |       |   |   |
| Senators elected:   | 5         |       |   |   |
| <u>Liberal:</u>     | 2         |       |   |   |
| Missen, Hamer       |           |       |   |   |
| <u>Labor:</u>       | 2         |       |   |   |
| Evans, Button       |           |       |   |   |
| <u>Democrat:</u>    | 1         |       |   |   |
| Chipp               |           |       |   |   |

## QUEENSLAND

House of Representatives

| PARTIES       | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal       | 326,125   | 27.74                 | 12                 | 9            |
| National      | 305,276   | 25.97                 | 11                 | 7            |
| Labor         | 443,219   | 37.70                 | 19                 | 3            |
| Democrat      | 77,169    | 6.56                  | 16(17)             | 0            |
| Progress      | 16,389    | 1.39                  | 17                 | 0            |
| Independents  | 7,474     | 0.64                  | 7(8)               | 0            |
| Valid vote    | 1,175,662 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote | 18,213    | 1.53%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote    | 1,193,875 | 94.88                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment     | 1,258,258 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in seven electorates, changing results in two.

Seats won: 19

Liberal: 9

Bowman, Brisbane (P), Fadden (P,C), Herbert (P,C), Lilley (P), McPherson, Moreton, Petrie, Ryan

National: 7

Darling Downs, Dawson, Fisher, Kennedy, Leichhardt (P), Maranoa, Wide Bay

Labor 3

Capricornia (P), Griffith (P), Oxley

Senate

| PARTIES              | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National (B) | 564,190   | 51.34                 | 3          | 3            |
| Labor (E)            | 380,418   | 34.62                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (G)         | 98,165    | 8.93                  | 3          | 0            |
| Progress (F)         | 8,376     | 0.76                  | 4          | 0            |
| Socialist (A)        | 31,826    | 2.90                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independents (C)     | 6,674     | 0.61                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (D)     | 4,333     | 0.39                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independents (Ung.)  | 4,890     | 0.44                  | 2          | 0            |
| Valid vote           | 1,098,872 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote        | 95,003    | 7.96%                 |            |              |
| Total vote           | 1,193,875 | 94.88                 |            |              |
| Enrolment            | 1,258,258 |                       |            |              |
| Senators elected:    | 5         |                       |            |              |
| <u>Liberal:</u>      | 2         |                       |            |              |
| Martin, MacGibbon    |           |                       |            |              |
| <u>National:</u>     | 1         |                       |            |              |
| Collard              |           |                       |            |              |
| <u>Labor:</u>        | 2         |                       |            |              |
| Georges, Colston     |           |                       |            |              |

## SOUTH AUSTRALIA

House of Representatives

| PARTIES          | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal          | 340,383 | 44.95                 | 11                 | 5            |
| National Country | 6,065   | 0.80                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Labor            | 322,883 | 42.64                 | 11                 | 6            |
| Democrat         | 85,578  | 11.30                 | 11                 | 0            |
| Communist        | 1,575   | 0.21                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Independent      | 724     | 0.10                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Valid vote       | 757,208 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote    | 26,461  | 3.38%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote       | 783,669 | 95.09                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment        | 824,124 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in three electorates; no results were changed.

Seats won: 11

Liberal: 5

Barker, Boothby, Kingston (P), Sturt, Wakefield

Labor: 6

Adelaide, Bonython, Grey (P), Hawker (P), Hindmarsh, Port Adelaide

### Senate

| PARTIES            | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|--------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (A)        | 344,351 | 49.04                 | 3          | 3            |
| Labor (G)          | 258,643 | 36.83                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (C)       | 78,496  | 11.18                 | 3          | 0            |
| Workers (D)        | 3,033   | 0.43                  | 2          | 0            |
| Marijuana (Ung.)   | 4,331   | 0.62                  | 1          | 0            |
| Australia (B)      | 2,478   | 0.35                  | 2          | 0            |
| Socialist (E)      | 1,884   | 0.27                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (F)   | 5,255   | 0.75                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independent (Ung.) | 3,747   | 0.54                  | 1          | 0            |
| Valid vote         | 702,218 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote      | 81,451  | 10.39%                |            |              |
| Total vote         | 783,669 | 95.09                 |            |              |
| Enrolment          | 824,124 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 5

Liberal: 3

Messner, Young, Teague

Labor: 2

McLaren, Elstob

### WESTERN AUSTRALIA

#### House of Representatives

| PARTIES          | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal          | 307,699 | 48.68                 | 10                 | 9            |
| National Country | 25,559  | 4.04                  | 4                  | 0            |
| Labor            | 205,793 | 32.56                 | 10                 | 1            |
| Democrat         | 70,590  | 11.17                 | 10                 | 0            |

|               |         |       |    |   |
|---------------|---------|-------|----|---|
| Progress      | 17,879  | 2.81  | 10 | 0 |
| Communist     | 1,305   | 0.21  | 1  | 0 |
| Independents  | 3,199   | 0.51  | 2  | 0 |
| Valid vote    | 632,024 |       |    |   |
| Informal vote | 21,560  | 3.30% |    |   |
| Total vote    | 653,584 | 94.48 |    |   |
| Enrolment     | 691,797 |       |    |   |

Preferences were distributed in seven electorates; no results were changed.

Seats won: 10

Liberal: 9

Canning (P), Curtin, Forrest (P), Kalgoorlie (P), Moore (P), Perth, Stirling, Swan (P), Tangney (P)

Labor: 1

Fremantle (P)

#### Senate

| PARTIES              | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (C)          | 278,413 | 46.39                 | 3          | 3            |
| National Country (D) | 36,619  | 6.10                  | 3          | 0            |
| Labor (A)            | 196,781 | 32.79                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (F)         | 74,912  | 12.48                 | 3          | 0            |
| Progress (B)         | 10,412  | 1.73                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independents (E)     | 1,078   | 0.18                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (Ung.)  | 2,073   | 0.35                  | 2          | 0            |
| Valid vote           | 600,158 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote        | 53,426  | 8.17%                 |            |              |
| Total vote           | 653,584 | 94.48                 |            |              |
| Enrolment            | 691,797 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 5

Liberal: 3

Chaney, Thomas, Rocher

Labor: 2

Walsh, Coleman

## TASMANIA

House of Representatives

| PARTIES       | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|---------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal       | 134,685 | 54.57                 | 5                  | 5            |
| Labor         | 103,876 | 42.09                 | 5                  | 0            |
| Democrat      | 8,255   | 3.34                  | 3                  | 0            |
| Valid vote    | 246,816 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote | 6,582   | 2.60%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote    | 253,398 | 96.74                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment     | 261,940 |                       |                    |              |

No preferences were distributed.

Seats won: 5  
Liberal: 5  
 Bass, Braddon, Denison, Franklin, Wilmot.

Senate

| PARTIES          | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (A)      | 117,217 | 49.79                 | 3          | 3            |
| Labor (D)        | 88,722  | 37.69                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (B)     | 13,793  | 5.86                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (C) | 15,695  | 6.67                  | 2          | 0            |
| Valid vote       | 235,427 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote    | 17,971  | 7.09%                 |            |              |
| Total vote       | 253,398 | 96.74                 |            |              |
| Enrolment        | 261,940 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 5  
Liberal:  
 Walters, Archer, Watson  
Labor: 2  
 Grimes, Tate

## AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

House of Representatives

| PARTIES       | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|---------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal       | 48,190  | 41.87                 | 2                  | 1            |
| Labor         | 57,823  | 50.24                 | 2                  | 1            |
| Democrat      | 8,544   | 7.42                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Independent   | 534     | 0.46                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Valid vote    | 115,091 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote | 2,811   | 2.38%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote    | 117,902 | 92.69                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment     | 127,204 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in one electorate; the result was not changed.

Seats won: 2

Liberal: 1

Canberra (P)

Labor: 1

Fraser

Senate

| PARTIES          | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (C)      | 43,897  | 38.44                 | 2          | 1            |
| Labor (B)        | 49,374  | 43.23                 | 2          | 1            |
| Democrat (Ung.)  | 14,561  | 12.75                 | 1          | 0            |
| Marijuana (Ung.) | 2,293   | 2.01                  | 1          | 0            |
| Independents (A) | 4,075   | 3.57                  | 2          | 0            |
| Valid vote       | 114,200 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote    | 3,702   | 3.14%                 |            |              |
| Total vote       | 117,902 |                       |            |              |
| Enrolment        | 127,204 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 2

Liberal: 1

Knight

Labor: 1

Ryan

## NORTHERN TERRITORY

House of Representatives

| PARTIES         | VOTES  | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|-----------------|--------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Country Liberal | 16,462 | 47.39                 | 1                  | 1            |
| Labor           | 14,811 | 42.64                 | 1                  | 0            |
| Democrat        | 2,478  | 7.13                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Progress        | 987    | 2.84                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Valid vote      | 34,738 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote   | 1,244  | 3.46%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote      | 35,982 | 81.23                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment       | 44,295 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in the single electorate; the result was not changed.

Seats won: 1  
Country Liberal: 1  
 Northern Territory (P)

Senate

| PARTIES             | VOTES  | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|---------------------|--------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Country Liberal (B) | 15,463 | 45.96                 | 2          | 1            |
| Labor (D)           | 13,593 | 40.40                 | 2          | 1            |
| Democrat (C)        | 2,766  | 8.22                  | 2          | 0            |
| Progress (A)        | 1,825  | 5.42                  | 2          | 0            |
| Valid vote          | 33,647 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote       | 2,335  | 6.49%                 |            |              |
| Total vote          | 35,982 | 81.23                 |            |              |
| Enrolment           | 44,295 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 2  
Country Liberal: 1  
 Kilgariff  
Labor: 1  
 Robertson

The 1980 Election

Polling date: 18 October

House of Representatives 125\*

| PARTIES                 | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal                 | 3,108,517 | 37.43                 | 110                | 54           |
| National Country        | 745,068   | 8.97                  | 29(31)             | 20           |
| Labor                   | 3,749,605 | 45.15                 | 125                | 51           |
| Democrat                | 546,033   | 6.57                  | 121                | 0            |
| Progress                | 17,040    | 0.21                  | 17                 | 0            |
| Democratic Labor (Vic.) | 25,456    | 0.31                  | 12                 | 0            |
| Marxist                 | 35,990    | 0.43                  | 15(23)             | 0            |
| Independents            | 77,924    | 0.94                  | 47(63)             | 0            |
| Valid vote              | 8,305,633 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote           | 208,359   | 2.45%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote              | 8,513,992 | 94.44                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment               | 9,014,920 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in thirty-nine electorates, changing the results in six.

\* Including A.C.T. (two) and Northern Territory

Senate 34\*

| PARTIES                     | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National Country ** | 1,990,657 | 25.88                 | 8          | 5            |
| Liberal +                   | 1,011,289 | 13.15                 | 14         | 9            |
| National Country ++         | 350,575   | 4.56                  | 12         | 1            |
| Labor                       | 3,250,187 | 42.25                 | 22         | 15           |
| Democrat                    | 711,805   | 9.25                  | 22         | 3            |
| Australia                   | 27,404    | 0.36                  | 4          | 0            |
| Democratic Labor (Vic.)     | 31,766    | 0.41                  | 3          | 0            |
| Progress                    | 8,252     | 0.11                  | 7          | 0            |
| Progressive Conservative    | 6,247     | 0.08                  | 4          | 0            |
| Marijuana                   | 28,337    | 0.37                  | 3          | 0            |
| Socialist                   | 15,412    | 0.20                  | 13         | 0            |



|   |           |       |    |   |
|---|-----------|-------|----|---|
| Pensioners and unemployed               | 21,188    | 0.28  | 8  | 0 |
| Independents and other<br>minor parties | 107,440   | 1.40  | 48 | 1 |
| Valid vote                              | 7,692,364 |       |    |   |
| Informal vote                           | 821,628   | 9.65% |    |   |
| Total vote                              | 8,513,992 | 94.44 |    |   |
| Enrolment                               | 9,014,920 |       |    |   |

\* Including A.C.T. (two) and Northern Territory (two)

\*\* N.S.W., Vic., N.T.

+ Qld., S.A., W.A., Tas., A.C.T.

++ QLD., S.A., W.A. (including National Party of W.A.)

#### NEW SOUTH WALES

##### House of Representatives

| PARTIES          | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal          | 1,044,191 | 35.66                 | 36                 | 16           |
| National Country | 307,400   | 10.50                 | 9                  | 9            |
| Labor            | 1,357,556 | 46.36                 | 43                 | 18           |
| Democrat         | 166,144   | 5.67                  | 43                 | 0            |
| Progress         | 6,869     | 0.23                  | 7                  | 0            |
| Marxist*         | 27,748    | 0.95                  | 8(14)              | 0            |
| Independents     | 18,546    | 0.63                  | 13(15)             | 0            |
| Valid vote       | 2,928,454 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote    | 70,742    | 2.36%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote       | 2,999,196 | 94.22                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment        | 3,183,091 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in seven electorates, changing results in three.

\* Comprising four Communist Party of Australia, seven Socialist Labor League, one Socialist Party of Australia, two Socialist Workers Party

Seats won: 43

Liberal: 16

Barton (P,C), Bennelong, Berowra, Bradfield, Cook, Dundas, Eden-Monaro (P), Farrer, Lowe (P)<sup>1</sup>, Macarthur, Mackellar, Mitchell, North Sydney, Phillip (P), Warringah, Wentworth<sup>2</sup>

National Country: 9

Calare, Cowper, Gwydir, Hume, Lyne (P,C), New England, Paterson, Richmond, Riverina (P,C)

Labor: 18

Banks, Blaxland, Chifley, Cunningham, Grandler, Hugher, Hunter, Kingsford-Smith, Macquarie (P), Newcastle, Parramatta, Prospect, Reid, Robertson, Shortland, St George, Sydney, Werriwa

1 Won by Labor 13 March 1982

2 Retained 11 April 1981

Senate

| PARTIES  | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|--|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National Country (I)                     | 1,139,825 | 41.94                 | 3          | 2            |
| Labor (F)  | 1,215,796 | 44.73                 | 3          | 3            |
| Democrat (B)                                     | 187,507   | 6.90                  | 3          | 0            |
| Progress (H)                                     | 2,260     | 0.08                  | 2          | 0            |
| Call to Australia (A)                            | 118,535   | 4.36                  | 3          | 0            |
| Marijuana (D)                                    | 13,476    | 0.50                  | 2          | 0            |
| Socialist (G)                                    | 8,760     | 0.32                  | 4          | 0            |
| National Colonial (E)                            | 11,038    | 0.41                  | 2          | 0            |
| Pensioners, Unemployed and<br>Public Service (C) | 6,785     | 0.25                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independent (Ung.)                               | 13,876    | 0.51                  | 8          | 0            |
| Valid vote                                       | 2,717,858 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote                                    | 281,228   | 9.38%                 |            |              |
| Total vote                                       | 2,999,196 | 94.22                 |            |              |
| Enrolment  | 3,182,091 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 5

Liberal: 1

Carrick

National Country: 1

Scott

Labor: 3

McClelland, Childs, Sibraa

## VICTORIA

House of Representatives

| PARTIES          | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal          | 874,395   | 39.14                 | 32                 | 13           |
| National Country | 109,506   | 4.90                  | 4                  | 3            |
| Labor            | 1,016,617 | 45.51                 | 33                 | 17           |
| Democrat         | 183,212   | 8.20                  | 33                 | 0            |
| Democratic Labor | 25,456    | 1.14                  | 12                 | 0            |
| Marxist*         | 3,069     | 0.14                  | 2(4)               | 0            |
| Independents**   | 21,601    | 0.97                  | 16(23)             | 0            |
| Valid vote       | 2,233,856 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote    | 61,920    | 2.70%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote       | 2,295,776 | 95.13                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment        | 2,413,273 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in fifteen electorates, changing results in two.

\* Comprising two Communist Party of Australia, one Socialist Labor League, one Socialist Workers Party

\*\* Including two United Christian Party, two Imperial British Conservative Party, one Australia Party, and one Independent candidate who contested four electorates

Seats won: 33

Liberal: 13

Balaclava, Bendigo (P), Bruce (P), Casey (P), Chisholm (P), Corangamite, Deakin (P), Diamond Valley (P), Flinders<sup>1</sup>, Higgins, Indi (P), Kooyong, Wannon

National Country: 3

Gippsland, Mallee (P), Murray (P)

Labor: 17

Ballarat (P, C), Batman, Burke, Corio, Gellibrand, Henty (P), Holt, Hotham (P), Isaacs (P), Lalor, La Trobe (P), McMillan (P, C), Maribyrnong, Melbourne, Melbourne Ports, Scullin, Wills

1 Retained 4 December 1982

Senate

| PARTIES                          | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National Country (I)     | 831,703   | 40.78                 | 3          | 2            |
| Labor (H)                        | 877,468   | 43.02                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (G)                     | 231,113   | 11.33                 | 3          | 1            |
| Democratic Labor (E)             | 31,766    | 1.56                  | 3          | 0            |
| Marijuana (F)                    | 11,684    | 0.57                  | 2          | 0            |
| Socialist (C)                    | 2,791     | 0.14                  | 3          | 0            |
| Australia (A)                    | 25,734    | 1.26                  | 2          | 0            |
| Retired Persons Federation (B)   | 10,402    | 0.51                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independent (Small Business) (D) | 1,538     | 0.08                  | 2          | 0            |
| Australian Home Defence (D)      | 1,765     | 0.09                  | 2          | 0            |
| Christian Attention (Ung.)       | 9,081     | 0.45                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independents (Ung.)              | 4,671     | 0.23                  | 5          | 0            |
| Valid vote                       | 2,039,716 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote                    | 256,060   | 11.15%                |            |              |
| Total vote                       | 2,295,776 | 95.13                 |            |              |
| Enrolment                        | 2,413,273 |                       |            |              |
| Senators elected:                | 5         |                       |            |              |
| <u>Liberal:</u>                  | 2         |                       |            |              |
| Guilfoyle, Lewis                 |           |                       |            |              |
| <u>Labor:</u>                    | 2         |                       |            |              |
| Primmer, Ray                     |           |                       |            |              |
| <u>Democrat:</u>                 | 1         |                       |            |              |
| Siddons                          |           |                       |            |              |

## QUEENSLAND

House of Representatives

| PARTIES          | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal          | 342,154 | 27.31                 | 13                 | 7            |
| National Country | 273,668 | 21.84                 | 9                  | 7            |
| Labor            | 535,846 | 42.77                 | 19                 | 5            |
| Democrat         | 66,502  | 5.31                  | 18                 | 0            |
| Progress         | 10,171  | 0.81                  | 10                 | 0            |
| Independents     | 24,438  | 1.95                  | 7(9)               | 0            |

|               |           |       |
|---------------|-----------|-------|
| Valid vote    | 1,252,779 |       |
| Informal vote | 22,435    | 1.76% |
| Total vote    | 1,275,214 | 94.09 |
| Enrolment     | 1,355,374 |       |

Preferences were distributed in eight electorates: no results were changed.

Seats won 19

Liberal: 7

Bowman (P), Fadden (P), Herbert (P), McPherson (P)<sup>1</sup>, Moreton, Petrie (P), Ryan

National Country: 7

Darling Downs, Dawson, Fisher, Kennedy, Leichhardt (P), Maranoa, Wide Bay

Labor: 5

Brisbane (P), Capricornia (P), Griffith, Lilley (P), Oxley

1 Retained 21 February 1981

#### Senate

| PARTIES                                      | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|--|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (C)                                  | 266,407   | 23.02                 | 3          | 1            |
| National Country (D)                         | 309,622   | 26.75                 | 3          | 1            |
| Labor (H)                                    | 445,277   | 38.47                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (A)                                 | 115,429   | 9.97                  | 3          | 1            |
| Progress (B)                                 | 3,399     | 0.29                  | 2          | 0            |
| Socialist (G)                                | 2,514     | 0.22                  | 3          | 0            |
| National Front (E)                           | 1,467     | 0.13                  | 2          | 0            |
| Party to Expose the Petrov<br>Conspiracy (E) | 2,102     | 0.18                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independents (E)                             | 3,535     | 0.13                  | 4          | 0            |
| Independents (G)                             | 3,256     | 0.28                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (Ung.)                          | 4,322     | 0.37                  | 5          | 0            |
| Valid vote                                   | 1,157,330 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote                                | 117,884   | 9.24%                 |            |              |
| Total vote                                   | 1,275,214 | 94.09                 |            |              |
| Enrolment                                    | 1,355,374 |                       |            |              |

|                          |   |
|--------------------------|---|
| Senators elected:        | 5 |
| <u>Liberal:</u>          | 1 |
| Bonner                   |   |
| <u>National Country:</u> | 1 |
| Bjelke-Petersen          |   |
| <u>Labor:</u>            | 2 |
| Keefe, Jones             |   |
| <u>Democrat:</u>         | 1 |
| Macklin                  |   |

## SOUTH AUSTRALIA

House of Representatives

| PARTIES          | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS     | SEATS |
|------------------|---------|-----------------------|-----------|-------|
|                  |         |                       | CONTESTED | WON   |
| Liberal          | 348,981 | 44.50                 | 11        | 5     |
| National Country | 10,937  | 1.39                  | 3 (4)     | 0     |
| Labor            | 348,649 | 44.46                 | 11        | 6     |
| Democrat         | 68,857  | 8.78                  | 11        | 0     |
| Marxist*         | 3,508   | 0.45                  | 3         | 0     |
| Independents**   | 3,272   | 0.42                  | 4         | 0     |
| Valid vote       | 784,204 |                       |           |       |
| Informal vote    | 22,491  | 2.79%                 |           |       |
| Total vote       | 906,695 | 94.98                 |           |       |
| Enrolment        | 849,302 |                       |           |       |

Preferences were distributed in two electorates: no results were changed

\* Comprising one Communist Party of Australia, one Socialist Labor League, one Socialist Workers Party

\*\* Including three Progressive Conservative Party

Seats won: 11

Liberal: 5

Barker, Boothby<sup>1</sup>, Kingston (P), Sturt, Wakefield

Labor: 6

Adelaide, Bonython, Grey, Hawker (P), Hindmarsh, Port Adelaide

1 Retained 21 February 1981

Senate

| PARTIES                      | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (H)                  | 319,088 | 43.33                 | 3          | 2            |
| National Country (F)         | 7,419   | 1.01                  | 3          | 0            |
| Labor (D)                    | 300,420 | 40.80                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (A)                 | 96,662  | 13.13                 | 3          | 1            |
| Marijuana (C)                | 2,373   | 0.32                  | 2          | 0            |
| Socialist (I)                | 1,347   | 0.18                  | 3          | 0            |
| Australia (B)                | 1,670   | 0.23                  | 2          | 0            |
| Concerned Christians (E)     | 4,189   | 0.57                  | 3          | 0            |
| Progressive Conservative (G) | 1,248   | 0.17                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (Ung.)          | 1,920   | 0.26                  | 3          | 0            |
| Valid vote                   | 736,336 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote                | 70,359  | 8.72%                 |            |              |
| Total vote                   | 806,695 | 94.98                 |            |              |
| Enrolment                    | 849,302 |                       |            |              |
| Senators elected:            | 5       |                       |            |              |
| <u>Liberal:</u>              | 2       |                       |            |              |
| Jessop, Hill                 |         |                       |            |              |
| <u>Labor:</u>                | 2       |                       |            |              |
| Foreman, Bolkus              |         |                       |            |              |
| <u>Democrat:</u>             | 1       |                       |            |              |
| Haines                       |         |                       |            |              |

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA

House of Representatives

| PARTIES           | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|-------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal           | 317,636 | 46.63                 | 11                 | 8            |
| National Country* | 24,752  | 3.63                  | 3(4)               | 0            |
| Labor             | 286,259 | 42.03                 | 11                 | 3            |
| Democrat          | 48,076  | 7.06                  | 11                 | 0            |
| Marxist**         | 1,665   | 0.24                  | 2                  | 0            |
| Independent***    | 2,748   | 0.40                  | 3                  | 0            |

|               |         |       |
|---------------|---------|-------|
| Valid vote    | 681,136 |       |
| Informal vote | 18,821  | 2.69% |
| Total vote    | 699,957 | 93.42 |
| Enrolment     | 749,286 |       |

Preferences were distributed in six electorates, changing the result in one.

\* Including one National Party of Western Australia

\*\* Comprising one Socialist Labor League, one Socialist Workers Party

\*\*\* Including one Progressive Conservative Party

Seats won 11

Liberal: 8

Canning (P), Curtin,<sup>1</sup> Forrest, Moore (P), O'Connor (P), Perth (P),  
Stirling (P), Tangey

Labor: 3

Fremantle, Kalgoorlie (P, C), Swan

1 Retained 21 February 1981

#### Senate

| PARTIES                      | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (C)                  | 283,429 | 44.95                 | 3          | 3            |
| National Country (A)         | 24,937  | 4.11                  | 3          | 0            |
| National Party of W.A. (E)   | 7,597   | 1.20                  | 3          | 0            |
| Labor (G)                    | 244,729 | 38.81                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (F)                 | 58,538  | 9.28                  | 3          | 0            |
| Progress (B)                 | 2,593   | 0.41                  | 3          | 0            |
| Progressive Conservative (H) | 4,999   | 0.79                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (D)             | 1,570   | 0.25                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independent (Ung.)           | 1,112   | 0.18                  | 1          | 0            |
| Valid vote                   | 630,504 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote                | 69,453  | 9.92%                 |            |              |
| Total vote                   | 699,957 | 93.42                 |            |              |
| Enrolment                    | 749,286 |                       |            |              |



Senators elected: 5  
Liberal: 3  
 Withers, Durack, Crichton-Browne  
Labor: 2  
 McIntosh, Giles

## TASMANIA

House of Representatives

| PARTIES       | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|---------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal       | 133,144 | 51.90                 | 5                  | 5            |
| Labor         | 118,336 | 46.13                 | 5                  | 0            |
| Democrat      | 3,732   | 1.45                  | 2                  | 0            |
| Independents  | 1,310   | 0.51                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Valid vote    | 256,522 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote | 6,967   | 2.64%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote    | 263,489 | 96.35                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment     | 273,477 |                       |                    |              |

No preferences were distributed.

Seats won: 5  
Liberal: 5  
 Bass, Braddon, Denison, Franklin, Wilmot

Senate

| PARTIES             | VOTES  | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|---------------------|--------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (A)         | 96,098 | 39.41                 | 3          | 2            |
| Labor (D)           | 86,833 | 35.63                 | 3          | 2            |
| Democrat (C)        | 7,780  | 3.19                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independent (B)     | 52,247 | 21.43                 | 2          | 1            |
| Independents (Ung.) | 880    | 0.36                  | 2          | 0            |

|               |         |       |
|---------------|---------|-------|
| Valid vote    | 243,835 |       |
| Informal vote | 19,651  | 7.46% |
| Total vote    | 263,489 | 96.35 |
| Enrolment     | 273,477 |       |

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| Senators elected:   | 5 |
| <u>Liberal:</u>     | 2 |
| Rae, Townley        |   |
| <u>Labor:</u>       | 2 |
| Hearn, Coates       |   |
| <u>Independent:</u> | 1 |
| Harradine           |   |

#### AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

##### House of Representatives

| PARTIES       | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|---------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal       | 48,016  | 38.26                 | 2                  | 0            |
| Labor         | 68,916  | 54.91                 | 2                  | 2            |
| Democrat      | 7,001   | 5.58                  | 2                  | 0            |
| Independent*  | 1,577   | 1.26                  | 2(3)               | 0            |
| Valid vote    | 125,510 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote | 2,752   | 2.15%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote    | 128,262 | 94.34                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment     | 135,957 |                       |                    |              |

No preferences were distributed

\* Including one candidate who contested both electorates

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| Seats won:       | 2 |
| <u>Labor:</u>    | 2 |
| Canberra, Fraser |   |

Senate

| PARTIES            | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|--------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (C)        | 46,267  | 37.10                 | 2          | 1            |
| Labor (A)          | 63,280  | 50.74                 | 2          | 1            |
| Democrat (B)       | 10,663  | 8.55                  | 2          | 0            |
| Jobless Action (D) | 4,001   | 3.21                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independent (Ung.) | 493     | 0.40                  | 1          | 0            |
| Valid vote         | 124,704 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote      | 3,558   | 2.77%                 |            |              |
| Total vote         | 128,957 | 94.34                 |            |              |
| Enrolment          | 135,957 |                       |            |              |
| Senators elected:  | 2       |                       |            |              |
| <u>Liberal:</u>    | 1       |                       |            |              |
| Knight             |         |                       |            |              |
| <u>Labor:</u>      | 1       |                       |            |              |
| Ryan               |         |                       |            |              |

## NORTHERN TERRITORY

House of Representatives

| PARTIES          | VOTES  | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|--------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| National Country | 18,805 | 43.56                 | 1                  | 1            |
| Labor            | 17,426 | 40.36                 | 1                  | 0            |
| Democrat         | 2,509  | 5.81                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Independents*    | 4,432  | 10.27                 | 1(5)               | 0            |
| Valid vote       | 43,172 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote    | 2,231  | 4.91%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote       | 45,403 | 82.31                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment        | 55,160 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in the single electorate: the result was not changed.

\* Including one Marijuana Party, one Christian Democratic Party

Seats won: 1  
National Country: 1  
 Northern Territory (P)

Senate

| PARTIES                      | VOTES  | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------------------|--------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National Country (E) | 19,129 | 45.46                 | 2          | 1            |
| Labor (D)                    | 16,384 | 38.94                 | 2          | 1            |
| Democrat (B)                 | 4,113  | 9.77                  | 2          | 0            |
| Marijuana (C)                | 804    | 1.91                  | 2          | 0            |
| Christian Democrat (A)       | 1,648  | 3.92                  | 2          | 0            |
| Valid vote                   | 42,078 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote                | 3,325  | 7.32%                 |            |              |
| Total vote                   | 45,403 | 82.31                 |            |              |
| Enrolment                    | 55,160 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 2

Liberal: 1

Kilgariff

Labor: 1

Robertson

The 1983 Election

Polling date : 5 March

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| PARTIES                             | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal                             | 2,983,986 | 34.36                 | 110                | 33           |
| National                            | 799,602   | 9.21                  | 31 (32)            | 17           |
| National Party of Western Australia | 3,686     | 0.04                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Labor                               | 4,297,392 | 49.48                 | 125                | 75           |
| Democrat                            | 437,265   | 5.03                  | 119                | 0            |
| Democratic Labor (Vic.)             | 10,417    | 0.12                  | 8                  | 0            |
| Progress                            | 6,652     | 0.08                  | 11                 | 0            |
| Marxist                             | 62,970    | 0.72                  | 40 (52)            | 0            |
| Socialist Workers                   | 46,080    | 0.53                  | 38                 | 0            |
| Communist                           | 6,398     | 0.07                  | 5                  | 0            |
| Socialist Labor League              | 6,327     | 0.07                  | 6                  | 0            |
| Socialist                           | 4,165     | 0.05                  | 3                  | 0            |
| Independents                        | 82,893    | 0.95                  | 43 (59)            | 0            |

|               |           |       |
|---------------|-----------|-------|
| Valid vote    | 8,684,863 |       |
| Informal vote | 185,312   | 2.09% |
| Total vote    | 8,870,175 | 94.64 |
| Enrolment     | 9,372,064 |       |

Preferences were distributed in twenty-three electorates, changing results in three.

\* Including ACT (two) and Northern Territory

| <u>Senate</u>                        | 64*       |                       |            |              |  |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|--|
| PARTIES                              | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |  |
| Liberal-National**                   | 1,883,024 | 23.55                 | 14         | 9            |  |
| Liberal+                             | 923,571   | 11.55                 | 24         | 16           |  |
| National++                           | 388,802   | 4.86                  | 13         | 3            |  |
| Labor                                | 3,637,316 | 45.49                 | 40         | 30           |  |
| Democrat                             | 764,911   | 9.57                  | 31         | 5            |  |
| Progress                             | 12,982    | 0.16                  | 7          | 0            |  |
| Marxist                              | 16,072    | 0.20                  | 17         | 0            |  |
| Call to Australia-Democratic Labor   | 143,271   | 1.79                  | 10         | 0            |  |
| Social Democrat                      | 2,354     | 0.03                  | 9          | 0            |  |
| Integrity Team                       | 13,013    | 0.16                  | 17         | 0            |  |
| Independents and other minor parties | 212,233   | 2.65                  | 66         | 1            |  |
| Valid vote                           | 7,995,045 |                       |            |              |  |
| Informal vote                        | 875,130   | 9.87%                 |            |              |  |
| Total vote                           | 8,870,175 | 94.64                 |            |              |  |
| Enrolment                            | 9,372,064 |                       |            |              |  |

\* Including ACT (two) and Northern Territory (two)

\*\* NSW, Vic., NT

+ Qld., SA, WA, Tas., ACT

++ Qld., SA, WA (National Country and National Party of WA)

#### NEW SOUTH WALES

#### House of Representatives

|          | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal  | 951,810   | 31.55                 | 34                 | 11           |
| National | 330,657   | 10.96                 | 9                  | 8            |
| Labor    | 1,512,012 | 50.12                 | 43                 | 24           |
| Democrat | 144,633   | 4.80                  | 40                 | 0            |
| Progress | 3,732     | 0.12                  | 7                  | 0            |

|                        |           |       |         |   |
|------------------------|-----------|-------|---------|---|
| Marxist                | 33,107    | 1.10  | 16 (24) | 0 |
| Socialist Workers      | 20,843    | 0.69  | 16      | 0 |
| Communist              | 5,510     | 0.18  | 4       | 0 |
| Socialist Labor League | 3,320     | 0.11  | 3       | 0 |
| Socialist              | 3,434     | 0.11  | 1       | 0 |
| Independents*          | 40,631    | 1.35  | 14 (26) | 0 |
| Valid vote             | 3,016,582 |       |         |   |
| Informal vote          | 66,473    | 2.16% |         |   |
| Total Vote             | 3,083,055 | 94.91 |         |   |
| Enrolment              | 3,247,827 |       |         |   |

Preferences were distributed in eight electorates, changing the result in one.

\* Including one Independent - Anti Franklin Dam, one True Independent, one Green Party of Australia, one Engineered Australia Plan Party

Seats won: 43

Liberal: 11

Bennelong, Berowra, Bradfield, Cook (P, C), Dundas, Farrer, Mackellar, Mitchell North Sydney, Warringah, Wentworth

National: 8

Cowper (P), Gwydir, Hume, Lyne, New England (F), Paterson, Richmond, Riverina (P)

Labor: 24

Banks, Barton (P), Blaxland, Calare, Chifley, Cunningham, Eden-Monaro (P), Grayndler, Hughes, Hunter, Kingsford-Smith, Lowe, Macarthur (P), Macquarie, Newcastle, Parramatta, Phillip (P), Prospect, Reid, Robertson, St George, Shortland, Sydney, Werriwa

Senate

| PARTIES                       | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National (D)          | 1,045,502 | 38.14                 | 6          | 4            |
| Labor (I)                     | 1,298,672 | 47.37                 | 6          | 5            |
| Democrat (Q)                  | 235,712   | 8.60                  | 6          | 1            |
| Progress (F)                  | 1,905     | 0.07                  | 3          | 0            |
| Call to Australia (B)         | 96,065    | 3.50                  | 6          | 0            |
| Socialist Workers (H)         | 1,694     | 0.06                  | 2          | 0            |
| Socialist (J)                 | 3,656     | 0.13                  | 3          | 0            |
| Social Democrat (O)           | 1,089     | 0.04                  | 3          | 0            |
| Integrity Team (K)            | 1,492     | 0.05                  | 3          | 0            |
| Engineered Australia Plan (C) | 2,434     | 0.09                  | 3          | 0            |

|  |           |        |   |   |
|--|-----------|--------|---|---|
| Peace on Earth (E)                               | 2,502     | 0.09   | 3 | 0 |
| New (G)  | 956       | 0.03   | 2 | 0 |
| New Australian (L)                               | 391       | 0.01   | 2 | 0 |
| Australia First (M)                              | 326       | 0.01   | 2 | 0 |
| Australian Republicans (N)                       | 582       | 0.02   | 2 | 0 |
| White Australia (P)                              | 1,025     | 0.04   | 2 | 0 |
| Independent (A)                                  | 32,385    | 1.18   | 2 | 0 |
| Independent (Ung.)                               | 14,880    | 0.54   | 7 | 0 |
| Valid vote                                       | 2,741,268 |        |   |   |
| Informal vote                                    | 341,787   | 11.09% |   |   |
| Total vote                                       | 3,083,055 | 94.93  |   |   |
| Enrolment  | 3,247,827 |        |   |   |
| Senators elected:                                | 10        |        |   |   |
| <u>Liberal:</u>                                  | 3         |        |   |   |
| Carrick, Baume, Lajovic                          |           |        |   |   |
| <u>National:</u>                                 | 1         |        |   |   |
| Scott  |           |        |   |   |
| <u>Labor:</u>                                    | 5         |        |   |   |
| McClelland, Gietzelt, Richardson, Sibraa, Childs |           |        |   |   |
| <u>Democrat:</u>                                 | 1         |        |   |   |
| Mason  |           |        |   |   |

## VICTORIA

House of Representatives

| PARTIES                | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal                | 869,542   | 37.14                 | 33                 | 7            |
| National               | 114,065   | 4.87                  | 5                  | 3            |
| Labor                  | 1,182,118 | 50.50                 | 33                 | 23           |
| Democrat               | 133,183   | 5.69                  | 32                 | 0            |
| Democratic Labor       | 10,417    | 0.44                  | 8                  | 0            |
| Marxist                | 13,143    | 0.56                  | 9 (10)             | 0            |
| Socialist Workers      | 11,586    | 0.49                  | 9                  | 0            |
| Socialist Labor League | 1,287     | 0.05                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Independents*          | 18,753    | 0.80                  | 15 (18)            | 0            |

|               |           |       |
|---------------|-----------|-------|
| Valid vote    | 2,340,951 |       |
| Informal vote | 52,780    | 2.20% |
| Total vote    | 2,393,731 | 95.93 |
| Enrolment     | 2,495,392 |       |

Preferences were distributed in ten electorates, changing the result in one.

\* Including four Imperial British Conservative Party, two Australian Christian, one Conservative Nationalist Party, one Australian Constitutionalist, one Australian National Party, one Australia Party.

Seats won: 33

Liberal: 7

Balaclava, Bruce (P)<sup>1</sup>, Corangamite, Higgins, Indi (P), Kooyong, Wannon<sup>2</sup>

National: 3

Gippsland (P, C), Mallee, Murray

Labor: 23

Ballarat, Batman, Bendigo (P), Burke, Casey (P), Chisholm (P), Corio, Deakin (P), Diamond Valley (P), Flinders (F), Gellibrand, Henty, Holt, Hotham, Isaacs, Lalor, LaTrobe, McMillan (P), Maribyrnong, Melbourne, Melbourne Ports, Scullin, Wills

1 Retained 28 May 1983

2 Retained 7 May 1983

#### Senate

| PARTIES                                     | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|---|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National (G)                        | 816,116 | 38.17                 | 6          | 4            |
| Labor (D)                                   | 994,471 | 46.52                 | 6          | 5            |
| Democrat (I)                                | 256,402 | 12.00                 | 4          | 1            |
| Progress (K)                                | 290     | 0.01                  | 2          | 0            |
| Call to Australia - Democratic<br>Labor (A) | 47,206  | 2.21                  | 4          | 0            |
| Socialist Workers (H)                       | 877     | 0.04                  | 2          | 0            |
| Socialist (E)                               | 1,142   | 0.05                  | 2          | 0            |
| Social Democrat (L)                         | 366     | 0.02                  | 2          | 0            |
| Integrity Team (B)                          | 3,753   | 0.18                  | 5          | 0            |
| Advance Victoria (C)                        | 1,346   | 0.06                  | 4          | 0            |
| Proud to be Australian (F)                  | 625     | 0.03                  | 2          | 0            |
| Pensioner (J)                               | 2,755   | 0.13                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independents (Ung.)                         | 12,585  | 0.59                  | 8          | 0            |



|               |           |        |
|---------------|-----------|--------|
| Valid vote    | 2,137,934 |        |
| Informal vote | 255,797   | 10.69% |
| Total vote    | 2,393,731 | 95.93  |
| Enrolment     | 2,495,392 |        |

|                                       |    |
|---------------------------------------|----|
| Senators elected:                     | 10 |
| <u>Liberal:</u>                       | 4  |
| Guilfoyle, Lewis, Missen, Hamer       |    |
| <u>Labor:</u>                         | 5  |
| Button, Evans, Primmer, Ray, Zakharov |    |
| Democrat:                             | 1  |
| Chipp                                 |    |

## QUEENSLAND

House of Representatives

| PARTIES                | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal                | 328,530   | 24.40                 | 13                 | 3            |
| National               | 319,647   | 23.74                 | 12 (13)            | 6            |
| Labor                  | 621,146   | 46.13                 | 19                 | 10           |
| Democrat               | 62,637    | 4.65                  | 18                 | 0            |
| Progress               | 2,920     | 0.22                  | 4                  | 0            |
| Marxist                | 5,046     | 0.37                  | 6 (7)              |              |
| Socialist Workers      | 3,565     | 0.26                  | 4                  | 0            |
| Socialist Labor League | 750       | 0.06                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Socialist              | 731       | 0.05                  | 2                  | 0            |
| Independents           | 6,463     | 0.48                  | 5 (7)              | 0            |
| Valid vote             | 1,346,389 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote          | 17,790    | 1.30%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote             | 1,364,179 | 92.65                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment              | 1,472,462 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in seven electorates; no results were changed

|   |    |
|---|----|
| Seats won:  | 19 |
| <u>Liberal:</u>   | 3  |
| McPherson (P), Moreton (P) <sup>1</sup> , Ryan                    |    |
| <u>National:</u>  | 6  |
| Darling Downs, Dawson, Fisher (P), Kennedy, Maranoa, Wide Bay (P) |    |

Labor: 10

Bowman (P), Brisbane, Capricornia, Fadden (P), Griffith, Herbert, Leichhardt, Lilley, Oxley, Petrie (P)

1 Retained 5 November 1983

Senate

| PARTIES                                      | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|--|-----------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (G)                                  | 187,495   | 15.03                 | 4          | 2            |
| National (F)                                 | 363,462   | 29.14                 | 4          | 3            |
| Labor (K)                                    | 493,424   | 39.56                 | 6          | 4            |
| Democrat (B)                                 | 98,997    | 7.94                  | 5          | 1            |
| Progress (A)                                 | 10,787    | 0.86                  | 2          | 0            |
| Socialist Workers (H)                        | 534       | 0.04                  | 2          | 0            |
| Integrity Team (D)                           | 1,963     | 0.16                  | 3          | 0            |
| Party to Expose the Petrov<br>Conspiracy (C) | 775       | 0.06                  | 2          | 0            |
| National Humanitarian (E)                    | 569       | 0.05                  | 2          | 0            |
| Christian Voice (J)                          | 3,113     | 0.25                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independent (I)                              | 83,602    | 6.70                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independent (Ung.)                           | 2,600     | 0.21                  | 7          | 0            |
| Valid vote                                   | 1,247,321 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote                                | 116,858   | 8.57%                 |            |              |
| Total vote                                   | 1,364,179 | 92.65                 |            |              |
| Enrolment                                    | 1,472,462 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 10

Liberal: 2

Martin Macgibbon

National: 3

Bjelke-Petersen, Collard, Boswell

Labor: 4

Georges, Colston, Jones, Reynolds

Democrat: 1

Macklin

## SOUTH AUSTRALIA

House of Representatives

| PARTIES           | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|-------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal           | 342,821 | 42.10                 | 11                 | 4            |
| National          | 8,762   | 1.08                  | 3                  | 0            |
| Labor             | 393,971 | 48.38                 | 11                 | 7            |
| Democrat          | 56,510  | 6.94                  | 11                 | 0            |
| Marxist           | 8,073   | 0.99                  | 4 (5)              | 0            |
| Socialist Workers | 7,185   | 0.88                  | 4                  | 0            |
| Communist         | 888     | 0.11                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Independents*     | 4,182   | 0.51                  | 2 (3)              | 0            |
| Valid vote        | 814,319 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote     | 22,830  | 2.67%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote        | 836,699 | 95.03                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment         | 880,455 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in two electorates; no results were changed

\* Including one Libertarian

Seats won: 11

Liberal: 4

Barker, Boothby, Sturt (P), Wakefield

Labor: 7

Adelaide, Bonython, Grey, Hawker, Hindmarsh, Kingston (P), Port Adelaide

Senate

| PARTIES               | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|-----------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (D)           | 308,138 | 40.37                 | 6          | 4            |
| National (A)          | 13,757  | 1.80                  | 3          | 0            |
| Labor (I)             | 340,089 | 44.55                 | 6          | 5            |
| Democrat (C)          | 92,585  | 12.13                 | 6          | 1            |
| Socialist Workers (E) | 795     | 0.10                  | 2          | 0            |
| Socialist (H)         | 864     | 0.11                  | 2          | 0            |
| Communist (F)         | 1,058   | 0.14                  | 2          | 0            |
| Social Democrat (G)   | 301     | 0.04                  | 2          | 0            |
| Integrity Team (B)    | 4,026   | 0.53                  | 4          | 0            |
| Independents (ung.)   | 1,736   | 0.23                  | 2          | 0            |

|               |         |       |
|---------------|---------|-------|
| Valid vote    | 763,349 |       |
| Informal vote | 73,350  | 8.77% |
| Total vote    | 836,699 | 95.03 |
| Enrolment     | 880,455 |       |

Senators elected: 10

Liberal: 4

Messner, Hill, Jessop, Teague

Labor: 5

Elstob, Foreman, Bolkus, Maguire, Crowley

Democrat: 1

Haines

#### WESTERN AUSTRALIA

##### House of Representatives

|                                     | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal                             | 304,677 | 41.82                 | 11                 | 3            |
| National                            | 5,999   | 0.82                  | 1                  | 0            |
| National Party of Western Australia | 3,686   | 0.51                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Labor                               | 378,545 | 51.95                 | 11                 | 8            |
| Democrat                            | 29,273  | 4.02                  | 11                 | 0            |
| Marxist                             | 3,187   | 0.44                  | 3 (4)              | 0            |
| Socialist Workers                   | 2,217   | 0.30                  | 3                  | 0            |
| Socialist Labor League              | 970     | 0.13                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Independents                        | 3,263   | 0.45                  | 2                  | 0            |
| Valid vote                          | 728,630 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote                       | 14,685  | 1.98%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote                          | 743,315 | 93.03                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment                           | 798,973 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in three electorates; no results were changed

Seats won: 11

Liberal: 3

Curtin, Forrest (P), O'Connor (P)

Labor:

Canning, Fremantle, Kalgoorlie, Moore, Perth, Stirling, Swan, Tangney (P)

Senate

| PARTIES  | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|--|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (E)  | 280,878 | 41.00                 | 6          | 4            |
| National Country (D)                                 | 7,689   | 1.12                  | 3          | 0            |
| National Party of Western Australia<br>Australia (B) | 3,894   | 0.57                  | 3          | 0            |
| Labor (F)  | 337,417 | 49.25                 | 6          | 5            |
| Democrat (C)   | 46,626  | 6.81                  | 4          | 1            |
| Socialist Workers (A)                                | 5,452   | 0.80                  | 2          | 0            |
| Social Democrat (G)                                  | 598     | 0.09                  | 2          | 0            |
| Integrity Team (H)                                   | 1,779   | 0.26                  | 2          | 0            |
| Independents (I)                                     | 725     | 0.11                  | 2          | 0            |
| Valid vote   | 685,058 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote  | 58,257  | 7.84%                 |            |              |
| Total vote   | 743,315 | 93.03                 |            |              |
| Enrolment  | 798,973 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 10

Liberal: 4

Chaney, Durack, Crichton-Brown, Withers

Labor: 5

Walsh, Coleman, McIntosh, Giles, Cook

Democrat: 1

Evans

## TASMANIA

House of Representatives

| PARTIES           | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|-------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal           | 145,393 | 54.91                 | 5                  | 5            |
| Labor             | 106,647 | 40.28                 | 5                  | 0            |
| Democrat          | 9,458   | 3.57                  | 5                  | 0            |
| Socialist Workers | 684     | 0.26                  | 2                  | 0            |
| Independents      | 2,586   | 0.98                  | 2                  | 0            |

|               |         |       |
|---------------|---------|-------|
| Valid vote    | 264,768 |       |
| Informal vote | 6,232   | 2.30% |
| Total vote    | 271,000 | 96.02 |
| Enrolment     | 282,230 |       |

No preferences were distributed.

Seats won: 5

Liberal: 5

Bass, Braddon, Denison, Franklin, Wilmot

Senate

| PARTIES          | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (A)      | 106,768 | 42.55                 | 6          | 5            |
| Labor (C)        | 82,343  | 32.82                 | 6          | 4            |
| Democrat (B)     | 17,089  | 6.81                  | 3          | 0            |
| Independents (D) | 44,696  | 17.81                 | 2          | ;            |
| Valid vote       | 250,896 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote    | 20,104  | 7.42%                 |            |              |
| Total vote       | 271,000 | 96.02                 |            |              |
| Enrolment        | 282,230 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 10

Liberal: 5

Rae, Walters, Archer, Townley, Watson

Labor: 4

Grimes, Tate, Hearn, Coates

Independent: 1

Harradine

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

House of Representatives

|               | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|---------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal       | 41,213  | 32.04                 | 2                  | 0            |
| Labor         | 82,189  | 63.90                 | 2                  | 2            |
| Independents* | 5,229   | 4.07                  | 2 (3)              | 0            |
| Valid vote    | 128,361 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote | 2,913   | 2.21%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote    | 131,533 | 95.73                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment     | 137,405 |                       |                    |              |

No preferences were distributed

\* Including two Deadly Serious Party.

Seats won: 2

Labor: 2

Canberra, Fraser

Senate

| PARTIES            | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|--------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal (B)        | 40,292  | 31.66                 | 2          | 1            |
| Labor (A)          | 70,433  | 55.35                 | 2          | 1            |
| Democrat (C)       | 15,141  | 11.90                 | 2          | 0            |
| Deadly Serious (D) | 1,380   | 1.08                  | 2          | 0            |
| Valid vote         | 127,246 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote      | 4,287   | 3.26%                 |            |              |
| Total vote         | 131,533 | 95.73                 |            |              |
| Enrolment          | 137,405 |                       |            |              |
| Senators elected:  | 2       |                       |            |              |
| <u>Liberal</u> :   | 1       |                       |            |              |
| Reid               |         |                       |            |              |
| <u>Labor</u> :     | 1       |                       |            |              |
| Ryan               |         |                       |            |              |

NORTHERN TERRITORY

House of Representatives

| PARTIES       | VOTES  | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|---------------|--------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| National*     | 20,472 | 45.93                 | 1                  | 0            |
| Labor         | 20,753 | 46.56                 | 1                  | 1            |
| Democrat      | 1,571  | 3.52                  | 1                  | 0            |
| Independents  | 1,774  | 3.98                  | 1 (3)              | 0            |
| Valid vote    | 44,570 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote | 2,053  | 4.40%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote    | 46,663 | 81.41                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment     | 57,320 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed; the result was not changed.

\* Country Liberal

Seats won: 1

Labor: 1

Northern Territory

Senate

| PARTIES              | VOTES  | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | CANDIDATES | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|--------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| Liberal-National (A) | 21,406 | 48.13                 | 2          | 1            |
| Labor (B)            | 20,467 | 46.02                 | 2          | 1            |
| Democrat (Ung.)      | 2,359  | 5.30                  | 1          | 0            |
| Independent (Ung.)   | 245    | 0.55                  | 1          | 0            |
| Valid vote           | 44,477 |                       |            |              |
| Informal vote        | 2,186  | 4.68%                 |            |              |
| Total vote           | 46,663 | 81.41                 |            |              |
| Enrolment            | 57,320 |                       |            |              |

Senators elected: 2

Liberal: 1

Kilgariff

Labor: 1

Robertson

NEW SOUTH WALES

The following by-election was held after 1 January 1977

Earlwood won by Labor 15 July 1978,

The 1978 Election

Polling date 7 October

| PARTIES              | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Labor                | 1,615,949 | 57.77                 | 98(99)             | 63           |
| Liberal              | 754,796   | 26.98                 | 78                 | 18           |
| Country              | 276,984   | 9.90                  | 25(26)             | 17           |
| Australian Democrats | 74,019    | 2.65                  | 46                 | 0            |
| Communist*           | 8,472     | 0.30                  | 6                  | 0            |
| Socialist Workers    | 4,467     | 0.16                  | 4                  | 0            |
| Independents**       | 62,655    | 2.24                  | 21(23)             | 1            |
| Valid vote           | 2,797,342 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote        | 65,274    | 2.28%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 2,862,616 | 92.77                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 3,085,661 |                       |                    |              |



Preferences were distributed in ten electorates, changing results in two.

\* Including one Socialist

\*\* Including one Independent Labor, one Independent Liberal, one Marijuana Party, one Truckers Against Government Group

Seats won: 99

Labor: 63

Albury (P), Armidale (P), Ashfield, Auburn, Balmain, Bankstown<sup>1</sup>, Bass Hill, Blacktown, Blue Mountains, Broken Hill, Burrinjuck, Burwood (P), Campbelltown, Canterbury, Casino, Castlereagh, Cessnock<sup>2</sup>, Charlestown, Coogee, Corrimal, Cronulla, Drummoyne, Earlwood, East Hills, Fairfield, Fuller, Georges River, Gosford, Granville, Heathcote, Heffron, Hurstville, Illawarra, Kogarah, Lake Macquarie, Lakemba, Liverpool, Manly, Maroubra, Marrickville, Merrylands, Miranda, Monaro, Mount Druitt, Munmorah, Murrumbidgee, Nepean, Newcastle, Parramatta, Peats, Penrith, Phillip, Rockdale, Wakehurst, Wallsend, Waratah, Waverley, Wentworthville, Willoughby (P, C), Wollondilly (P, C), Wollongong, Woronora, Yaralla

Liberal 18

Bligh, Davidson, Dubbo, Eastwood, Eastwood, Gordon, Hawkesbury, Hornsby, Kirribilli, Ku-ring-gai<sup>1</sup>, Lane Cove, Maitland<sup>2</sup>, Mosman, Murray (P)<sup>3</sup>, Northcott, Pittwater (P), The Hills, Vacluse (P), Wagga Wagga

Country: 17

Barwon, Bathurst, Burrendong, Byron, Clarence, Gloucester, Goulburn (P), Lismore, Orange, Oxley<sup>2</sup>, Raleigh, Sturt<sup>2</sup>, Tamworth (P), Temora, Tenterfield, Upper Hunter, Young

Independent: 1

South Coast

1 Retained 13 September 1980

2 Retained 21 February 1981

3 Won by Country Party 13 September 1980

#### The 1981 Election

Polling date: 19 September

| PARTIES              | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Labor                | 1,564,622 | 55.73                 | 98                 | 69           |
| Liberal              | 775,463   | 27.62                 | 78                 | 14           |
| National Country     | 314,841   | 11.21                 | 21                 | 14           |
| Australian Democrats | 68,252    | 2.43                  | 41                 | 0            |
| Communist            | 6,150     | 0.22                  | 4                  | 0            |
| Independents         | 78,399    | 2.79                  | 27 (36)            | 1 +1         |

|               |                    |           |
|---------------|--------------------|-----------|
| Valid vote    | 2,807,727          |           |
| Informal vote | 89,306             | 3.08%     |
| Total vote    | 2,897,033          | 91.15     |
| Enrolment     | 3,178,225 (34,432) | 3,212,657 |

Preferences were distributed in seven electorates, changing results in two.

Seats won: 99

Labor: 69

Albury, Ashfield, Auburn, Balmain, Bankstown, Bass Hill, Bathurst, Blacktown, Bligh (P), Blue Mountains, Broken Hill, Burrinjuck, Burwood, Cabramatta, Camden (P), Campbelltown, Canterbury, Cessnock, Charlestown, Clarence, Coogee, Corrimal, Cronulla, Drummoyne, Earlwood, East Hills, Elizabeth, Fairfield, Georges River, Gladesville, Gosford, Granville, Heathcote, Heffron, Hurstville, Illawarra, Ingleburn, Kiama, Kogarah, Lake Macquarie, Lakemba, Liverpool, Maitland, Manly (P), Maroubra, Marrickville, Merrylands, Miranda, Monaro, Murrumbidgee, Newcastle, Northern Tablelands, Parramatta, Peats, Penrith, Riverstone, Rockdale, Ryde, St Marys, Seven Hills, Swansea, Tuggerah, Wakehurst, Wallsend, Waratah, Waverley, Wentworthville, Wollongong (P), Woronora

Liberal: 14

Davidson, Eastwood, Gordon, Hawkesbury, Hornsby, Ku-ring-gai, Lane Cove, Mosman, Northcott, Pittwater, The Hills, Vaucluse, Wagga Wagga, Willoughby (P)

National Country: 14

Barwon, Byron, Castlereagh, Coffs Harbour, Dubbo (P, C), Gloucester, Goulburn, Lachlan, Lismore, Murray, Orange, Oxley, Tamworth, Upper Hunter

Independents: 2

North Shore (P, C), *South Coast*

1 Retained 22 October 1983  
VICTORIA

The following by-elections were held after 19 May 1973

Greensborough retained 13 October 1973. Brunswick East retained 12 April 1975.  
Greensborough won by Labor 5 November 1977. Melbourne retained 17 December 1977. Richmond retained 17 December 1977.

#### The 1979 election

Polling date: 5 May

| PARTIES              | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal              | 881,366 | 41.44                 | 81                 | 41           |
| National             | 119,385 | 5.61                  | 18                 | 8            |
| Labor                | 962,123 | 45.23                 | 81                 | 32           |
| Australian Democrats | 114,053 | 5.36                  | 48                 | 0            |
| Democratic Labor     | 10,907  | 0.51                  | 9                  | 0            |
| Australia            | 5,222   | 0.25                  | 11                 | 0            |
| Communist*           | 3,863   | 0.18                  | 4                  | 0            |
| Independents**       | 30,102  | 1.42                  | 15(16)             | 0            |

|               |           |       |
|---------------|-----------|-------|
| Valid vote    | 2,127,021 |       |
| Informal vote | 66,016    | 3.01% |
| Total vote    | 2,193,037 | 93.30 |
| Enrolment     | 2,350,407 |       |

Preferences were distributed in thirty-three electorates, changing results in two.

\* Including two Socialist Workers Party

\*\* Including two Independent Liberals, one Independent Labor

Seats won: 81

Liberal: 41

Ballarat North, Ballarat South (P), Balwyn, Benambra, Bendigo (P), Bennettswood, Berwick, Box Hill (P), Brighton, Burwood, Caulfield (P), Doncaster, Dromana (P), Evelyn (P), Forest Hill, Frankston, Geelong West (P), Gisborne, Hawthorn, Ivanhoe (P), Kew<sup>1</sup>, Malvern, Mentone, Midlands (P), Mitcham (P), Monbulk (P), Narracan (P), Noble Park, Polwarth, Portland (P), Ringwood (P), Ripon (P), St Kilda (P), Sandringham (P), South Barwon, Swan Hill, Sydal (P), Wantirna, Warrandyte (P), Warrnambool, Westernport (P)

National: 8

Benalla (P), Gippsland East (P), Gippsland South (P, C), Lowan (P, C), Mildura, Murray Valley (P), Rodney, Shepparton

Labor: 32

Albert Park, Ascot Vale, Bentleigh, Broadmeadows, Brunswick, Bundoora, Carrum, Coburg (P), Dandenong, Essendon, Footscray, Geelong East (P), Geelong North, Glenhuntly (P), Glenroy, Greensborough (P), Heatherton (P), Keilor, Knox, Melbourne, Morwell<sup>2</sup>, Niddrie, Northcote, Oakleigh (P), Prahran (P), Preston, Reservoir, Richmond, Springvale (P), Sunshine, Werribee, Williamstown

1 Retained 15 August 1981

2 Retained 27 June 1981

#### The 1982 Election

Polling date: 3 April

| PARTIES              | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal              | 860,002   | 38.32                 | 80                 | 24           |
| National             | 111,571   | 4.97                  | 13                 | 8            |
| Labor                | 1,122,646 | 50.02                 | 81                 | 49           |
| Australian Democrats | 122,528   | 5.46                  | 65                 | 0            |
| Democratic Labor     | 7,636     | 0.34                  | 9                  | 0            |
| Marxist              | 674       | 0.03                  | 2                  | 0            |
| Australia            | 319       | 0.01                  | 2                  | 0            |
| Independents         | 19,164    | 0.85                  | 14 (19)            | 0            |

|               |           |       |
|---------------|-----------|-------|
| Valid vote    | 2,244,450 |       |
| Informal vote | 60,325    | 2.62% |
| Total vote    | 2,304,775 | 93.93 |
| Enrolment     | 2,453,642 |       |

Preferences were distributed in twenty-six electorates, changing results in six.

Seats won: 81

Liberal: 24

Ballarat North, Balwyn, Benambra, Berwick, Brighton, Burwood, Caulfield, Doncaster, Forest Hill (P), Gisborne (P), Hawthorn (P), Kew, Malvern<sup>1</sup>, Mentone, Midlands (P, C), Narracan (P, C), Polwarth, Portland, Ripon, South Barwon (P), Swan Hill<sup>2</sup>, Wantirna (P), Warrnambool<sup>3</sup>, Westernport (P)

National: 8

Benalla (P), Gippsland East (P), Gippsland South (P, C), Lowan, Mildura, Murray Valley, Rodney, Shepparton (P)

Labor: 49

Albert Park, Ascot Vale, Ballarat South (P), Bendigo (P), Bennettswood (P, C), Bentleigh, Box Hill (P), Broadmeadows, Brunswick, Bundoora, Carrum, Coburg, Dandenong, Dromana (P, C), Essendon, Evelyn (P), Footscray, Frankston (P, C), Geelong East, Geelong North, Geelong West (P), Glenhuntly, Glenroy, Greensborough, Heatherton, Ivanhoe (P), Keilor, Knox, Melbourne, Mitcham, Monbulk (P), Morwell, Niddrie, Noble Park, Northcote, Oakleigh, Prahran, Preston, Reservoir, Richmond, Ringwood (P), St Kilda, Sandringham (P), Springvale<sup>4</sup> Sunshine, Syndal (P), Warrandyte (P), Werribee, Williamstown

1 Retained 4 December 1982.

2 Won by National Party 7 May 1983.

3 Retained 7 May 1983.

4 Retained 19 March 1983

## QUEENSLAND

The following by-elections were held after 1 January 1975:

Clayfield retained 29 May 1976.

Port Curtis retained 29 May 1976.

Lockyer retained 16 October 1976.

## The 1977 Election

Polling date: 12 November

| PARTIES              | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| National             | 295,355   | 27.15                 | 54(56)             | 35           |
| Liberal              | 274,398   | 25.22                 | 51                 | 24           |
| Labor                | 466,021   | 42.83                 | 82(84)             | 23           |
| Australian Democrats | 17,571    | 1.61                  | 12                 | 0            |
| Progress             | 16,327    | 1.50                  | 27                 | 0            |
| Independents*        | 18,339    | 1.69                  | 16(19)             | 0            |
| Valid vote           | 1,088,011 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote        | 16,887    | 1.53%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 1,104,898 | 91.35                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 1,209,494 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in twenty-three electorates, changing results in eight.

\* Including one Independent National, four Independent Democrats, two Australian Advancement Party, two North Queensland State Party, one Socialist

Seats won: 82

National: 35

Albert, Auburn, Balonne, Barambah, Barron River, Burdekin, Burnett, Caboolture, Callide, Carnarvon, Condamine, Cooroora, Cunningham, Fassifern, Flinders, Gregory, Gympie<sup>1</sup>, Hinchinbrook, Isis (P), Landsborough, Mirani, Mt Isa (P, C), Mourilyan (P, C), Mulgrave, Peak Downs, Redcliffe (P, C),<sup>2</sup> Redlands (P), Roma, Somerset, South Coast, Toowoomba South (P), Townsville West (P, C), Warrego, Warwick, Whitsunday

Liberal: 24

Ashgrove, Aspley, Greenslopes (P), Ipswich, Ithaca, Kurilpa (P), Lockyer, Mansfield, Merthyr, Mt Coot-tha, Mt Gravatt (P, C), Nundah, Pine Rivers (P), Salisbury, Sherwood<sup>3</sup>, Southport (P, C), Stafford, Surfers Paradise (P, C), Toowong (P), Toowoomba North (P), Townsville, Wavell (P, C), Windsor, Yeronga

Labor: 23

Archerfield, Brisbane Central, Bulimba, Bundaberg (P), Cairns, Chatsworth, Cook (P), Everton (P), Ipswich West, Lytton, Mackay, Maryborough, Murrumba (P), Nudgee, Port Curtis, Rockhampton, Rockhampton North, Sandgate, South Brisbane, Townsville South (P), Wolston, Woodridge (P), Wynnum (P)

1 Retained 1 September 1979.

2 Won by Liberal 1 September 1979.

3 Retained 25 November 1978,

The 1980 Election

Polling Date: 29 November

| PARTIES              | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| National             | 328,262   | 27.94                 | 56(58)             | 35           |
| Liberal              | 316,272   | 26.92                 | 64(66)             | 22           |
| Labor                | 487,493   | 41.49                 | 82(82)             | 25           |
| Australian Democrats | 16,222    | 1.38                  | 15(16)             | 0            |
| Progress             | 4,384     | 0.37                  | 11                 | 0            |
| Communist*           | 1,372     | 0.12                  | 5                  | 0            |
| Independents**       | 20,880    | 1.78                  | 21(32)             | 0            |
| Valid vote           | 1,174,885 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote        | 18,008    | 1.50%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 1,192,893 | 88.93                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 1,341,365 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in twenty-three electorates, changing results in six.

\* Comprising two Communist Party, two Socialist Party, one International Socialist

\*\* Including two Coalitionist, two Independent Labor, one Independent National, one Independent Liberal, one Australian Pensioners Party, one National Front

Seats won: 82

National: 35

Albert (P), Auburn, Balonne, Barambah, Barron River (P), Burdekin, Burnett, Caboolture (P), Callide, Carnarvon, Condamine, Cooroora, Cunningham, Fassifern (P), Flinders, Gregory, Gympie, Hinchinbrook (P), Isis, Landsborough, Lockyer (P, C), Mirani (P, C), Mt Isa (P, C), Mulgrave (P), Peak Downs, Redlands (P), Roma, Somerset, South Coast (P), Southport (P, C), Surfers Paradise (P), Toowoomba South (P), Warrego, Warwick, Whitsunday

Liberal: 22

Ashgrove (P), Aspley (P, C), Greenslopes, Ipswich, Ithaca, Kurilpa, Mansfield, Merthyr, Mt Coot-tha, Mt Gravatt, Nundah, Pine Rivers, Redcliffe, Salisbury (P), Sherwood, Stafford, Toowong (P), Toowoomba North, Townsville (P, C), Wavell, Windsor, Yeronga

Labor: 25

Archerfield, Brisbane Central, Bulimba, Bundaberg, Cairns, Chatsworth, Cook, Everton (P), Ipswich West, Lytton, Mackay, Maryborough (P), Mourilyan, Murrumba, Nudgee, Port Curtis, Rockhampton, Rockhampton North, Sandgate, South Brisbane, Townsville South (P), Townsville West, Wolston, Woodridge (P), Wynnum

## SOUTH AUSTRALIA

The 1977 Election

Polling date: 17 September

| PARTIES              | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Labor                | 383,831 | 51.64                 | 47(48)             | 27           |
| Liberal              | 306,356 | 41.21                 | 47                 | 17           |
| Australian Democrats | 25,855  | 3.48                  | 12                 | 1            |
| National Country     | 11,855  | 1.59                  | 3                  | 1            |
| Unendorsed Liberal   | 10,793  | 1.45                  | 2                  | 1            |
| Workers              | 1,730   | 0.23                  | 4                  | 0            |
| Independents*        | 2,914   | 0.39                  | 6                  | 0            |
| Valid vote           | 743,334 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote        | 20,743  | 2.71%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 764,077 | 93.37                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 818,341 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in five electorates, changing results in three.

\* Including one Communist, one Socialist

Seats won 47

Labor: 27

Adelaide, Albert Park, Ascot Park, Baudin, Brighton, Elizabeth, Florey, Gilles, Hartley, Henly Beach, Mawson, Mitchell, Morphett (P), Napier, Newland, Norwood<sup>1</sup>, Peake, Playford, Price, Ross Smith, Salisbury, Semaphore, Spence, Stuart, Todd, Unley, Whyalla

Liberal: 17

Alexandra, Bragg, Chaffey, Coles, Davenport. Eyre, Fisher, Glenelg, Hanson, Kavel, Light, Mallee, Mt Gambier, Murray (P, C), Rocky River (P), Torrens, Victoria

Australian Democrats: 1

Mitcham (P, C)

National Country: 1

Flinders

Unendorsed Liberal: 1

Goyder (P, C)

<sup>1</sup>Retained 10 March 1979.

The 1979 Election

Polling date: 15 September

| PARTIES              | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Labor                | 300,277 | 40.86                 | 47                 | 19           |
| Liberal              | 352,343 | 47.94                 | 47                 | 25           |
| Australian Democrats | 60,979  | 8.30                  | 36                 | 1            |
| National Country     | 14,013  | 1.91                  | 3                  | 1            |
| Independents*        | 7,364   | 1.00                  | 6                  | 1            |
| Valid vote           | 734,966 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote        | 34,114  | 4.44%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 769,080 | 93.04                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 826,586 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in seventeen electorates, changing results in two.

\* Including two Australia Party, one Marijuana Party

Seats won: 47

Labor: 19

Adelaide, Albert Park (P), Ascot Park (P), Baudin (P), Elizabeth, Florey (P), Gilles (P), Hartley, Mitchell (P), Napier, Peake, Playford (P), Price, Ross Smith, Salisbury, Spence, Stuart, Unley (P), Whyalla

Liberal: 25

Alexandra, Bragg, Brighton (P), Chaffey, Coles, Davenport, Eyre, Fisher, Glenelg, Goyder, Hanson, Henley Beach (P), Kavel, Light, Mallee (P), Mawson (P), Morphett, Mt Gambier, Murray, Newland, Norwood (P, C)<sup>1</sup>, Rocky River (P), Todd (P), Torrens, Victoria

Australian Democrats: 1

Mitcham (P)<sup>2</sup>

National Country: 1

Flinders

Independent: 1

Semaphore (P, C)

1 Won by Labor 16 February 1980.

2 Retained 8 May 1982.



The 1982 Election

Polling date: 6 November

| PARTIES              | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal              | 326,372 | 42.67                 | 47                 | 21           |
| Labor                | 353,999 | 46.28                 | 47                 | 24           |
| Australian Democrats | 54,457  | 7.12                  | 43                 | 0            |
| National Country     | 17,782  | 2.32                  | 9                  | 1            |
| Independents         | 12,252  | 1.60                  | 2                  | 1            |
| Valid vote           | 764,862 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote        | 46,921  | 5.78%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 811,783 | 93.18                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 871,235 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in five electorates; no results were changed.

Seats won: 47

Liberal: 21

Alexandra, Bragg, Chaffey, Coles (P), Davenport, Eyre, Fisher, Glenelg, Goyder, Hanson, Kavel, Light, Mitcham, Mallee, Morphett (P), Mt Gambier, Murray, Rocky River, Todd (P), Torrens, Victoria

Labor: 24

Adelaide, Albert Park, Ascot Vale, Baudin, Brighton (P), Elizabeth, Florey, Gilles, Hartley, Henley Beach, Mawson, Mitchell, Napier, Newland, Norwood, Peake, Playford, Price, Ross Smith, Salisbury, Spence, Stuart, Unley, Whyalla (P)

National Country: 1

Flinders

Independent: 1

Semaphore

1 Retained 14 May 1983.

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA

The following by-election was held after 1 January 1975.

Greenough retained 1 November 1975.

The 1977 Election

Polling date: 19 February

| PARTIES          | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal          | 287,651 | 49.35                 | 55                 | 27           |
| National Country | 30,784  | 5.28                  | 7                  | 6            |
| Labor            | 257,730 | 44.22                 | 52                 | 22           |
| Progress         | 2,640   | 0.45                  | 5                  | 0            |
| Independents*    | 4,022   | 0.69                  | 8(10)              | 0            |
| Valid vote       | 582,827 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote    | 19,148  | 3.18%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote       | 601,975 | 90.78                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment        | 633,113 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in four electorates; no results were changed.

\* Including one Secessionist, one Australia Party

Seats won: 55

Liberal: 27

Albany, Bunbury, Clontarf, Cottesloe, Dale, Darling Range, East Melville, Floreat, Gascoyne, Greenough, Kalamunda, Karrinyup, Kimberley (P)<sup>1</sup>, Mt Lawley, Mundaring (P), Murchison-Eyre, Murdoch, Murray, Nedlands, Pilbara, Roe, Scarborough, South Perth, Subiaco, Vasse, Wellington, Whitford

National Country: 6

Katanning, Merredin, Moore (P), Mt Marshall, Narrogin, Stirling

Labor: 22

Ascot, Avon, Balcatta, Canning, Cockburn, Collie, Dianella, Fremantle, Geraldton, Gosnells (P), Kalgoorlie, Maylands, Melville, Morley, Mt Hawthorn, Perth, Rockingham, Swan, Victoria Park, Warren, Welshpool, Yilgarn-Dundas

<sup>1</sup> Retained 17 December 1977.

The 1980 Election

Polling date: 23 February

| PARTIES              | VOTES            | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal              | 257,218          | 43.75                 | 52                 | 25 +1        |
| National Country     | 25,260           | 4.30                  | 11                 | 3            |
| National             | 17,411           | 2.96                  | 8                  | 3            |
| Labor                | 270,165          | 45.95                 | 50                 | 22 +1        |
| Australian Democrats | 11,513           | 1.96                  | 10                 | 0            |
| Progress             | 1,041            | 0.18                  | 3                  | 0            |
| Independents*        | 5,361            | 0.91                  | 9(11)              | 0            |
| Valid vote           | 587,969          |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote        | 21,449           | 3.52%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 609,418          | 88.44                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 689,066 (25,658) | 714,724               |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in seven electorates; no results were changed

\* Including two Independent Labor, one Socialist Labour League, one Communist Party, one Socialist Workers Party

Seats won: 55

Liberal: 25 +1

Albany, Bunbury (P), Clontarf, Cottesloe, Dale, Darling Range, East Melville, Floreat, Gascoyne, Greenough, Kalamunda, Karrinyup, Mt Lawley, Mundaring (P), Murchison-Eyre (P), Murdoch (P), Murray, Nedlands<sup>1</sup>, Pilbara (P), Roe (P), Scarborough, South Perth, Subiaco, Vasse, Wellington, Whitford

National Country: 3

Katanning, Moore (P), Narrogin

National:

Merredin, Mt Marshall, Stirling

Labor: 22 + 1

Ascot, Avon, Balcatta, Canning, Cockburn, Collie, Dianella, Fremantle, Geraldton, Gosnells, Kalgoorlie<sup>2</sup>, Kimberley, Maylands, Melville, Morley, Mt Hawthorn, Perth, Rockingham, Swan<sup>1</sup>, Victoria Park, Warren, Welshpool, Yilgarn-Dundas

1 Retained 13 March 1982

2 Retained 20 June 1981

The 1983 Election

Polling date: 19 February

| PARTIES              |         | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE    | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|---------|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Liberal              | 256,846 | 39.86                    | 54                 | 20           |
| National Country     | 22,148  | 3.44                     | 10                 | 2 + <u>1</u> |
| National             | 10,767  | 1.67                     | 3                  | 2            |
| Labor                | 342,536 | 53.16                    | 54                 | 32           |
| Australian Democrats | 6,426   | 1.00                     | 12                 | 0            |
| Independents*        | 5,631   | 0.87                     | 11                 | 0            |
| Valid vote           | 644,354 |                          |                    |              |
| Informal vote        | 18,799  | 2.83%                    |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 663,153 | 89.02                    |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 744,986 | ( <u>9,239</u> ) 754,225 |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in six electorates, changing the results in four.

\* Including two Independent Labor, one Socialist Labor League, one Communist Party.

Seats won: 57

Liberal: 20

Albany (P, C), Clontarf, Cottesloe, Dale (P, C), Darling Range, East Melville, Floreat, Gascoyne, Greenough, Kalamunda, Karrinyup, Mt Lawley, Mt Marshall (P), Murchison-Eyre (P), Murdoch, Murray-Wellington, Nedlands, South Perth, Subiaco, Vasse

National Country: 2 + 1

Katanning-Roe, Moore, Narrogin

National: 2

Merredin, Stirling

Labor: 32

Armadale, Ascot, Avon, Balcatta, Balga, Bunbury, Canning, Cockburn, Collie, Esperance-Dundas, Fremantle, Geraldton, Gosnells, Helena, Joondalup, Kalgoorlie, Kimberley, Mandurah (P, C), Maylands, Melville, Mitchell, Morley-Swan, Mundaring (P, C)<sup>1</sup>, Nollambra, Perth, Pilbara, Rockingham, Scarborough, Victoria Park, Warren, Welshpool, Whitford

1 Retained 8 October 1983.

## TASMANIA

The following by-elections were held after 1 January 1975:

Braddon (Reece) Retained 12 April 1975. Braddon (Costello) Retained 16 March 1975  
 Wilmot (Bethune) Retained 10 July 1975. Franklin (Neilson) Retained 12 Dec. 1977.

The 1979 Election

Polling date: 28 July

| PARTIES              | VOTES   | % TOTAL    |  | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|---------|------------|--|--------------------|--------------|
|                      |         | VALID VOTE |  |                    |              |
| Labor                | 129,973 | 54.32      |  | 35                 | 20           |
| Liberal              | 98,845  | 41.31      |  | 35                 | 15           |
| Australian Democrats | 6,858   | 2.87       |  | 8                  | 0            |
| Independents         | 3,608   | 1.51       |  | 8                  | 0            |
| Valid votes          | 239,284 |            |  |                    |              |
| Informal votes       | 9,582   | 3.85%      |  |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 248,866 | 93.76      |  |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 265,428 |            |  |                    |              |

Seats won: 35

Labor: 20

Bass (Holgate, James, M.T.C. Barnard, Willey), Braddon (Coghlan, Field, Davies, Weldon), Denison (Batt, Amos, Devine, Green)<sup>1</sup>, Franklin (Lowe, E.W. Barnard<sup>2</sup>, Aird, Adams), Wilmot (Baldock, Polley, Lohrey, Aulich)

Liberal: 15

Bass (Robson, Beswick, Bushby), Braddon (Benney, Groom, Cornish), Denison (Bingham, Mather, Baker)<sup>1</sup>, Franklin (Pearsall, Beattie, Cleary), Wilmot (Gray, Braid, Page)

- 1 A by-election for all seven seats on 16 February 1980 returned Liberal (Bingham, Haros, Mather), Labor, (Batt<sup>3</sup>, Amos, Devine), Democrat (Sanders).
- 2 Retained 28 September 1979.
- 3 Retained 8 September 1980.

The 1982 Election

Polling date: 15 May

| PARTIES              | VOTES   | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|---------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Labor                | 92,184  | 36.86                 | 35 (38)            | 14           |
| Liberal              | 121,346 | 48.52                 | 35                 | 19           |
| Australian Democrats | 13,476  | 5.39                  | 22                 | 1            |
| Independents         | 23,090  | 9.23                  | 30 (33)            | 1            |
| Valid vote           | 250,096 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote        | 15,005  | 5.66%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 265,101 | 93.49                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 283,549 |                       |                    |              |

Seats won: 35

Labor: 14

Bass (Holgate, James, Barnard), Braddon (Coughlan, Field, Davies),  
Denison (Amos, Devine), Franklin (Wriedt, Aird, McKinnon), Wilmot (Baldock,  
Polley, Lohrey)

Liberal: 19

Bass (Robson, Beswick, Bushby, Lyons), Braddon (Bonney, Groom, Cornish,  
Smith), Denison (Bingham, Haros, Davis, Walker), Franklin (Pearsall, Cleary,  
Beattie), Wilmot (Gray, Braid, Page, Salter)

Australian Democrats: 1Denison (Sanders)<sup>1</sup>Independents: 1

Franklin (Lowe)

1 Won by Independent 5 January 1983.

## MEASURES OF MALAPPORTIONMENT

|     |      | David-Eisenberg | Dauer-Kelsay | Gini |
|-----|------|-----------------|--------------|------|
| AUS | 1977 | 1.76            | 48.27        | .045 |
| QLD | 1977 | 2.28            | 44.69        | .109 |
| SA  | 1977 | 1.28            | 49.13        | .050 |
| WA  | 1977 | 8.93            | 33.66        | .218 |
| NSW | 1978 | 2.27            | 44.14        | .100 |
| VIC | 1979 | 1.47            | 47.05        | .063 |
| SA  | 1979 | 1.40            | 47.71        | .068 |
| TAS | 1979 | 1.06            | 50.70        | .039 |
| WA  | 1980 | 13.96           | 33.91        | .235 |
| AUS | 1980 | 1.59            | 47.24        | .054 |
| QLD | 1980 | 2.92            | 42.53        | .141 |
| NSW | 1981 | 1.28            | 48.45        | .039 |
| VIC | 1982 | 1.84            | 45.41        | .088 |
| TAS | 1982 | 1.05            | 50.90        | .037 |
| SA  | 1982 | 1.64            | 46.09        | .090 |
| AUS | 1983 | 1.86            | 46.05        | .070 |
| WA  | 1983 | 5.79            | 36.06        | .194 |
| QLD | 1984 | 3.88            | 40.43        | .171 |

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## QUEENSLAND

The 1983 Election

Polling date: 22 October

| PARTIES              | VOTES     | % TOTAL<br>VALID VOTE | SEATS<br>CONTESTED | SEATS<br>WON |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| National             | 512,890   | 38.93                 | 72 (73)            | 41           |
| Liberal              | 196,072   | 14.88                 | 53                 | 8            |
| Labor                | 579,363   | 43.98                 | 82 (83)            | 32           |
| Australian Democrats | 10,926    | 0.83                  | 7                  | 0            |
| Progress             | 741       | 0.06                  | 3                  | 0            |
| Marxist *            | 408       | 0.03                  | 2 (3)              | 0            |
| Independents **      | 16,994    | 1.29                  | 20 (22)            | 1            |
| Valid vote           | 1,317,394 |                       |                    |              |
| Informal vote        | 19,591    | 1.46%                 |                    |              |
| Total vote           | 1,336,985 | 91.68                 |                    |              |
| Enrolment            | 1,458,205 |                       |                    |              |

Preferences were distributed in twenty-five electorates, changing results in ten.

\* Comprising two Socialist Party, one Socialist Labor League

\*\* Including one Independent Liberal, two Independent Labor, one Christian Alternative Movement

Seats won: 82

National: 41

Albert, Aspley (P), Auburn, Balonne, Barambah, Barron River, Burdekin (P), Burnett, Caboolture (P, C), Carnarvon, Condamine, Cooroora, Cunningham, Fassifern (P), Flinders, Greenslopes (P, C), Gregory, Gympie, Hinchinbrook (P), Isis, Landsborough, Lockyer, Mansfield (P), Maryborough (P, C), Mirani, Mt Gravatt (P, C), Mulgrave, Peak Downs, Pine Rivers (P, C), Redlands (P), Roma, Somerset, South Coast (P), Southport, Surfers Paradise, Toowong (P, C), Toowoomba North (P, C), Toowoomba South, Warwick, Warrego, Whitsunday

Liberal: 8

Ithaca, Merthyr (P, C), Mt Coot-tha (P, C), Nundah, Redcliffe, Sherwood (P), Wavell, Yeronga

Labor: 32

Archerfield, Ashgrove (P), Brisbane Central, Bulimba, Bundaberg, Cairns, Chatsworth, Cook, Everton, Ipswich, Ipswich West, Kurilpa (P), Lytton, Mackay, Mt Isa, Mourilyan, Murrumba, Nudgee, Port Curtis, Rockhampton, Rockhampton North, Salisbury (P), Sandgate, South Brisbane, Stafford (P), Townsville (P), Townsville South, Townsville West, Windsor (P), Wolston, Woodridge (P), Wynnum

Independent: 1

Callide (P, C)



