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This document analyses the 1998 State election results in terms of the new electoral boundaries gazetted on 7 July 1999. The total number of seats remains at 89. However, one new seat was created on the Sunshine Coast - Glass House - and one on the Gold Coast - Gaven.

Two seats were merged in Brisbane - Chermside (ALP) and Kedron (ALP) - to create one new seat - Stafford. Two seats were merged in the west - Western Downs (NP) and Crows Nest (NP) - to create one new seat - Darling Downs. There are 13 new names among the 89 seats:

New	Old
Algeria	Archerfield
Darling Downs	Crows Nest / Western Downs
Gaven	New Seat
Glass House	New Seat
Kawana	Mooloolah
Mudgeeraba	Nerang
Nanango	Barambah
Pumicestone	Caboolture
Robina	Merrimac
Southern Downs	Warwick
Stafford	Chermside/Kedron
Stretton	Sunnybank
Yeerongpilly	Yeronga

Two-party preferred votes have been calculated for all 89 seats in accordance with the methodology set out in my "Statistical Analysis" of the 1998 State Election. Accordingly, all seats have been reduced to ALP - National/Liberal contests with One Nation preferences distributed between the Government and Opposition where appropriate.

It should be noted that the ALP won the seat of Mulgrave in a by-election in 1998 following the retirement of the One Nation member elected in 1998. References to Mulgrave in this document are based on the 1998 results.

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SECURITY OF SEATS TABLE (New Boundaries)

[This table ranks the 89 seats in order of their support for the ALP. The swing required to lose equals the percentage being necessary to reduce the share of the twoparty preferred vote of the party either holding or notionally holding the seat to 49.9%. The 11 One Nation seats won in 1998 and the two seats won by independents are indicated.]

	ALP (47 seats)	% Swing to Lose
1.	Inala	26.3
2.	Woodridge	17.7
3.	Bulimba	17.6
4.	Mount Isa	17.4
5.	Lytton	17.2
6.	Nudgee	17.2
7.	Sandgate	16.1
8.	South Brisbane	16.0
9.	Cook	15.4
10.	Brisbane Central	15.0
11.	Ipswich	14.3
12.	Yerongpilly	13.6
13.	Capalaba	13.5
14.	Kurwongbah	13.1
15.	Logan	12.1
16.	Stafford	11.7
17.	Mt Coo-tha	11.2
18.	Rockhampton	11.1
19.	Algester	10.5
20.	Fitzroy	10.3
21.	Mackay	9.6
22.	Waterford	9.6
23.	Murrumba	9.5
24.	Ferny Grove	8.7
25.	Stretton	8.3
26.	Townsville	7.9
27.	Greenslopes	7.6
28.	Ashgrove	7.2
29.	Chatsworth	7.2
30.	Kallangur	6.9
31.	Mount Gravatt	6.4
32.	Bundamba	6.3
33.	Cleveland	5.9
34.	Bundaberg	5.8
35.	Everton	5.7
36.	Ipswich West (ONP)	5.6
37.	Pumicestone (ONP)	4.7
38.	Redcliffe	4.2
39.	Mundingburra	3.1
40.	Currumbin	2.9
41.	Maryborough (ONP)	2.5
42.	Cairns	2.4
43.	Thuringowa (ONP)	1.8
44.	Mount Ommaney	1.4
45.	Barron River	0.9
46.	Mansfield	0.8
47.	Hervey Bay (ONP)	0.6

**NP/Liberal Party/Independent % Swing to Lose
(42 seats)**

42.	Whitsunday (ONP)	0.4
41.	Indooroopilly	0.5
40.	Springwood	0.7
39.	Mulgrave (ONP)	0.8
38.	Albert	1.0
37.	Redlands	1.1
36.	Gladstone (Ind)	1.5
35.	Aspley	2.1
34.	Glass House	2.1
33.	Burdekin (ONP)	2.7
32.	Charters Towers	3.2
31.	Southport	3.2
30.	Mirani	3.8
29.	Keppel	4.0
28.	Clayfield	4.5
27.	Gaven	6.0
26.	Burnett	8.2
25.	Burleigh	8.4
24.	Nicklin (Ind)	8.7
23.	Beaudesert	8.8
22.	Hinchinbrook	8.8
21.	Gympie	9.0
20.	Lockyer (ONP)	9.0
19.	Moggill	9.0
18.	Toowoomba North	9.6
17.	Noosa	10.3
16.	Broadwater	10.5
15.	Tablelands (ONP)	11.0
14.	Caloundra	11.3
13.	Maroochydore	11.7
12.	Gregory	11.8
11.	Mudgeeraba	12.1
10.	Toowoomba South	13.8
9.	Nanango (ONP)	14.8
8.	Kawana	14.8
7.	Robina	15.1
6.	Callide	15.7
5.	Southern Downs	18.9
4.	Warrego	19.0
3.	Surfers Paradise	19.1
2.	Cunningham	19.5
1.	Darling Downs	22.6

**1998 STATE ELECTION
NEW BOUNDARIES
REVISED TWO PARTY PREFERRED VOTES**

	NP/Liberal	ALP (%)	% Swing to Lose	
Albert	50.9	49.1	1.0	
Algester	39.6	60.4	10.5	
Ashgrove	42.9	57.1	7.2	
Aspley	52.0	48.0	2.1	
Barron River	49.2	50.8	0.9	
Beaudesert	58.7	41.3	8.8	
Brisbane Central	35.1	64.9	15.0	
Broadwater	60.4	39.6	10.5	
Bulimba	32.5	67.5	17.6	
Bundaberg	44.3	55.7	5.8	
Bundamba	43.8	56.2	6.3	
Burdekin	52.6	47.4	2.7	
Burleigh	58.3	41.7	8.4	
Burnett	58.1	41.9	8.2	
Caims	47.7	52.3	2.4	
Callide	65.6	34.4	15.7	
Caloundra	61.2	38.8	11.3	
Capalaba	36.6	63.4	13.5	
Charters Towers	53.1	46.9	3.2	
Chatsworth	42.9	57.1	7.2	
Clayfield	54.4	45.6	4.5	
Cleveland	44.2	55.8	5.9	
Cook	34.7	65.3	15.4	
Cunningham	69.4	30.6	19.5	
Currumbin	47.2	52.8	2.9	
Darling Downs	72.5	27.5	22.6	
Everton	44.4	55.6	5.7	
Ferny Grove	41.4	58.6	8.7	
Fitzroy	39.8	60.2	10.3	
Gaven	55.9	44.1	6.0	
Gladstone	51.4	48.6	1.5	
Glass House	52.0	48.0	2.1	
Greenslopes	42.5	57.5	7.6	
Gregory	61.7	38.3	11.8	
Gympie	58.9	41.1	9.0	
Hervey Bay	49.5	50.5	0.6	
Hinchinbrook	58.7	41.3	8.8	
Inala	23.8	76.2	26.3	
Indooroopilly	50.4	49.6	0.5	
Ipswich	35.8	64.2	14.3	
Ipswich West	44.5	55.5	5.6	
Kallangur	43.2	56.8	6.9	
Kawana	64.7	35.3	14.8	
Keppel	53.9	46.1	4.0	
Kurwongbah	37.0	63.0	13.1	

Lockyer	58.9	41.1	9.0	
Logan	38.0	62.0	12.1	
Lytton	32.9	67.1	17.2	
Mackay	40.5	59.5	9.6	
Mansfield	49.3	50.7	0.8	
Maroochydore	61.6	38.4	11.7	
Maryborough	47.6	52.4	2.5	
Mirani	53.7	46.3	3.8	
Moggill	58.9	41.1	9.0	
Mount Coot-tha	38.9	61.1	11.2	
Mount Gravatt	43.7	56.3	6.4	
Mount Isa	32.7	67.3	17.4	
Mount Ommaney	48.7	51.3	1.4	
Mudgeeraba	62.0	38.0	12.1	
Mulgrave	50.7	49.3	0.8	
Mundingburra	47.0	53.0	3.1	
Murrumba	40.6	59.4	9.5	
Nanango	64.7	35.3	14.8	
Nicklin	58.6	41.4	8.7	
Noosa	60.2	39.8	10.3	
Nudgee	32.9	67.1	17.2	
Pumicestone	45.4	54.6	4.7	
Redcliffe	45.9	54.1	4.2	
Redlands	51.0	49.0	1.1	
Robina	65.0	35.0	15.1	
Rockhampton	39.0	61.0	11.1	
Sandgate	34.0	66.0	16.1	
South Brisbane	34.1	65.9	16.0	
Southern Downs	68.8	31.2	18.9	
Southport	53.1	46.9	3.2	
Springwood	50.6	49.4	0.7	
Stafford	38.4	61.6	11.7	
Stretton	41.8	58.2	8.3	
Surfers Paradise	69.0	31.0	19.1	
Tablelands	60.9	39.1	11.0	
Thuringowa	48.3	51.7	1.8	
Toowoomba North	59.5	40.5	9.6	
Toowoomba South	63.7	36.3	13.8	
Townsville	42.2	57.8	7.9	
Warrego	68.9	31.1	19.0	
Waterford	40.5	59.5	9.6	
Whitsunday	50.3	49.7	0.4	
Woodridge	32.4	67.6	17.7	
Yeerongpilly	36.5	63.5	13.6	
1998 Election	49.0	51.0		

**1998 STATE ELECTION
NEW BOUNDARIES
FIRST PREFERENCES**

	NP/Liberal (%)	ALP (%)	ONP (%)	Other (%)
Albert	29.4	36.5	29.3	4.8
Algester	25.7	48.0	21.1	5.2
Ashgrove	36.4	48.8	2.7	12.2
Aspley	40.0	39.3	15.2	5.4
Barron River	29.5	35.1	27.0	8.5
Beaudesert	34.2	26.2	31.9	7.6
Brisbane Central	26.5	53.7	7.4	10.4
Broadwater	40.0	29.4	26.1	4.3
Bulimba	21.9	56.7	14.4	7.1
Bundaberg	25.0	42.1	30.2	2.6
Bundamba	11.9	48.2	34.3	5.7
Burdekin	27.2	32.2	34.4	6.2
Burleigh	41.1	32.5	21.7	4.7
Bumett	31.5	27.0	38.0	3.4
Caims	25.1	38.4	28.4	8.0
Callide	35.2	19.9	39.1	5.7
Caloundra	41.7	28.0	23.9	6.3
Capalaba	27.4	53.9	2.6	15.9
Charters Towers	34.9	37.7	25.6	1.7
Chatsworth	30.0	48.5	16.7	4.9
Clayfield	49.5	40.6	2.0	7.9
Cleveland	31.5	43.2	19.2	6.1
Cook	20.4	53.8	20.1	5.5
Cunningham	44.1	19.1	31.2	5.6
Currumbin	34.6	40.6	20.5	4.1
Darling Downs	44.0	15.0	38.6	2.4
Everton	32.9	47.0	15.4	4.8
Ferny Grove	28.3	45.0	17.7	9.0
Fitzroy	22.6	48.0	24.2	5.2
Gaven	35.0	32.6	25.7	6.8
Gladstone	5.5	47.4	-	47.1
Glass House	26.7	32.7	30.4	10.2 (a)
Greenslopes	37.1	49.8	2.4	10.7
Gregory	43.9	29.4	19.0	7.6
Gympie	32.3	26.3	37.2	4.1
Hervey Bay	28.1	37.2	32.1	2.5
Hinchinbrook	34.3	27.7	32.6	5.3
Inala	17.5	65.5	1.3	10.5
Indooroopilly	44.8	37.9	-	17.3
Ipswich	11.3	45.6	39.2	3.9
Ipswich West	18.7	38.8	39.9	2.6
Kallangur	22.9	42.9	26.1	8.1
Kawana	47.7	24.2	23.0	5.1
Keppel	29.6	31.5	21.9	11.8

Kurwongbah	22.7	49.3	22.3	5.7
Lockyer	24.5	22.5	37.3	15.8
Logan	17.8	45.7	28.4	8.2
Lytton	27.4	59.1	1.9	11.7
Mackay	23.3	48.0	27.1	1.6
Mansfield	37.7	40.9	15.3	6.1
Maroochydore	40.9	25.6	25.8	7.8
Maryborough	19.7	35.2	42.3	2.8
Mirani	33.9	34.8	28.8	2.5
Moggill	53.3	33.8	-	13.0
Mount Coot-tha	34.2	49.7	0.4	16.0
Mount Gravatt	33.1	46.8	14.3	5.7
Mount Isa	17.1	55.7	24.7	2.5
Mount Ommaney	36.2	39.1	11.8	12.8
Mudgeeraba	39.7	26.9	25.0	2.7
Mulgrave	31.1	37.5	29.2	2.2
Mundingburra	30.4	42.7	25.5	1.3
Murrumba	21.1	45.2	28.5	5.1
Nanango	30.7	18.8	41.7	8.8 (b)
Nicklin	28.3	19.1	23.5	29.0 (c)
Noosa	46.1	29.9	13.8	10.3
Nudgee	22.6	55.8	17.3	4.3
Pumicestone	23.4	40.3	29.1	4.2
Redcliffe	28.7	43.7	23.5	4.1
Redlands	32.3	38.3	24.2	5.1
Robina	49.2	28.0	19.8	2.9
Rockhampton	21.4	48.2	24.4	6.0
Sandgate	20.2	49.4	18.5	11.9
South Brisbane	26.6	53.3	8.1	12.0
Southern Downs	44.9	19.4	31.5	4.3
Southport	38.2	37.0	21.3	3.4
Springwood	34.2	38.2	20.9	6.7
Stafford	27.5	51.1	15.3	6.0
Stretton	30.7	47.3	17.5	4.4
Surfers Paradise	53.4	24.3	18.2	4.1
Tablelands	33.0	25.1	41.8	0.1
Thuringowa	26.9	36.0	34.0	3.2
Toowoomba North	40.2	32.3	25.3	2.2
Toowoomba South	46.6	27.6	23.9	1.9
Townsville	27.4	45.5	23.8	3.2
Warrego	46.1	21.0	27.8	5.1
Waterford	22.8	47.6	28.7	0.9
Whitsunday	30.6	38.4	31.0	-
Woodridge	13.0	51.6	28.9	6.5
Yeerongpilly	26.1	53.1	15.0	5.8
1998 Election	31.3	38.9	22.7	7.2

(a) Includes 3.5% for Wellington

(b) Includes 0.9% for Wellington

(c) Includes 24.5% for Wellington