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A portrait of Gilbert Elliott hangs outside the Speaker's Office. Elliott was the first Speaker of the Queensland Legislative Assembly (1860-1870).

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FROM 29 JULY 2014**



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SPEAKER OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF QUEENSLAND
FROM 24 MARCH 2015 TO 12 FEBRUARY 2018**

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PREFACE

The Queensland Parliamentary Record for the 55th Parliament (24 March 2015 – 29 October 2017) is a comprehensive source of information about the Queensland Parliament since 1860.

While Part 1 of the Parliamentary Record provides a record of the life of the 55th Parliament, Part 2 provides historical information, including an alphabetical register of all members of the Queensland Parliament from 1860 to 2017.

The recent editions of the Parliamentary Record are available on the Parliament's website (www.parliament.qld.gov.au). The website also provides access to two other sources of information. The Former Members Register includes biographical information on all former members of Queensland Parliament. The Record of Proceedings, commonly referred to as Hansard, is the official record of debates and procedures of Queensland Parliament. The complete Hansard from 1860 onwards is also available in a digital and searchable form.

Among notable developments in the 55th Parliament was the passing of the *Electoral (Improving Representation) and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2016* (Qld), which received royal assent on 5 May 2016. The Act increased the number of members of the Legislative Assembly from 89 members to 93. This Parliamentary Record is the last in relation to 89 members, which has been the number of members since 1986 when it increased from 82.

The Parliamentary Record for the 55th Parliament has been prepared by staff of the Parliamentary Library and the Chamber, Education and Communication Services team.

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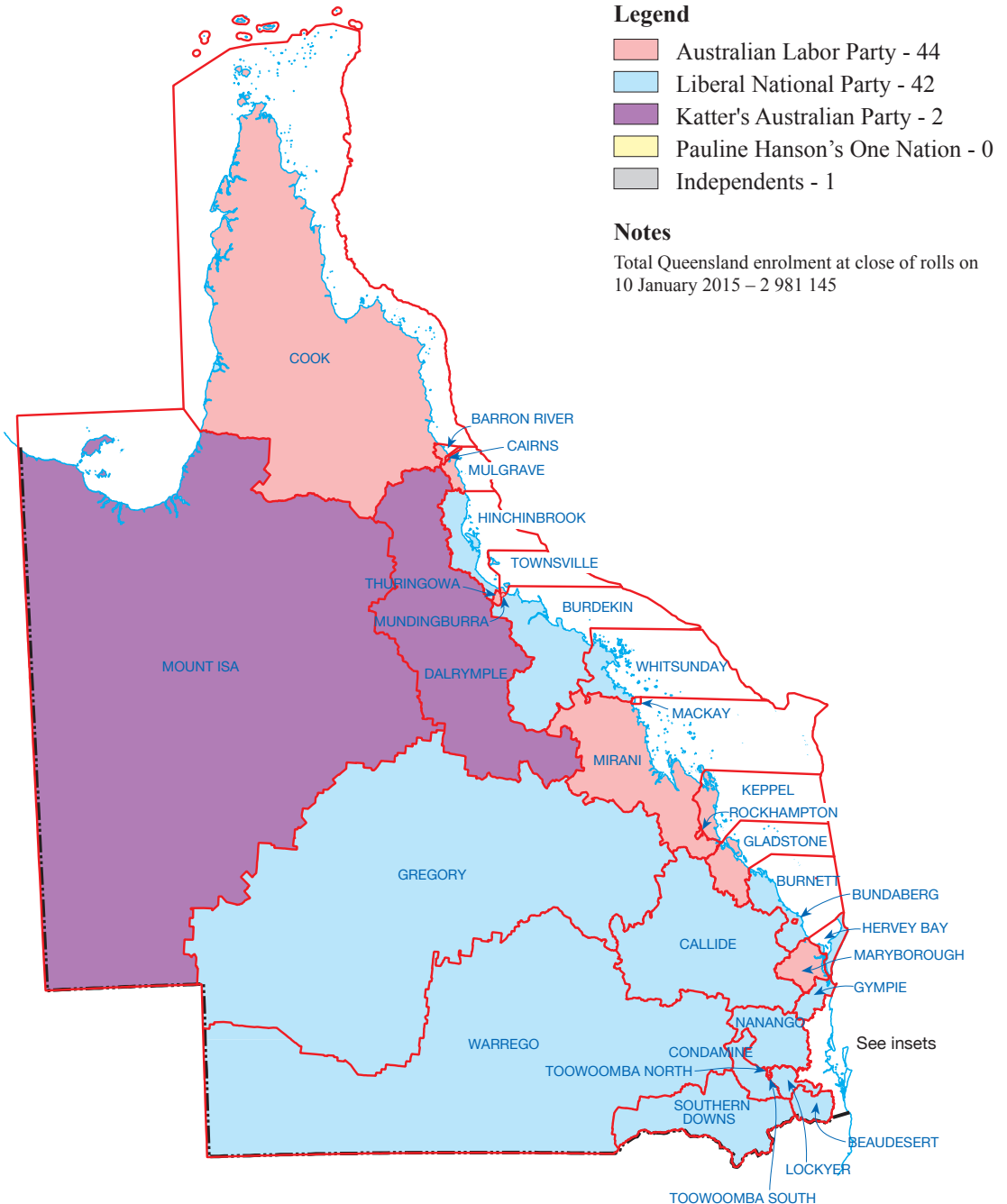
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BEGINNING OF 55TH PARLIAMENT

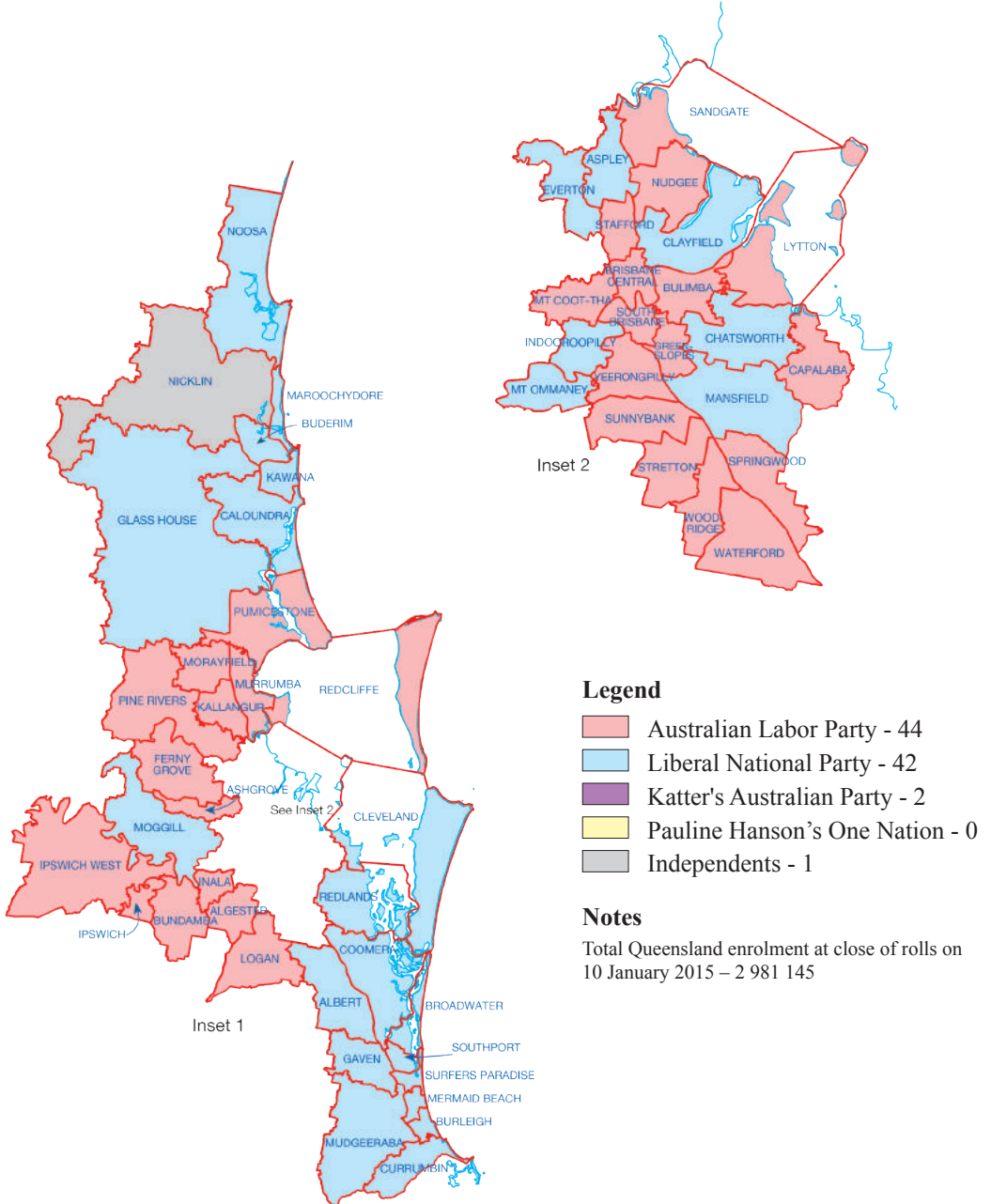


QUEENSLAND STATE ELECTORATES

2015 ELECTION

BEGINNING OF 55TH PARLIAMENT

Brisbane, Gold Coast and Sunshine Coast



QUEENSLAND STATE ELECTORATES

END OF 55TH PARLIAMENT

Legend

- Australian Labor Party - 41
- Liberal National Party - 41
- Katter's Australian Party - 2
- Pauline Hanson's One Nation - 1
- Independents - 4

Notes

Total Queensland enrolment at close of rolls on 3 November 2017 - 3 165 930

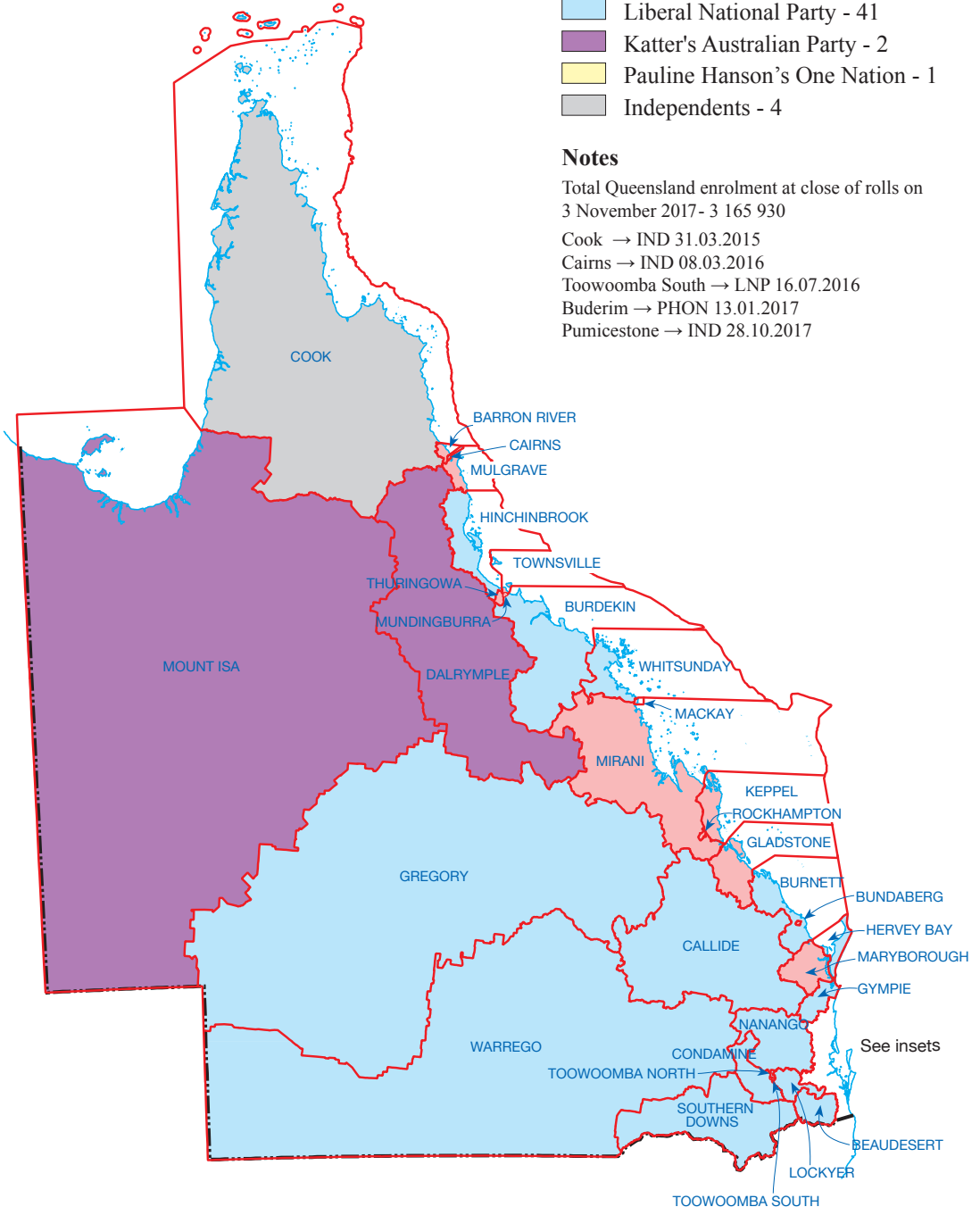
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END OF 55TH PARLIAMENT

Brisbane, Gold Coast and Sunshine Coast

