

## **P369: 1999 Scottish Election Leaflets**

### **RECORDS' IDENTITY STATEMENT**

Reference number: P369

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Title: 1999 Scottish Election Leaflets

Dates of creation: 1999

Level of description: Fonds

Extent: 1 folder

Format: Paper

### **RECORDS' CONTEXT**

Name of creators: Various political parties and candidates who ran in the 1999 Scottish elections

Administrative history: The Scottish Parliament election, 1999 was the first general election of the Scottish Parliament, with voting taking place on 6 May 1999 to elect 129 members. Following the election, the Labour Party and the Liberal Democrats formed the Scottish Executive, with Labour Member of the Scottish Parliament (MSP) Donald Dewar becoming First Minister.

The Scottish Parliament was created after a referendum on devolution took place on September 11, 1979 in which 74.3% of those who voted approved the idea. The Scotland Act (1978) was then passed by the UK Parliament which established the devolved Scottish parliament and Scottish Executive. The parliament was elected using Mixed member proportional representation

Custodial history:

### **RECORDS' CONTENT**

Description: Election leaflets

Appraisal:

Accruals:

## RECORDS' CONDITION OF ACCESS AND USE

Access: Open

Closed until:

Access conditions: Available within the Archive searchroom

Copying: Copying permitted within standard Copyright Act parameters

Finding aids: Available in Archive searchroom

## ALLIED MATERIALS

Related material:

Publication:

Notes:

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