

BLIGH (IND)

Enrolment Dec 2002 47,724

	Rank	PerCent	Number		
	93 SEDs		2001	1996	%change
Population					
Total population	2	-	87,706	80,447	+9.02%
Population growth	19	-	87,706	80,447	+9.02%
Population density (persons per sq. km)	1	-	6,731.1	6,174.0	+9.02%
Area (sq. kms)	92	-	13	13	-
Proportion of Australian citizens aged 18 and over	88	57.55%	-	61.55%	-6.50%
Number of Australian citizens aged 18 and over	5	-	50,472	49,515	+1.93%
Persons who changed address since 1996	2	48.20%	42,273	40,420	+2.30%
Persons Aged under 5	93	2.97%	2,604	2,320	+0.35%
Persons aged between 5 and 14	93	4.82%	4,229	3,517	+0.89%
Persons aged between 15 and 24	66	12.15%	10,652	11,773	-1.39%
Persons aged between 25 and 64 years	2	61.80%	54,198	47,958	+7.76%
Persons aged 65 years and over	72	11.10%	9,733	9,364	+0.46%
Religion					
Persons of Christian religion	92	43.06%	37,762	38,397	-0.79%
Persons of Catholic religion	92	19.33%	16,956	16,826	+0.16%
Persons of Anglican religion	78	14.38%	12,610	13,213	-0.75%
Persons of non-Christian religion	26	7.79%	6,833	5,422	+1.75%
Persons of Islamic religion	33	1.18%	1,031	892	+0.17%
Persons of Buddhist religion	21	2.97%	2,608	1,528	+1.34%
Persons of Jewish religion	5	2.47%	2,170	2,111	+0.07%
Persons of no religion	2	20.14%	17,667	19,098	-1.78%
Ethnicity					
Aboriginals and Torres Strait Islanders	56	0.96%	842	991	-0.19%
Persons born overseas	27	31.02%	27,208	26,404	+1.00%
Persons born in UK and Ireland	11	7.22%	6,336	6,364	-0.03%
Persons born in Southern Europe	43	2.49%	2,184	2,494	-0.39%
Persons born in South East Asia	25	3.37%	2,960	2,538	+0.52%
Persons born in the Middle East	41	0.76%	665	676	-0.01%
Persons born in North-East Asia	27	3.43%	3,012	3,178	-0.21%
Persons born in Southern Asia	33	1.05%	925	771	+0.19%
Persons born in non-English speaking countries	35	17.42%	15,276	15,272	+0.00%
Persons with both parents born overseas	36	35.37%	31,020	n.a.	n.a.
Persons with at least one parent born overseas	41	45.19%	39,631	n.a.	n.a.
Persons not fluent in English	29	2.64%	2,312	2,791	-0.60%
Persons aged 5 and over speaking a language other than English at home	40	15.88%	13,927	13,796	+0.16%
Families					
"Traditional Families"	93	17.62%	2,566	2,425	+1.11%
Single parent families	83	7.13%	1,039	1,182	-1.13%
Couple families (without children)	1	61.63%	8,977	7,020	+15.41%
Income					
Families with weekly income below \$500	78	11.58%	1,686	2,421	-5.79%
Families with weekly income from \$500 to \$999	89	13.59%	1,979	2,749	-6.06%
Families with weekly income from \$1000 to \$1499	85	13.88%	2,021	2,220	-1.57%
Families with weekly income \$1500 to \$1999	19	16.91%	2,463	1,188	+10.04%
Families with weekly income \$2000 and above	3	32.69%	4,762	2,427	+18.38%
Labour Force					
Employed persons aged 15 years and over	44	55.11%	44,294	39,975	+5.82%
Unemployment rate	62	5.7%	2,684	3,543	-2.4%
Labour Force	48	58.45%	46,978	43,518	-0.08%
Women in the labour force	79	42.80%	20,106	18,712	+3.20%
Employees (Government Admin Defence)	35	3.75%	1,663	1,901	-0.59%
Employees (Agriculture Fishing Forestry)	68	0.34%	152	100	+0.13%
Employees (Health and Community Services)	86	7.44%	3,295	3,317	-0.05%
Employees (Education)	69	5.86%	2,595	2,500	+0.24%
Employees (Manufacturing)	88	6.56%	2,904	2,774	+0.32%
Employees (Finance and Insurance, Property and Business Services)	3	32.80%	14,529	10,812	+9.26%
Persons employed in professional occupations	5	48.00%	21,261	17,185	+10.16%
Persons employed as tradespersons or labourers	91	7.59%	3,363	3,844	-1.20%

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Persons with tertiary education qualifications	8	38.35%	28,602	22,730	+7.91%
Persons with trade qualifications	92	9.12%	6,805	6,135	+0.90%
Persons with no qualifications	92	32.53%	24,262	32,634	-11.28%
Persons attending infant, primary or secondary school	93	3.71%	3,255	3,566	-0.39%
Infant, primary or secondary school students attending private schools	6	55.12%	1,794	1,875	-2.27%
Persons attending a tertiary education institution	11	9.70%	8,504	7,445	+1.32%
Persons with highest level of school completed Year 10 or below	91	13.91%	12,202	21,353	-11.38%
Transport					
Persons using public transport to travel to work	5	35.04%	13,199	11,718	+4.39%
Dwellings					
Tenant dwellings	1	48.28%	20,415	19,391	+2.77%
Owner or purchaser dwellings	93	33.11%	13,999	12,604	+3.77%
Dwellings with monthly home loan repayments over \$999	10	75.01%	4,007	2,681	+30.15%
Dwellings with weekly rent over \$299	13	44.75%	9,137	4,586	+23.11%
Households with two or more motor vehicles	93	12.30%	5,203	4,521	+1.85%
Flat or apartment dwellings with 3 storeys or more	1	55.61%	26,537	20,613	+16.02%
Flat or apartment dwellings	1	60.12%	28,688	22,597	+16.47%
Public Housing	22	6.98%	2,950	3,146	-0.53%
Dwellings which are caravans	84	0.00%	0	0	+0.00%
Internet					
Persons who use the Internet	13	49.89%	43,754	n.a.	n.a.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY: SUMMARY OF TWO-PARTY RESULTS 1999					
Electoral District	2PP Votes		2PP Percent		Swing
	ALP	Lib/Nat	ALP	Lib/Nat	to Labor
Bligh	16,528	10,254	61.7	38.3	6.3

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY: SUMMARY OF TWO-CANDIDATE RESULTS 1999				
Electoral District	Winning Candidate		Defeated Candidate	
	Party	Vote	Party	Vote
Bligh (1)	IND	19,636	ALP	13,215
	%	59.8	%	40.2

