

# Legislative Assembly

## First Preference Votes: Comparative Summary 1989 to 2005

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The Australian Labor Party recorded the highest increase in the number of first preference votes (66,648) compared with 2001, an increase of 17.43%.

The Christian Democratic Party (CDP) recorded the highest increase in percentage of first preference votes compared with 2001, an increase of 217.85%.

Among new registered political parties, FAMILY FIRST recorded 21,701 votes with 34 candidates. This represented 2.02% of the first preference votes statewide. One Nation had 17,580 votes with 45 candidates, representing 1.64% of the total first preference votes in this election. COMMUNITY 1ST with only 1 candidate gained 2,859 votes, representing 0.27% of the first preference votes total. New Country Party with 5 candidates had 1,225 votes (0.11%) and CITIZENS ELECTORAL COUNCIL with 9 candidates had 913 votes (0.09%).

The category of 'Others' represents those candidates who specified their desire not to have the word 'independent' against their name on the ballot paper.

