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Beattie, Elizabeth Jean

Occupation Parliamentarian

Summary

A member of the Australian Labor Party, Liz Beattie served as the Member for Tullamarine in the Legislative Assembly of the Victorian Parliament from 1999 until 2002 when an electoral redistribution created the seat of Yuroke. She was re-elected to the Victorian Parliament as the Member for Yuroke in 2002. She held the position of Parliamentary Secretary for Tourism, Sport and the Commonwealth Games in 2002. After the 2002 election she assumed the position of Parliamentary Secretary for Education. She was re-elected in November 2006 and held the position of Parliamentary Secretary assisting the Premier on Multicultural Affairs from August 2007-January 2010. She was re-elected in November 2010 when the Labor Government was defeated, but retired at the 2014 election when the ALP returned to government.

Published resources

Book

Victorian Parliamentary Handbook, no. 8, the 55th Parliament, 2004

Edited Book

Who's Who in Australia 2002, Herd, Margaret, 2002

Resource

Liz Beattie, State Member for Yuroke, Parliamentary Secretary for Education, 2005, http://www.lizbeattie.com.au/

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Site Exhibition

Carrying on the Fight: Women Candidates in Victorian Parliamentary Elections, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2008.

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