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## **ELMES WELCOMES FINAL REPORT ON STATE BOUNDARY REDISTRIBUTION**

Member for Noosa Glen Elmes said today that he was pleased to see the release of the final report on Queensland's State Electoral Boundaries.

"It's taken a long time but the boundaries have now finally been decided and I have to say I'm delighted with the result for the Noosa Electorate.

"The Electoral Commission has recognised the community of interest shared by the communities of Eumundi, Doonan, Verrierdale, Weyba Downs and Peregian Springs which have all now been included within the Noosa electorate and although I'm fortunate that a small area of Cooroy has also been included, I am disappointed that the population quota set by the Electoral Commission does not allow for the whole township of Cooroy to also be included."

Glen Elmes said that these boundaries become final and conclusive within 21 days of publication with the next Queensland State General Election, due to be held in September 2009, will be contested in accordance with these new boundaries.

"If anyone would like to see the new boundaries and read the report, go to the Electoral Commission of Queensland website at [www.ecq.qld.gov.au](http://www.ecq.qld.gov.au)". ENDS

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