THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE	THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE ARCHIVES				
NAME OF COLLECTION	Victorian National Parks Association Inc.				
ACCESSION NO	1998.0019				
CATEGORY	Community and Political, organisations				
ACTIVITY	Lobbyists Conservationists				
DATE RANGE	1937-1991				
SIZE OF COLLECTION	2 Units (0.34m)				
HISTORICAL NOTE	Association formed 1952. It began as a Committee of the Town and Country Planning Association which, in 1949, presented the government of the day with well-researched overviews of existing parks and recommendations for new parks. The VNPA was formed to lobby for the creation of new parks and better management of existing ones. The area of national parks in 1949 was 313,717 acres (127011 ha.). It is now 2.5 million hectares which is 12 per cent of the area of this State. "The VNPA has been the main driving force behind the creation and expansion of most parks in this State" (Doug Humann in letter to Mark Richmond, 30 March 1995) Meeting 28 March 1952 decided to form VNPA, with corporate and individual members, to strive for the welfare of national parks and their preservation in perpetuity. Inaugural public meeting 23 July 1953. First president was P. Crosbie Morrison and first hon. sec. was J. Ros Garnet (who died 1998).				
DATE OF TRANSFER	11 March 1998				
ACCESS CONDITIONS	Access: Open				
DESCRIPTION	Northeast and Central Region files (1960-90); Southwest Region files (1937-1990); Central West Region files (1937-1991); North-West Wilderness Region files (1938-1991). A complete list of this collection can be accessed in the Cultural Collections Reading Room of the Baillieu Library.				
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DATE	22 June 2012				



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Item Number	Title	Date	Description	Unit/Box
1998.0019.0001	Barmah Forest	1965-1988	Previous control number	
			Northeast and Central File 1	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0002	Fraser National Park,	1960-1990	Previous control number	
	Eildon State park		Northeast and Central File 2	
				1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0003	Kooyoora State Park	1985-1987	Previous control number	
			Northeast and Central File 3	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0004	Reef Hills park	1973-1988	Previous control number	
			Northeast and Central File 4	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0005	Warby Ranges	1964-1983	Previous control number	
			Northeast and Central File 5	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0006	Whipstick State Park	1986-1989	Previous control number	
			Northeast and Central File 6	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0007	Wychitella Forest	1968	Previous control number	
			Northeast and Central File 7	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0008	Anglesea/Anghahook	1978	Previous Control Number	
	Area		Southwest File 8	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0009	Discovery Bay Coastal	1983-1985	Previous Control Number	
	Park		Southwest File 9	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0010	Lower Glenelg	1956-1984	Previous Control Number	
	National Park		Southwest File 10	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0011	Mount Eccles	1962-1983	Previous Control Number	
	National Park		Southwest File 11	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0012	Mount Richmond	1955-1979	Previous Control Number	
	National Park		Southwest File 12	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0013	Otway National Park	1975-1989	Previous Control Number	
	& Melba Gully State		Southwest File 13	
	Park			1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0014	Port Campbell	1964-1990	Previous Control Number	
	National Park		Southwest File 14	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0015	Tower Hill State	1937-1970	Previous Control Number	
	Game Reserve		Southwest File 15	1998.0019 Unit 1
1998.0019.0016	Grampians National	1937-1979	Previous Control Number Central	
	Park		West File 1	1998.0019 Unit 2
1998.0019.0017	Grampians National	1980-1984	Previous Control Number Central	
	Park		West File 2	1998.0019 Unit 2
1998.0019.0018	Grampians National	1985-1991	Previous Control Number Central	
	Park		West File 3	1998.0019 Unit 2
1998.0019.0019	Grampians National	1990-1991	Previous Control Number Central	
	Park, name change		West File 4	
	issue			1998.0019 Unit 2
1998.0019.0020	Mount Arapiles -	undated	Previous Control Number Central	
	Tooan State Park		West File 5	1998.0019 Unit 2
1998.0019.0021	Hatta-Kulkyne	1938-1985	Previous Control Number North-	
	National Park		west Wilderness File 6	1998.0019 Unit 2



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Item Number	Title	Date	Description	Unit/Box
1998.0019.0022	Lake Albacutya Park	1960-1984	Previous Control Number North-	
			west Wilderness File 7	1998.0019 Unit 2
1998.0019.0023	Yanga Nyawi -Murray	1991	Previous Control Number North-	
	Sunset National Park		west Wilderness File 8	
				1998.0019 Unit 2
1998.0019.0024	Wyperfeld National	1960-1989	Previous Control Number North-	
	Park		west Wilderness File 9	1998.0019 Unit 2