

Reference Number: **2006.0048**

Collection/Series Title: **FRASER, JOHN MALCOLM**

Creator	Fraser, John Malcolm
Creator's Activity/Occupation	Politicians - Farmers - Prime ministers
Creator's Historical Note	
<p>(John) Malcolm Fraser was born on 21 May 1930 in Melbourne. The Fraser family lived in NSW before moving to 'Nareen', a sheep station in western Victoria, in 1943. Malcolm Fraser attended Tudor House School in NSW (1940-1943) and Melbourne Grammar (1944-1948). In 1949 he was admitted to the University of Oxford to study 'Modern Greats' (politics, philosophy and economics). Malcolm Fraser was elected Liberal member for Wannon in Western Victoria in 1955. He gained his first Cabinet post as Minister for the Army in 1966 and later became Minister for Education and Science (1968-1969 and 1971-1972) and Minister for Defence (1969-1971). He became leader of the Liberal Party in March 1975, and in November was appointed caretaker Prime Minister following the dismissal of the Whitlam government. He served as Prime Minister until 1983. Following his political career, Malcolm Fraser has maintained a role in world affairs, as Co-Chair of the Commonwealth Eminent Persons Group on South Africa (1985-1986) and Chair of the UN Secretary-General's Expert Group on African Commodity Issues (1989-1990). In 1987 he founded CARE Australia, the country's largest non-political, non-religious overseas aid organisation. In 1997 he led a Commonwealth Observer Mission to Pakistan to monitor the national elections. Malcolm Fraser remained actively interested in issues such as human rights and the rule of law until his death on 20 March 2015.</p>	
Date Range of Collection/Series	1997-2003
Size/Extent	1.53 metres (9 boxes)
Access Conditions	Access: Closed
Scope and Content of Collection/Series	
<p>CARE Australia and CARE International correspondence, board papers, minutes and corporate council records. J M (Malcolm) Fraser founded CARE Australia, one of the country's largest overseas aid organisations, in 1987. From 1990 to 1995 he was President of CARE International. During this time, CARE was involved in providing aid following the earthquake and tsunami in Papua New Guinea (July 1998), floods in China (July 1998) and Hurricane Mitch in Nicaragua and Honduras (October-November 1998). In 1999 two CARE Australia workers, Steve Pratt and Peter Wallace, were charged with espionage and imprisoned in Yugoslavia. Malcolm Fraser was appointed special envoy to work to secure their release. Pratt and Wallace were released in September after five months in prison.</p>	
Collection Category	Community and Political, individuals
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Unit/Box	Item Number	Title	Date Range	Description
2006.0048 Unit 1	2006.0048.0000 1	CARE Australia General	1998	Includes correspondence; CARE Australias Response to the PNG Emergency; media releases; CARE Australia Statutes. Previous control number 1
2006.0048 Unit 1	2006.0048.0000 2	CARE Australia General	1998	Includes correspondence; media releases; information relating to CARE responses to Hurricane Mitch (Nicaragua and Honduras), PNG tsunami, China floods and Yugoslavia; Report of a resources study to CARE Australia on the potential of establishing a person-to-person fundraising network in Sydney. Previous control number 2
2006.0048 Unit 1	2006.0048.0000 3	CARE Australia General	1999	Includes correspondence (including letter to Slobodan Milosevic, former President of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia); material relating to CARE Australia aid workers charged with espionage in Yugoslavia. Previous control number 3
2006.0048 Unit 2	2006.0048.0000 4	CARE Australia General	1999	Includes media releases relating to CARE Australian aid workers charged with espionage in Yugoslavia; correspondence with and reports to CARE Australia board members. Previous control number 4

Unit/Box	Item Number	Title	Date Range	Description
2006.0048 Unit 2	2006.0048.0000 5	CARE Australia Board Papers, Minutes and Agendas	1999	Includes papers of CARE Australia Board Meeting, 1 October 1999; minutes of meetings of Executive Committee and Finance and Audit Committee. Previous control number 5
2006.0048 Unit 2	2006.0048.0000 6	CARE Australia General	2000	Includes CARE Australia Strategic Plan 19992002; CARE International Strategic Directions Document, draft, 16 August 2000; CARE Australia Preliminary Report on Organisational Issues, 10 May 2000. Previous control number 6
2006.0048 Unit 3	2006.0048.0000 7	CARE Australia General	2001	Includes correspondence; media releases; report on Afghan refugee crisis; The Humanitarian Crisis in Afghanistan and Surrounding Countries, 25 October 2001. Previous control number 7
2006.0048 Unit 3	2006.0048.0000 8	CARE Australia General	2001	Previous control number 8
2006.0048 Unit 3	2006.0048.0000 9	CARE Australia General	2001	Includes invitations, press statements, correspondence with Sir William Deane; (Chair of CARE Australia from 2002); financial records. Previous control number 9

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2006.0048 Unit 4	2006.0048.0001 0	CARE Australia General	2001	Includes Care International: Creating a Corporate Vision: Report of the Secretary General to the CI Board, Phnom Penh, Cambodia, 13 and 14 November, 1999; A Research Report on CARE Australia: Qualitative Research Results prepared for Clemenger Harvey, January 1999; CARE Australia: A Summary of Country Operations; correspondence. Previous control number 10
2006.0048 Unit 4	2006.0048.0001 1	CARE Australia General	2002	Includes correspondence, media releases, CARE Australia Board Report 2002; information relating to CAREs activities in Iraq; papers of CARE Australia board meeting, 21 June 2002; CARE Australia board reports. Previous control number 11
2006.0048 Unit 4	2006.0048.0001 2	CARE Australia Board Papers	2002	Includes papers of CARE Australia board meetings, 18 October 2002 and 22 February 2002. Previous control number 12
2006.0048 Unit 5	2006.0048.0001 3	CARE Australia Board Papers	2001	Papers and agendas for meetings of CARE Australia Executive Committee and Finance and Audit Committee; Papers of CARE Australia Board meetings, 12 October 2001, 15 June 2001; Papers of CARE Australia Annual General Meeting, 12 October 2001. Previous control number 13

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2006.0048 Unit 5	2006.0048.0001 4	CARE Australia Board Papers	2001	Includes draft 2001/2002 Marketing Plan; minutes of CARE Australia Marketing Sub-committee, 9 May 2001; papers of CARE Australia Board meeting, 21 February 2001. Previous control number 14
2006.0048 Unit 5	2006.0048.0001 5	CARE Australia Corporate Council	2001	Material relating to membership of Corporate Council; arrangements for Corporate Council Cocktail Party. Previous control number 15
2006.0048 Unit 5	2006.0048.0001 6	CARE Australia Corporate Council	19 September 2002 28 September 2003	Previous control number 16
2006.0048 Unit 6	2006.0048.0001 7	CARE Australia Board Papers	2003	Includes CEO monthly board reports; papers of CARE Australia Board meetings, 18 June 2004, 27 February 2004, 24 October 2003, 20 June 2003, 21 February 2003; Papers of CARE Australia 16th Annual General Meeting, 24 October 2003. Previous control number 17
2006.0048 Unit 6	2006.0048.0001 8	CARE Australia Corporate Council	1998-1999	Corporate Council papers. Previous control number 18
2006.0048 Unit 7	2006.0048.0001 9	CARE Australia Corporate Council	2000	Material (invitations lists, correspondence etc.) relating to launch of CARE Australia Corporate Council. Previous control number 19

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2006.0048 Unit 7	2006.0048.0002 0	CARE International General	2000	Includes CARE Australia Board briefing papers; minutes of meeting of CARE International Board of Directors, 1112 November 2000; minutes of meeting of CARE International Executive Committee, 26 May 2000; CARE International Annual General Assembly, 11 November 2000; correspondence re activities of CARE International. Previous control number 20
2006.0048 Unit 8	2006.0048.0002 1	CARE International General	1997	Includes CARE Canada Annual Report, 1996; CARE USA Discussion Paper: CAREs Relief and Development Work in the Context of Human Rights. Previous control number 21
2006.0048 Unit 8	2006.0048.0002 2	CARE International General	1997	Includes minutes of CARE International Executive meeting, 7 November 1997; correspondence with executive members of CARE International. Previous control number 22
2006.0048 Unit 8	2006.0048.0002 3	CARE International General	1998	Includes minutes of meeting of CARE International Executive Committee, 13 November 1998; minutes of meeting of CARE International Board of Directors (unofficial), 23 May 1998; minutes of meetings of CARE International Board of Directors, 1415 November 1998 and 23 May 1998. Previous control number 23

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2006.0048 Unit 9	2006.0048.0002 4	CARE International General	1999	Includes minutes of meeting of Executive Committee, CARE International, 12 November 1999, 14 May 1999; minutes of meeting of Board of Directors of CARE International, 13 14 November 1999, 15 16 May 1999. Previous control number 24
2006.0048 Unit 9	2006.0048.0002 5	CARE International General	2001	Includes correspondence (including with Sir William Deane), minutes of meetings of CARE International Board of Directors, 17 November 2001; 2 June 2001. Previous control number 25
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