



[AIATSIS Library](#)

[Catalogue](#)

[Manuscript Finding Aid Index](#)

Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies Library

**MS 4090**

**Aboriginal Affairs Press Clippings Collection**

**c.1957 – 1974**

**CONTENTS**

<b><u>COLLECTION SUMMARY</u></b> .....	page 2
<b><u>CULTURAL SENSITIVITY STATEMENT</u></b> .....	page 2
<b><u>ACCESS TO COLLECTION</u></b> .....	page 3
<b><u>COLLECTION OVERVIEW</u></b> .....	page 4
<b><u>RECORD NOTE</u></b> .....	page 4
<b><u>SERIES DESCRIPTION</u></b> .....	page 5
<b><u>BOX LIST</u></b> .....	page 9

## COLLECTION SUMMARY

<b>Creator:</b>	Aboriginal Affairs
<b>Title:</b>	Aboriginal Affairs Press Clippings Collection
<b>Collection no:</b>	MS 4090
<b>Date Range:</b>	c.1957 – 1974
<b>Extent:</b>	3.4 metres (17 archives boxes)
<b>Repository:</b>	Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies

[\*\*Back to top\*\*](#)

## CULTURAL SENSITIVITY STATEMENT

**It is a condition of use of this finding aid, and of the collection described in it, that users ensure that any use of the information contained in it is sympathetic to the views and sensitivities of relevant Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. This includes:**

### **Language**

Users are warned that this finding Aid may contain words and descriptions which may be culturally sensitive and which might not normally be used in certain public or community contexts. Terms and descriptions which reflect the author's attitude, or that of the period in which the manuscript was written, and which may be considered inappropriate today in some circumstances, may also be used.

### **Deceased persons**

Users of this finding aid should be aware that, in some Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Communities, seeing images of deceased persons in photographs, film and books or hearing them in recordings etc may cause sadness or distress and, in some cases, offend against strongly held cultural prohibitions.

[\*\*Back to top\*\*](#)

## **ACCESS TO COLLECTION**

### **Access and use conditions**

Materials listed in this finding aid may be subject to access conditions imposed by Indigenous communities and/or depositors. Users are advised that access to some materials may be subject to these terms and conditions which the Institute is required to maintain.

Open access reading. Open copying and quotation - copyright conditions [Access code R1 C1b].

### **Copying and quotation**

Copying of, and quoting from, unpublished material may be subject to the conditions determined by the depositor of the manuscripts. In accordance with the [Copyright Act 1968](#), Section 51, materials are only provided for private study and use.

### **Obtaining access, copying and quotation permissions**

In cases where these permissions are required they must be obtained in writing and must be signed. Further information can be found on the AIATSIS website on the [Ordering collection items](#) page. Contact Collections staff for further information.

Although Manuscripts are not available on Interlibrary loan, they may be available via document supply (photocopying), subject to access conditions, if they are already digitized.

[Email](#) Collections Staff or telephone +61 2 6246 1182

### **Preferred citation**

Items from this collection should be cited as Aboriginal Affairs Press cuttings, Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies, MS 4090, Item or Folder, eg. MS 4090/2 Jan-Feb 1958.

### **Inter-library Loan**

Manuscripts are not available on Inter-Library loan.

**[Back to top](#)**

## **COLLECTION OVERVIEW**

### **Scope and content note**

### **Provenance**

The collection was deposited in the AIATSIS Library by Ian Spalding in 1999 and 2008.

## MS 4090 Aboriginal Affairs Press Clippings Collection, c.1957 – 1974

### **Material separated from collection**

No material has been separated from original collection.

### **Related Material**

See also papers of Ian Spalding MAR08/099 and MAR08/100; and MS 4122, Victorian Aboriginal Group, Press cuttings collection, 1952-1969.

For a complete list of works by Ian Spalding and Aboriginal Affairs held by the Library, and for other related material consult [Mura@](#), the AIATSIS catalogue.

For access to audiovisual material contact the AIATSIS [Collections](#).

**Important:** Before clicking on the links to the catalogue entries please read our [sensitivity message](#).

### **Archivists' note**

The finding aid was revised in June-July 2016 to include an item listing and to add a second batch of Aboriginal Affairs working group press cuttings transferred by Ian Spalding to AIATSIS (registered at MAR08/087).

[\*\*Back to top\*\*](#)

## **RECORD NOTE**

This collection was transferred to AIATSIS by Ian Spalding on behalf of Aboriginal Affairs, a working group which distributed the *On Aboriginal Affairs*. A complete set of *On Aboriginal Affairs*, Nos.1-17, February 1962 – March 1967, is held by the AIATSIS Library at RareSerial 21/20.

The collection consists of newspaper clippings on Aboriginal affairs supplied by the Australian Press Cuttings Agency. The clippings are from major Australian newspapers and cover the period 1958 to 1974. The holdings for some years, in particular the years earlier than 1958, are incomplete.

The clippings cover a very wide range of issues, including housing, health, the Gurindji dispute with Vestey's, hostels, art, the Aboriginal Embassy, assimilation, apartheid, purchases of properties such as cattle stations, and articles referring to Neville Bonner, Charles Perkins, federal and state ministers and others.

The clippings are arranged in chronological order.

[\*\*Back to top\*\*](#)

## **SERIES DESCRIPTION**

<b>Series</b>	<b>Press clippings</b>
<b>MS 4090/1</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, incomplete: 1928-1929, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, Jan-Aug, Nov-Dec 1957
<b>MS 4090/2</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1958
<b>MS 4090/3</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1958
<b>MS 4090/4</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1958
<b>MS 4090/5</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1958
<b>MS 4090/6</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1958
<b>MS 4090/7</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1958
<b>MS 4090/8</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1959
<b>MS 4090/9</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1959
<b>MS 4090/10</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1959
<b>MS 4090/11</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1959
<b>MS 4090/12</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1959
<b>MS 4090/13</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1959
<b>MS 4090/14</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1960
<b>MS 4090/15</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar & May 1960
<b>MS 4090/16</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jun-Jul 1960
<b>MS 4090/17</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Aug-Sep 1960
<b>MS 4090/18</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Oct-Nov 1960
<b>MS 4090/19</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Dec 1960 & n.d. (1960?)
<b>MS 4090/20</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1961
<b>MS 4090/21</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1961
<b>MS 4090/22</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1961
<b>MS 4090/23</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1961
<b>MS 4090/24</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1961

**MS 4090 Aboriginal Affairs Press Clippings Collection, c.1957 – 1974**

<b>MS 4090/25</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1961
<b>MS 4090/26</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1962
<b>MS 4090/27</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1962
<b>MS 4090/28</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1962
<b>MS 4090/29</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1962
<b>MS 4090/30</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1962
<b>MS 4090/31</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1962
<b>MS 4090/32</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1963
<b>MS 4090/33</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1963
<b>MS 4090/34</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1963
<b>MS 4090/35</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1963
<b>MS 4090/36</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1963
<b>MS 4090/37</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1963
<b>MS 4090/38</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1964
<b>MS 4090/39</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1964
<b>MS 4090/40</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1964
<b>MS 4090/41</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1964
<b>MS 4090/42</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1964
<b>MS 4090/43</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1964
<b>MS 4090/44</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1965
<b>MS 4090/45</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1965
<b>MS 4090/46</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1965
<b>MS 4090/47</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1965
<b>MS 4090/48</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1965
<b>MS 4090/49</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1965
<b>MS 4090/50</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1966
<b>MS 4090/51</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1966
<b>MS 4090/52</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1966
<b>MS 4090/53</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1966
<b>MS 4090/54</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1966

**MS 4090 Aboriginal Affairs Press Clippings Collection, c.1957 – 1974**

<b>MS 4090/55</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1966
<b>MS 4090/56</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1967
<b>MS 4090/57</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1967
<b>MS 4090/58</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1967
<b>MS 4090/59</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1967
<b>MS 4090/60</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1967
<b>MS 4090/61</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1967
<b>MS 4090/62</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1968
<b>MS 4090/63</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1968
<b>MS 4090/64</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1968
<b>MS 4090/65</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1968
<b>MS 4090/66</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1968
<b>MS 4090/67</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1968
<b>MS 4090/68</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1969
<b>MS 4090/69</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1969
<b>MS 4090/70</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1969
<b>MS 4090/71</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1969
<b>MS 4090/72</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1969
<b>MS 4090/73</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1969
<b>MS 4090/74</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1970
<b>MS 4090/75</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1970
<b>MS 4090/76</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1970
<b>MS 4090/77</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1970
<b>MS 4090/78</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1970
<b>MS 4090/79</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1970
<b>MS 4090/80</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1971
<b>MS 4090/81</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1971
<b>MS 4090/82</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1971
<b>MS 4090/83</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1971
<b>MS 4090/84</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1971

**MS 4090 Aboriginal Affairs Press Clippings Collection, c.1957 – 1974**

<b>MS 4090/85</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1971
<b>MS 4090/86</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1972
<b>MS 4090/87</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1972
<b>MS 4090/88</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1972
<b>MS 4090/89</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1972
<b>MS 4090/90</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1972
<b>MS 4090/91</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1972
<b>MS 4090/92</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan-Feb 1973
<b>MS 4090/93</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar-Apr 1973
<b>MS 4090/94</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May-Jun 1973
<b>MS 4090/95</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jul-Aug 1973
<b>MS 4090/96</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Sep-Oct 1973
<b>MS 4090/97</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Nov-Dec 1973
<b>MS 4090/98</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jan 1974
<b>MS 4090/99</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Feb 1974
<b>MS 4090/100</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Mar 1974
<b>MS 4090/101</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Apr 1974
<b>MS 4090/102</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, May 1974
<b>MS 4090/103</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Jun-Jul 1974
<b>MS 4090/104</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, Aug, Oct-Nov 1974
<b>MS 4090/105</b>	Press clippings on Aboriginal affairs, 1975, 1979 (incomplete)

**[Back to top](#)**



**MS 4090 Aboriginal Affairs Press Clippings Collection, c.1957 – 1974**

**Box List**

<b>Folder</b>	<b>Box</b>
1-8	1
9-17	2
18-26	3
27-36	4
37-44	5
45-52	6
53-58	7
59-64	8
65-69	9
70-75	10
76-80	11
81-85	12
86-89	13
90-93	14
94-96	15
97-100	16
101-105	17

**Finding Aid compiled by J.E. Churches, December 2001, and revised by Ewan Maidment and Zivan Vranic, June-July 2016.**

[Library](#)    [Catalogue](#)    [Manuscripts Finding Aids Index](#)    [Back to top](#)