

Aboriginal Community Adoption Files – Bamaga

1973 – 1980

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Details

This series contains correspondence between the Bamaga Aboriginal Community and the Government departments responsible for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs in Queensland regarding adoptions of children. It includes forms recording details of the child/children to be adopted, the applicants, and the child's birth parents and grandparents. Some records include requests for extra information about people involved in an adoption, and the outcome of the adoption (completed or cancelled). While none of the records include certificates of adoption, there is a list of completed adoptions at the front of the file, using the adoptive parents surnames.

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More info

Organisations in these records

Related Concepts

- [Adoption in Queensland \(c. 1935 - current\)](#)

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