Introduction
The Tribunal’s Research Unit prepares bibliographies as a ready reference for anyone wanting to locate readily available, published material about Indigenous Australian people within a particular region or locality. The bibliographies are produced for general library use from reports prepared by the Tribunal for parties to native title mediations. The bibliographies are not exhaustive reference lists about any particular Indigenous group, nor is the published material necessarily an accurate or insightful report of Indigenous society. The Research Unit may update bibliographies from time to time, usually because a new research report has been reproduced for parties to mediation.

It should be noted that the contents and production of these reports are governed by time and resource constraints. They are often prepared in four to eight weeks by a single research officer with some input from a research assistant and Tribunal librarian. Generally most of the references sought for these reports are available only from the AIATSIS library, which in turn has limited resources available to supply material. Therefore care is taken to request only that material which appears relevant to the scope of a particular report.

Disclaimer: The bibliographies are a list of materials that have been used by the Research Unit of the Tribunal to provide background information for native title mediations. The Tribunal forms no view on the accuracy, completeness, or relevance of the reference material cited in these bibliographies. Most of this material is held at libraries and is available to the public. The Tribunal library may be able to assist in locating items.

South West Trial Area 1 Report
The South West Trial Area 1 report was prepared by research staff of the National Native Title Tribunal to assist in the mediation of issues arising from the native title applications known collectively as South West Trial Area 1, and comprising of the Harris Family (WC96/41), Isaac (WC98/42), South West Boojarah (WC98/63), and to the extent of the overlap with Gnaala Karla Booja (WC98/58). It was based on publicly and readily available information relevant to the traditional location of the Harris Family, Isaac, South West Boojarah and Gnaala Karla Booja people.

The Native Title applications cover an area of land in the south west of Western Australia, in the region of Geographe Bay, Margaret River, including the towns of Capel in the north, Bridgetown in the east and Windy Harbour and Augusta on the southern coast.

Research Method
For organisational purposes the search for sources focussed on Pibelmen, Wardandi or Kaneang in the region covered by South West Trial Area 1 within the AUSLIG co-ordinates SI50-05, 06, 09 and 10.

The research material used for this report is based largely on a search of the AIATSIS online catalogue, Mura. The material generated by these library searches was supplemented by relevant material and further references found in Tindale’s 1974 text
Aboriginal Tribes of Australia: Their Terrain, Environmental Controls, Distribution, Limits, and Proper Names, although not all references were obtainable at the time of writing.

An additional bibliographic source was Nicholas Thieberger (1993) Handbook of Western Australia’s Aboriginal Languages South of the Kimberley Region (also published in 1996 as a website compilation).

The Norman Tindale website was also reviewed for further material, including any readily available manuscript materials listed on the net. The Nina Layman manuscript was made available from the Tindale collection at the South Australian Anthropology Museum. Further manuscript or notebook materials cited as relevant to Pibelmen, Wardandi or Kaneang are not indexed by item and are not readily available without further research at the South Australian Anthropology Museum. The references to these manuscripts are provided as one of the Appendices. The website is located at: www.samuseum.sa.gov.au/tindale

Additional general references were used:

- Berndt, R.M & C.H. 1979, Aborigines of the West;
- Capell, A. 1963, Linguistic Survey of Australia;
- Davidson, D.S. 1938, A Preliminary Register of Australian Tribes and Hordes;
- Davis, S.L. 1993, Australia’s Extant and Imputed Traditional Aboriginal Territories;
- Donohue, M. 1991, ‘AIATSIS Library Language Names and Community/Established Language Names’;
- Greenway, J. 1963, Bibliography of the Australian Aborigines And The Native Peoples Of Torres Strait To 1959;
- Horton, D. ed. 1994, Encyclopaedia of Aboriginal Australia;
- Jarvis, N.Y. 1979, Western Australia: An atlas of human endeavour;
- Tindale, N.B. 1940, ‘Distribution of Australian Aboriginal Tribes: A Field Survey’; and

The search of Mura catalogue of print collection material produced 58 titles for Bibbulmun, 15 for Kaneang and 36 for Wardandi.

The following filtering process was applied to the remaining list. Sound tapes and film sources are difficult to process given time and resource constraints and they were omitted. Material on microfilm was omitted for the same reason. Foreign language material was also omitted. Also filtered from the list were repetitions of the same material, such as
different editions of the same work. Biographical index or genealogical materials were also omitted.

To assist with access to the considerable list of Daisy Bates materials that were listed in *Mura*, Tindale and Theiberger, copies of a small number of documents were obtained from the Noongar Land Council collection. They are: MS12/2 B, 13; MS12/2 B, 48; MS73.

Because of the small extent of the overlap of Kaneang with Trial Area 1, Kaneang materials were selected if they dealt specifically with the geographic area of the overlap or referred to Pibelman, Wardandi and the region covered by Trial Area 1. Kaneang materials will arise again in the report on Trial Area 2 to follow this one.

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