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**POLS 111: INTRODUCTION TO GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS**

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**POLS 111 lectures by Nigel S. Roberts**

**Monday, 19 March 2007:**

New Zealand's first-past-the-post and mixed member proportional representation (MMP) electoral systems

**Tuesday, 20 March 2007:**

The road to MMP

**Thursday, 22 March 2007:**

The road to MMP (*continued*)

**Monday, 26 March 2007:**

Parties, policies, and personalities: The 2002 New Zealand general election

**Tuesday, 27 March 2007:**

Lessons learned and lessons lost: Billboard battles in 2002 and 2005

**Thursday, 29 March 2007:**

Return to the *status quo ante*? The 2005 New Zealand general election