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SENIOR INDUSTRIAL OFFICER  
VICTORIAN FARMERS FEDERATION INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION  
24-28 COLLINS STREET  
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Dear Madam,

**VICTORIAN FARMERS FEDERATION INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION**

**RESULT OF ELECTION – E 45 of 2003 - OFFICE BEARERS.**

Notice of the result of the elections is attached. A copy has been sent to each candidate.

The elections are now complete.

Yours faithfully

Tony King  
Returning Officer  
22 July 2003

Copy to: Industrial Registrar, Victoria.

# VICTORIAN FARMERS FEDERATION INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION

## Attendance Ballot for election of Office Bearers

### DECLARATION OF RESULTS FOR UNCONTESTED OFFICES

Results of the election for the following offices conducted in accordance with Section 214 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 and the rules of the organisation

E No. 45 of 2003

#### President

##### Candidates

BOWMAN, Alan

#### Vice-President

##### Candidates

WHITEHEAD, Charles William

#### Treasurer

##### Candidates

BURGI, Terence Anthony

#### Trustee

##### Candidates

WINTON, James William

#### Executive Officer

##### Candidates

BRAY, William Stuart

As the number of nominations accepted did not exceed the number of positions to be filled, I declare the above candidates elected.



Tony King  
Returning Officer

22 July 2003



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Dear Madam,

**VICTORIAN FARMERS FEDERATION INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION**

**RESULT OF ELECTION – E 45 of 2003 - EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS.**

Notice of the result of the elections is attached. A copy has been sent to each candidate.

The elections are not complete.

I shall contact you shortly regarding arrangements for the election of office bearers to be conducted on Tuesday, 22 July 2003.

Yours faithfully

Tony King  
Returning Officer  
30 May 2003.

*Copies to:*

*The Industrial Registrar, Principal Registry, GPO Box 1994S, MELBOURNE VIC 3001*

# Victorian Farmers Federation Industrial Association

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Ballot papers issued	3129
Duplicate ballot papers issued	0
<b>TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ISSUED</b>	<b>3129</b>
Ballot papers / envelopes returned for scrutiny	766
Less ballot papers / envelopes rejected at preliminary scrutiny	18
<b>TOTAL BALLOT PAPERS ADMITTED TO SCRUTINY</b>	<b>748</b>
Percentage of ballot papers returned to number issued	24%
Ballot papers returned as unclaimed mail	5
Ballot papers not returned	2358

### Executive Committee Member (10)

<u>Candidates</u>	<u>Votes</u>
HINTON, James William	5642
FISKEN, Geoffrey Charles	3526
TULLY, Robert John	5914
McCORMACK, Colin Robert	4353
SCHREURS, William	5211
BOWMAN, Alan Heard	2926
McFARLANE, William John	4199
WHITEHEAD, Charles William	3433
BURGI, Terence Anthony	4776
RAY, William Stuart	4070
FRYATT, Gilbert John	4328
Formal ballot papers	733
Informal ballot papers	15

I declare Alan Heard Bowman, Charles William Whitehead, Geoffrey Charles Fiskken, William Stuart Bray, William John McFarlane, Gilbert John Fryatt, Colin Robert McCormack, Terence Anthony Burgi, William Schreurs, and James William Hinton elected.



Tony King  
Returning Officer  
Australian Electoral Commission

30 May 2003

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**APPOINTMENT TO CONDUCT AN ELECTION AND/OR BALLOT**

The AEC has made arrangements to conduct the following election and/or ballot.

Scheduled Election E No 45 2003  
Victorian Farmers Federation Industrial Association

I have appointed you to conduct the above event. Would you please take the necessary steps.



for the Australian Electoral Officer  
Victoria

4 March 2003

For Information:

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Deputy Industrial Registrar  
Australian Industrial Registry  
Victoria



**AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIAL REGISTRY**

Level 35, Nauru House  
80 Collins Street, Melbourne, VIC 3000  
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Mr Alan Bowman  
President  
Victorian Farmers Federation Industrial Association  
24-28 Collins Street  
MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Dear Mr Bowman,

**Re: Arrangement for the conduct of elections in accordance with  
section 214 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 - E2003/45**

A copy of the Registrar's decision in relation to the above matter is enclosed.

Any queries concerning the conduct of the subject elections should be directed in the first instance to the Australian Electoral Commission, Victoria on (03) 9285 7150.

Yours sincerely,

Ruth Hansen   
Statutory Services Branch

5 March 2003

# FAX TRANSMISSION

**To:**

**From:**

**Subject:** E2003/45 - TO Bowman, Mr Alan, Victorian Farmers Federation Industrial Association re  
Print filed on 5/3/2003

This fax was sent by Microsoft Exchange server and FAXmaker for Exchange

**Message:**

In relation to E2003/45 before Registrar - Deputy Industrial Registrar Nassios,  
I have attached for your information a copy of Print(s) 928400  
which has been filed in the Australian Industrial Registry.

PR928400

WORKPLACE RELATIONS ACT 1996  
s.214 arrangement for conduct of an election

**Victorian Farmers Federation Industrial Association  
(E2003/45)**

T NASSIOS  
DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL REGISTRAR

MELBOURNE, 5 MARCH 2003

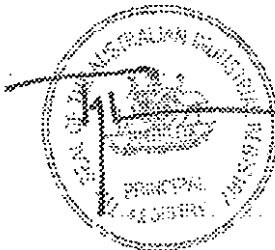
DECISION

On 4 March 2003 the abovenamed organisation lodged in the Industrial Registry prescribed information in relation to elections for the following offices:

Executive Committee members (10)

President  
Vice-President  
Treasurer  
Trustee  
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I am satisfied that elections for the abovenamed offices are required to be held under the rules of the organisation and, under subsection 214(2) of the Workplace Relations Act 1996, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the elections by the Australian Electoral Commission.



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**HANSEN, Ruth**

**From:** HANSEN, Ruth

**Sent:** Wednesday, 5 March 2003 10:10 AM

**To:** 'john.nellor@aec.gov.au'

**Subject:** Election decision re: E2003/45

Copy of decision re VFFIA is attached together with a copy of the current rules of the Association.



PR928400.doc



VFFIA -  
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**(E2003/45)**

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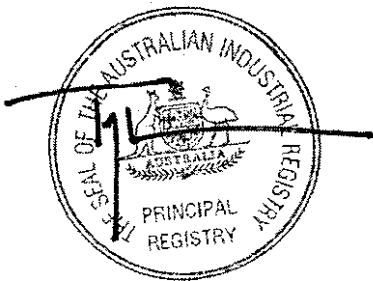
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25 February, 2003

The Registrar  
Industrial Registry  
Australian Industrial Relations Commission  
80 Collins Street  
MELBOURNE VIC 3000

Dear Sir,

### ***Arrangement for the Conduct of an Election***

Please arrange for the conduct of an election for the VFFIA Executive Committee.

For the purposes of section 214(1) of the *Workplace Relations Act* 1996 (Cth) and in accordance with regulation 61(1) and regulation 102 of the *Workplace Relations Regulations* 1996 (Cth) the following information is submitted regarding the election of the Victorian Farmers Federation Industrial Association Executive Committee:

- a) The name of each office in respect of which an election is required: the election of 10 members of an Executive Committee elected pursuant to Rule 28 of the VFFIA Rules. From among the 10 members, there shall be elected a President, Vice President, Treasurer, Trustee and Executive Officer, pursuant to Rule 29 of the VFFIA Rules.
- b) The reason for the election: the election is necessary because the term of the office has expired.
- c) Inapplicable.
- d) Inapplicable.
- e) It is planned that the annual general meeting of the Association will be held at 5.30pm on Tuesday 22 July 2003 and the first meeting of the Executive Committee will be held following that meeting. Rule 28(1) of the VFFIA is *inter alia* as follows:

"Nominations shall be called for the election of the Executive Committee from financial members of the Association by notice posted to them, the closing date for such nominations being a date not less than two months before the Annual General Meeting which shall give sufficient time for ballot

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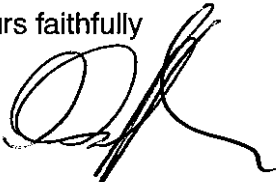
papers to be despatched to and returned by all members of the Association eligible to vote to enable the count to be completed prior to the Annual General Meeting."

Such notice must be given to members not less than 14 days before the closing date for nominations.

- f) The voting system to be used should be a direct voting system followed by a collegiate electoral system.

Please indicate at your earliest convenience the liaison which will occur with the Australian Electoral Commission.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Alan Bowman', written over a horizontal line.

**ALAN BOWMAN**  
**PRESIDENT VFFIA**