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TO MEMBERS OF THE AUSTRALIAN VETERINARY ASSOCIATION LTD NOMINATIONS FOR ELECTION OF AVA EXECUTIVE MEMBER

Article 97(ii) of the Association reads in part: "The President Elect shall be elected by a postal ballot of the Members of the Association".

Article 97(v) of the Association reads in part: "One Executive Member shall be elected each year and the term of office shall be three years".

The election of the candidates shall be determined by the result of a postal ballot to be announced at the Annual General Meeting at Canberra on Friday, 11 March 1994.

The election of these positions is an important part of Association affairs as the President-elect and Executive Members, along with the President, Vice President and the Financial Controller, are the Directors of the Australian Veterinary Association Ltd.

The following nominations have been received as candidates for the election of

President-elect:

- LONSDALE, Tom - New South Wales
- SCANLON, Pamela - South Australia

Executive Member:

- BASSET, Colin - Victoria
- MUIR, Breck - New South Wales

Curricula Vitae and a Ballot Paper are attached. Ballot Papers are required to reach the National Office of the AVA, Artarmon, not later than 5.00pm, Friday, 25 February 1994.

Dr John Plant will be the Returning Officer in accordance with Article 97(vi).

Please note: Life Fellows, Life Members, Associates, Affiliates, Honorary and Student Members are not entitled to vote in these elections.

There is no requirement for a ballot for the position of Financial Controller as only one nomination was received. Dr William Scanlan is the Financial Controller for 1994.

Philip Greenwood
Chief Executive Officer

7 February 1994

PRESIDENT-ELECT

TOM LONSDALE

Riverstone Veterinary Hospital
Garfield Road
Riverstone NSW 2765

Tom has been a friend for 32 years. He graduated London 1972, worked as a volunteer in Kenya, then returned to study politics at the London School of Economics. He worked briefly in Western Australia in 1980 and has established four practices in outer Sydney.

In 1989 through lectures and articles he promoted veterinary involvement with environmental issues, which became the theme of the 1991 Darling Harbour Conference. His subsequent interest in diet and disease has given him a high profile and he articulates the thoughts of many on this subject. His important contribution, "Cybernetic Hypothesis of Periodontal Disease" will be published in the American J. Vet. Dent. 1994.

Tom combines energy and enthusiasm, is clear thinking and dedicated to excellence in the veterinary profession. If elected he will devote himself unreservedly to the promotion of the profession and the welfare of our animal patients.

nominated by JF Lumley

PAMELA SCANLON

25 Clarke Street
Port Noarlunga SA 5167

South Australian small animal practitioner - graduated 1975.

Actively involved SA Division since 1976 - started the Employed Veterinarians Branch in SA and developed concept of out-of-hours emergency centre for Adelaide.

AVA Policy Councillor 1990, AVA Executive Member since 1991. Areas of responsibility - animal welfare and environmental issues. Represents AVA on a number of important national animal welfare bodies. Involved in developing national strategy to support graduates, especially new graduates.

Pam believes that the future of the profession is under scrutiny, that the Association needs to present itself professionally and credibly to the public, press and Government.

nominated by J Malmo