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## **NATIONAL COMMITTEES FOR SCIENCE National Committee for Plant and Animal Sciences**

### **2009 BUSINESS PLAN or WORK PLAN, including TIMELINES AND PROPOSED BUDGETS**

**Note:** This plan will be published on the National Committee page of the Academy of Science website [www.science.org.au/natcoms](http://www.science.org.au/natcoms).

It is anticipated that this Plan (approx one page) would provide information on:

1. Aims of this National Committee.

The aim of this Committee is to raise awareness of the role that is played by plant and animal science in the health and wealth of the Australian community

2. Strategies to allow these aims to be achieved.

Engaging to a greater extent with the tertiary education sectors.  
Promoting the benefits of plant and animal science to the Australian community.  
Strengthening relationships with scientific societies.  
Contributing to policy development.  
Facilitating international engagement by Australian scientists

3. Plan of work/activities (and proposed budget details) in 2009 which will achieve the aims:

- a. National (Funding from Academy: Up to \$2,500 upon presentation of receipts/invoices, to support NC meetings/teleconferences). Please include draft agenda items.
- b. International Scientific Union (Funding from Academy: Up to \$2,000 each for up to three approved voting delegates, upon presentation of a report and receipts/invoices, for attendance at the triennial/quadrennial General Assembly meetings of the corresponding International Union).



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*Progress against these identified Work Plan activities will be reported on in the Chairs' annual reports to the Academy. Work Plans for 2008 can be viewed at [www.science.org.au/natcoms](http://www.science.org.au/natcoms)*

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