



Dear

At the recent Beef + Lamb New Zealand Annual Meeting in Feilding, a motion concerning the AgResearch 'Future Footprint' proposal was put to the meeting and carried by a majority on a show of hands.

The motion was: "That AgResearch is requested to extend its level of consultation for the move from Invermay of sheep and deer genetics research and consult with commercial ram breeders in the North and South Islands."

To facilitate this, we have asked AgResearch to provide background information on the Future Footprint proposal and it is enclosed.

AgResearch will also be looking to present to a number of events over the coming weeks. Once event dates and venues are confirmed, we will be providing further information on how you can hear from AgResearch and seek further information of their proposal, face-to-face.

I would encourage you to provide feedback directly to AgResearch through the contact details provided in the enclosure.

Best wishes

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "James Parsons". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

James Parsons  
Chairman  
Beef + Lamb New Zealand