

**2. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT
ILAM AND UPPER RICCARTON RESIDENT'S ASSOCIATION**



Judy Sinclair and Jane Tyler-Gordon were present representing the Association, an apology being received from Ecky Bockerhoff.

The Board previously made a grant to the Association to assist it to prepare submissions opposing the resource consent application made by Feltex NZ Ltd to burn coal at its Upper Riccarton Factory. Mrs Sinclair tabled a summary of the work undertaken by the Association, the evidence which it had gathered together, the hearing and the Commissioner's subsequent decision of 31 October 2003. She expressed the Association's gratitude for the financial support given by the Board.

Members asked questions and also acknowledged the efforts of the Association in participating in this high profile resource management process.