



Elections for the WFCC Executive Board 2004

Dear WFCC members,

The ballot sheets for the election of the next WFCC Executive Board have been sent out to paying members if you have paid and not yet received the ballot sheets then please contact the Secretary Dr David Smith d.smith@cabi.org. Please vote for one nominee as President, one nominee as Vice president and for six further members to the board. Please return the sheets to the current president by **May 31st, 2004**.

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