

AUCKLAND HOME BIRTH ASSOCIATION ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGHELD AT THE SOUTH PACIFIC COLLEGE ON APRIL 22ND 1990PRESENT/INTRODUCTIONS:APOLOGIES:REPORTS:

- 1) Secretarial
- 2) Treasurers
- 3) Midwives
- 4) Newsletter
- 5) Support Groups

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

- 1) President
- 2) Secretary
- 3) Treasurer

GENERAL BUSINESS:

- 1) **Fees:** An increase in registration and subscription fees has been proposed.
- 2) **Changes in Funding for Midwives after the Amendment of the Nurses Act:** Carolyn Young.
- 3) **Consumer Representation of the DMSRC:** It has been proposed that there be 2 non homebirth consumers on the committee. How do we feel about this?
- 4) **Home help for homebirth and early discharge families:** Diane McAllister is preparing a draft for a pilot scheme possibly to be funded by a COGS grant.
- 5) **Statistics:** Alex Gilanders is no longer able to prepare the National Stats free of charge. He estimates that it will cost \$2.00 per form. The time required is about 2 to 4 hours per week to process 1000 births.