



**Meat & Livestock Australia Limited (MLA) is seeking to appoint three non-executive directors to its Board.**

MLA is a producer-owned, not-for-profit organisation that delivers research, development and marketing services to Australia's red meat industry. MLA strives to be the recognised leader in delivering world-class research, development and marketing outcomes that benefit Australian cattle, sheep and goat producers.

Working in collaboration with the Australian Government and wider red meat industry, MLA's mission is to deliver value to levy payers by investing in initiatives that contribute to producer profitability, sustainability and global competitiveness.

The role of the Board is to ensure appropriate performance goals are set and achieved and ensure risk is appropriately managed, while taking into account the interests of the industry and other stakeholders. This includes strategy development and review of governance, financial performance and risk management.

As a skills-based Board and in line with current specific requirements, candidates with extensive skills and experience in at least one of the following areas are encouraged to apply:

- Northern cattle production systems, including (but not limited to) live export, sustainability, infrastructure, MSA and genetics
- Production and supply chain systems, and key drivers of red meat customer demand, both domestic and international
- Strategic R&D and portfolio analysis in the food industry, with a focus on food science, innovation and food production

Candidates with other specialist skill sets are also encouraged to apply whilst recognising that all applicants should possess the following:

- A broad understanding of the Australian red meat and livestock industry
- Strong business acumen, sound financial literacy and corporate governance
- Well developed communication skills, with a collaborative approach in making an active contribution to strategic and Board discussion
- An understanding of adaptive capacity, change management and adoption in relation to social, environmental and financial factors

For further information on MLA and an information pack outlining the application process, please refer to the company website: <http://www.mla.com.au/directorguidelines>

To enquire please phone Mick Hay or Sharon Moloney on **(07) 3878 3411** and apply via **[www.rimfireresources.com.au](http://www.rimfireresources.com.au)** by close of business **Friday 3 June 2016**.