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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM N-PX

ANNUAL REPORT OF PROXY VOTING RECORD OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT
COMPANY

INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT FILE NUMBER: 811-04438
NAME OF REGISTRANT: Aberdeen Australia Equity
Fund, Inc.
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES: 800 Scudders Mill Road
Plainsboro, NJ 08536
NAME AND ADDRESS OF AGENT FOR SERVICE: Mr. Bev Hendry
Aberdeen Asset Management
Inc.
300 SE 2nd Street, Suite
820
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301
REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER: 866-839-5205
DATE OF FISCAL YEAR END: 10/31
DATE OF REPORTING PERIOD: 07/01/2005 - 06/30/2006

Aberdeen Australia Equity Fund, Inc.

APN NEWS AND MEDIA LIMITED

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Security: Q1076J107
Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
Meeting Date: 02-May-2006
Ticker: APN AU
ISIN: AU000000APN4

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
	Receive and approve the financial report, the Directors report and the Independent Audit report for the YE 31 DEC 2005	Non-Voting	No vote
1.	Re-elect Ms. Sallyanne Atkinson as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For

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2.	Re-elect Mr. Donal J. Buggy as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.	Re-elect Mr. Pierce P. Cody as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
4.	Re-elect Mr. John H. Maasland as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
5.	Adopt the Company s remuneration report for the YE 31 DEC 2005	Mgmt	For
6.	Authorize the Board of Directors of the Company, pursuant to the Company s Executive and Director Option Plan the EDOP and Australian Stock Exchange ASX Listing Rule 10.14, to issue to Mr. Brendan M.A. Hopkins, a Director and the Company s Chief Executive, on 02 MAY 2006 options to subscribe for up to 1,500,000 fully paid ordinary shares following the exercise of any such options in accordance with the EDOP	Mgmt	For
	Any other business	Non-Voting	No vote

 AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND BANKING GROUP LTD

 Agen

Security: Q09504137
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 16-Dec-2005
 Ticker: ANZ AU
 ISIN: AU000000ANZ3

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive the concise annual report, the financial report and the reports of the Directors and of the Auditors for the YE 30 SEP 2005	Non-Voting	No vote
2.	Adopt the Remuneration Report for the YE 30 SEP 2005	Mgmt	For
3.a	Re-elect Dr. R.S. Dean as a Director, who retires in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.b	Re-elect Mr. D.M. Gonski AO as a Director, who retires in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.c	Re-elect Mr. C.B. Goode AC as a Director, who retires in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
S.4	Amend the Company s Constitution by making the	Mgmt	For

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amendments as specified in the document

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| 5. | Authorize the Company to enter into the Director s Access, Insurance and Indemnity Deed between the Company and each current and future Director of the Company in substantially the same form as that which is submitted to the 2005 AGM and signed by the Chairman for the purposes of identification, and to the Company providing the benefits in accordance with the Deed to current and future Directors; and authorize any Director and Secretary of the Company to execute on behalf of the Company, the Directors Access, Insurance and Indemnity Deeds | Mgmt | For |
| 6. | Approve, due to the Company s existing Directors Retirement Scheme being discontinued with effect on and from 01 OCT 2005, to: a) amend the Directors Retirement Scheme as specified; b) to acquire an interest in fully paid ordinary shares of the Company by or on behalf of the Non-Executive Directors as specified, who would otherwise have become entitled to a payment on retirement under the Directors Retirement Scheme | Mgmt | For |
| 7. | Approve that the maximum annual aggregate of remuneration Company s Constitution the Non-Executive Directors to be paid for their services as Directors out of the funds of the Company under Rule 10.2(a) of the Constitution be increased by AUD 500,000 and fixed at AUD 3,000,000 | Mgmt | For |

 AUSTRALIAN STOCK EXCHANGE LTD

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Security: Q1080Z105
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 29-Sep-2005
 Ticker: ASX AU
 ISIN: AU000000ASX7

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|--------|--|---------------|---------------|
| | Receive and approve the financial report, Directors report and the Auditor s report for the Australian Stock Exchange Limited ASX and its controlled entities for the YE 30 JUN 2005 | Non-Voting | No vote |
| | Receive the financial statements and the Auditor s report for the National Guarantee Fund for the YE 30 JUN 2005 | Non-Voting | No vote |
| 3. | Adopt the remuneration report | Mgmt | For |
| 4. | Elect Mr. Russell A Aboud as a Director of ASX | Mgmt | For |

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| 5. | Re-elect Mr. Maurice L. Newman as a Director of ASX | Mgmt | For |
| 6. | Re-elect Mr. Trevor C. Rowe as a Director of ASX, who retires by rotation | Mgmt | For |
| 7. | Approve, for all purposes including for the purpose of Listing Rule 7.2 exception 9 as an exception to Listing Rule 7.1 , the grant of performance rights to acquire shares in ASX, and the issue or transfer of shares in ASX, under the ASX long-term Incentive Plan, the principal terms as specified | Mgmt | For |
| 8. | Approve, for all purposes including for the purpose of Listing Rule 10.14, the grant of performance rights to acquire shares in ASX and the issue or transfer of shares in ASX, to Mr. Anthony D Aloisio under the ASX long-term incentive plan as specified | Mgmt | For |

 BENDIGO BANK LIMITED

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 Security: Q1456C110
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 31-Oct-2005
 Ticker: BEN AU
 ISIN: AU000000BEN6

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|--------|---|---------------|---------------|
| 1. | Receive and approve the Company s financial report, the Directors report and the report by the Auditor for the YE 30 JUN 2005 | Non-Voting | No vote |
| 2. | Adopt the remuneration report for the Company for the YE 30 JUN 2005 | Mgmt | For |
| 3. | Re-elect Mr. N. Axelby as a Director of the Company, who retires from office under Rule 67 of the Company s Constitution | Mgmt | For |
| 4. | Re-elect Mr. R. Johanson as a Director of the Company, who retires from office under Rule 67 of the Company s Constitution | Mgmt | For |
| 5. | Re-elect Mr. T. O Dwyer as a Director of the Company, who retires from office under Rule 67 of the Company s Constitution | Mgmt | For |
| 6. | Approve to increase the maximum annual aggregate amount payable to the Non-Executive Directors by way of the Directors fees from AUD 900,000 to AUD 1,200,000 | Mgmt | For |
| S.7 | Approve to reinstate and renew the Rule 104, | Mgmt | For |

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Approval of Partial Takeover Bids, forming part of the Company's Constitution for a period of 3 years until 31 OCT 2008

 BHP BILLITON LTD

Agen

Security: Q1498M100
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 25-Nov-2005
 Ticker: BHP AU
 ISIN: AU000000BHP4

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive the financial statements for BHP Billiton plc for the YE 30 JUN 2005, together with the Directors report, the Auditors report and the remuneration report as set out in the annual report	Mgmt	For
2.	Receive the financial statements for BHP Billiton Limited for the YE 30 JUN 2005, together with the Directors report, the Auditors report and remuneration report as set out in the annual report	Mgmt	For
3.	Re-elect Mr. Carlos Cordeiro as a Director of BHP Billiton PLC, who retires by rotation	Mgmt	For
4.	Re-elect Mr. Carlos Cordeiro as a Director of BHP Billiton Limited, who retires by rotation	Mgmt	For
5.	Re-elect Hon. Gail de Planque as a Director of BHP Billiton PLC, who retires by rotation	Mgmt	For
6.	Re-elect Hon. Gaile de Planque as a Director of BHP Billiton Limited, who retires by rotation	Mgmt	For
7.	Re-elect Mr. David Crawford as a Director of BHP Billiton PLC, who retires by rotation	Mgmt	For
8.	Re-elect Mr. David Crawford as a Director of BHP Billiton Limited, who retires by rotation	Mgmt	For
9.	Re-elect Mr. David Jenkins as a Director of BHP Billiton PLC, who retires by rotation	Mgmt	For
10.	Re-elect Mr. David Jenkins as a Director of BHP Billiton Limited, who retires by rotation	Mgmt	For
11.	Re-elect Mr. Mike Salomon as a Director of BHP Billiton PLC, who retires by rotation	Mgmt	For
12.	Re-elect Mr. Mike Salomon as a Director of BHP Billiton Limited, who retires by rotation	Mgmt	For

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| 13. | Re-appoint KPMG Audit PLC as the auditors of BHP Billiton PLC and authorize the Directors to agree their remuneration | Mgmt | For |
| 14. | Approve that the authority and power to allot relevant securities conferred on the Directors by Article 9 of BHP Billiton PLC s Articles of Association be renewed for the period ending on the earlier of 19 JAN 2007 and the later of the AGM of BHP Billiton Limited in 2006, and for such period the Section 80 amount under the United Kingdom Companies Act 1985 shall be USD 265,926,499.00 | Mgmt | For |
| S.15 | Approve that the authority and power to allot equity securities for cash conferred on the Directors by Article 9 of BHP Billiton PLC s Articles of Association be renewed for the period ending on the earlier of 19 JAN 2007 and the later of the AGM of BHP Billiton Limited in 2006, and for such period the Section 80 amount under the United Kingdom Companies Act 1985 shall be USD 61,703,675.00 | Mgmt | For |
| S.16 | <p>Authorize BHP Billiton PLC, in accordance with Article 6 of its Articles of Association and Section 166 of the United Kingdom Companies Act 1985, to make market purchases as defined in Section 163 of that Act of ordinary shares of USD 0.50 nominal value each in the capital of BHP Billiton PLC shares provided that:</p> <p>a) the maximum aggregate number of shares hereby authorized to be purchased shall be 246,814,700, being 10% of issued capital; b) the minimum price which may be paid for each share is USD 0.50, being the nominal value of the shares; c) the maximum price which may be paid for any share is not more than 5% above the average of the middle market quotations for a share taken from the London Stock Exchange Daily Official List for the 5 business days immediately preceding the date of purchase of the shares; and d) the authority conferred by this resolution shall, unless renewed prior to such time, expire on the earlier of 19 JAN 2007 and the later of the AGM of BHP Billiton Limited in 2006 provided that BHP Billiton PLC may enter into a contract for the purchase of shares before the expiry of this authority which would or might be completed wholly or partly after such expiry</p> | Mgmt | For |
| 17. | Approve the remuneration report for the YE 30 JUN 2005 | Mgmt | For |
| 18. | Approve, the purpose of ASX Listing Rule 10.14, to grant the Deferred Shares and the Options under the amended BHP Billiton Limited Group Incentive Scheme and to grant the Performance Shares under the BHP Billiton Limited Long Term Incentive Plan to Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer, Mr. C.W. Goodyear, | Mgmt | For |

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in the manner as specified

19.	Approve, for the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 10.14, to grant the Deferred Shares and Options under the amended BHP Billiton PLC Group Incentive Scheme and to grant the Performance Shares under the BHP Billiton PLC Long Term Incentive Plan to Executive Director and Group President Non-Ferrous Materials, Mr. M. Salamon, in the manner as specified	Mgmt	For
S.20	Amend the Articles of Association of BHP Billiton Plc as specified	Mgmt	For
S.21	Amend the Articles of Association of BHP Billiton Limited as specified	Mgmt	For

 BILLABONG INTERNATIONAL LTD

Agen

 Security: Q1502G107
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 21-Oct-2005
 Ticker: BBG AU
 ISIN: AU000000BBG6

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive the financial reports, including the Directors declaration, for the YE 30 JUN 2005 and the related Directors report and the audit report	Non-Voting	No vote
2.	Re-elect Ms. Margaret Jackson as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with Article 17.1 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.	Re-elect Mr. Allan McDonald as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with Article 17.1 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
4.	Adopt the remuneration report for the YE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
5.	Approve, for the purpose of ASX Listing Rule 10.17 and all other purposes, to increase the aggregate amount of remuneration to be paid by the Company to its Non-Executive Directors each year by AUD 400,000 from AUD 800,000 to AUD 1,200,000	Mgmt	For
6.	Approve, for the purpose of ASX Listing Rule 10.14 and pursuant to the Billabong International Limited Executive Performance Share Plan, the award of 45,496 fully paid ordinary shares, for no consideration, to Mr. Derek O Neill for the FYE 30 JUN 2006	Mgmt	For

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| 7. | Approve, for the purpose of ASX Listing Rule 10.14 and pursuant to the Billabong International Limited Executive Performance Share Plan, the award of 45,496 fully paid ordinary shares, for no consideration, to Mr. Paul Naude for the FYE 30 JUN 2006 | Mgmt | For |
| S.8 | Approve that the Company s Constitution be repealed and replaced by the Constitution tabled at the meeting and signed by the Chairman | Mgmt | For |

COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA

Agen

Security: Q26915100
Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
Meeting Date: 28-Oct-2005
Ticker: CBA AU
ISIN: AU000000CBA7

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|--------|--|---------------|---------------|
| 1. | Approve the financial report, the Directors report and the Auditors report for the YE 30 JUN 2005 | Non-Voting | No vote |
| 2.a | Re-elect Mr. J.M. Schubert as a Director, in accordance with the Articles 11.1 and 11.2 of the Constitution of Commonwealth Bank of Australia | Mgmt | For |
| 2.b | Re-elect Mr. F.J. Swan as a Director, in accordance with the Articles 11.1 and 11.2 of the Constitution of Commonwealth Bank of Australia | Mgmt | For |
| 2.c | Re-elect Mr. C.R. Galbraith as a Director, in accordance with the Articles 11.1 and 11.2 of the Constitution of Commonwealth Bank of Australia | Mgmt | For |
| 3. | Adopt the remuneration report for the YE 30 JUN 2005 | Mgmt | For |
| 4. | Approve to grant to Mr. R.J. Norris, prior to the 2007 AGM of Commonwealth Bank of Australia, of rights to receive shares in three tranches up to a maximum value of AUD 12 million under the rules of the Bank s Equity Reward Plan | Mgmt | For |

DOWNER EDI LTD

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Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 02-Nov-2005
 Ticker: DOW AU
 ISIN: AU000000DOW2

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive and approve the financial statements and reports of the Directors and the Auditor for the YE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
2.	Re-elect Mr. J.S. Humphrey as a Director, who retires in accordance with the Constitution of the Company	Mgmt	For
3.	Adopt the remuneration report for the YE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
4.	Approve the grant of up to a maximum of 47,945 performance rights and up to a maximum of 325,869 options to the Managing Director, Mr. Stephen Gillies, pursuant to the 2005 grant under the Downer EDI Limited Long Term Incentive Plan, on the terms specified	Mgmt	For

FOSTER'S GROUP LTD

Agen

Security: Q3944W187
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 24-Oct-2005
 Ticker: FGL AU
 ISIN: AU000000FGL6

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Re-elect Mr. F.J. Swan as a Director, who retires in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
2.	Re-elect Mr. G.W. McGregor as a Director, who retires in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
S.3	Approve that, Rule 7.8 of the Constitution of Foster s Group Limited by shareholders on 28 MAY 2001 to reinstated in the Constitution	Mgmt	For
4.	Approve to increase the total amount of the Directors fees that may be received by the Company s Non-Executive Directors from AUD 1,200,000 per FY to AUD 1,500,000 per FY, such amount to be inclusive of superannuation guarantee charge contributions	Mgmt	For
5.	Approve, subject to the attainment of the relevant performance standards under the Foster s Long	Mgmt	For

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Term Incentive Plan (Plan), the acquisition of rights in respect of up to a maximum of 402,800 ordinary shares in the Company in respect of the 2005/2006 FY, by Mr. T.L. O Hoy, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Company under the Plan

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| 6. | Adopt the remuneration report required by Section 300A of the Corporation Act, as contained in the Directors report of the Company, for the YE 30 JUN 2005 | Mgmt | For |
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 LEIGHTON HOLDINGS LTD

Agen

Security: Q55190104
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 10-Nov-2005
 Ticker: LEI AU
 ISIN: AU000000LEI5

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive and approve the financial report and reports of the Directors and the Auditor for the YE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
2.	Adopt the remuneration report for the YE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
3.1	Re-elect Mr. D.S. Adams as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with Clause 18 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.2	Re-elect Mr. M.C. Albrecht as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with Clause 18 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.3	Re-elect Mr. G.J. Dixon as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with Clause 18 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.4	Re-elect Mr. G.J. Ashton as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with Clause 18 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
4.	Approve to increase, in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 10.17 and Clause 20 of the Company s Constitution, the maximum aggregate yearly sum that may be paid by the Company as remuneration for the services of the Company s Non-Executive Directors by AUD 700,000 from AUD 1,300,000 to AUD 2,000,000 with effect on and from 01 JUL 2005	Mgmt	For

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 LION NATHAN LTD

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 Security: Q5585K109
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 15-Dec-2005
 Ticker: LNN AU
 ISIN: AU000000LNN6

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive and approve the financial report of the Company and its controlled entities for the YE 30 SEP 2005, and the report of the Directors and Auditors of the Company	Non-Voting	No vote
2.	Adopt the remuneration report of the Company and its controlled entities for the YE 30 SEP 2005	Mgmt	For
3.a	Elect Mr. Koichiro Aramaki as a Non-Executive Director of the Company	Mgmt	For
3.b	Re-elect Mr. Glenn Lawrence Lord Barnes as a Non-Executive Director	Mgmt	For
3.c	Elect Mr. Peter Hallam Bush as a Non-Executive Director of the Company	Mgmt	For
3.d	Re-elect Mr. Hitoshi Oshima as a Non-Executive Director	Mgmt	For
3.e	Re-elect Mr. Barbara Kay Ward as a Non-Executive Director	Mgmt	For
4.	Approve for all purposes including ASX Listing Rule 10.17 the increase in the maximum amount of remuneration payable in aggregate to Non-Executive Directors by AUD 100,000 to a maximum amount of AUD 1,000,000 per annum, commencing with effect from 01 JAN 2006	Mgmt	For
5.	Approve is given for all purposes including ASX Listing Rule 10.14 for; (a) variation of the terms of the participation in the Company s Achievement Rights Plan by Mr. Murray, Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer of the Company; (b) the acquisition accordingly by Mr. Murray of Achievement Rights and, in consequence of the exercise of those Achievement Rights, of ordinary shares in the Company; and (c) the provision of benefits to Mr. Murray under the Achievements Rights Plan, in accordance with the Plan Rules and as described in the explanatory notes to this notice of AGM	Mgmt	For
6.	Approve is given for all purposes including ASX Listing Rule 10.14 for; (a) variation of the terms of the participation in the Company	Mgmt	For

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s Achievement Rights plan by Mr. Reeves, Executive Director of the Company and Managing Director of Lion Nathan Australia; (b) the acquisition accordingly by Mr. Reeves of Achievement Rights and, in consequence of the exercise of those Achievement Rights, of ordinary shares in the Company; and (c) the provision of benefits to Mr. Reeves under the Achievement Rights Plan, in accordance with the Plan Rules and as described in the explanatory notes to this notice of AGM

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| 7. | Adopt the document submitted to the meeting, and for the purpose of identification signed by the Chair person of meeting as the Constitution of the Company, in substitution for the present Constitution of the Company; and approve the benefit conferred on Directors and other Officers of the Company by the indemnity and insurance provisions contained in part 21 of the new Constitution | Mgmt | For |
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 QANTAS AIRWAYS LTD

Agen

 Security: Q77974105
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 13-Oct-2005
 Ticker: QAN AU
 ISIN: AU000000QAN2

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive the financial report, the Directors report and the Independent Audit report of the Qantas Airways Limited for the FYE 30 JUN 2005	Non-Voting	No vote
2.	Approve to ask questions about or make comments on the Management and the audit of Qantas	Non-Voting	No vote
3.1	Re-elect Mr. Paul Anderson as a Non-Executive Director of Qantas Airways Limited, who retires in accordance with the Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.2	Re-elect Mr. John Schubert as a Non-Executive Director of Qantas Airways Limited, who retires in accordance with the Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.3	Re-elect Mr. Garry Hounsell as a Non-Executive Director of Qantas Airways Limited, who retires in accordance with the Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.4	Re-elect Mr. Peter Cosgrove as a Non-Executive Director of Qantas Airways Limited, who retires in accordance with the Constitution	Mgmt	For

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4.	Adopt the remuneration report for the YE 30 JUN 2005 as specified	Mgmt	For
S.5	Amend the Constitution of Qantas Airways Limited, as specified	Mgmt	For

 QBE INSURANCE GROUP LTD

Agen

 Security: Q78063114
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 07-Apr-2006
 Ticker: QBE AU
 ISIN: AU000000QBE9

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive the financial reports, the reports of the Directors and of the Auditors of the Company for the YE 31 DEC 2005	Non-Voting	No vote
2.a	Re-elect Mr. E. John Cloney as a Director, who retires in accordance with Clause 76 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
2.b	Re-elect Ms. Belinda J. Hutchinson as a Director, who retires in accordance with Clause 76 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
2.c	Re-elect Ms. Irene Y.L. Lee as a Director, who retires in accordance with Clause 76 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.	Elect Ms. Isabel F. Hudson as a Director	Mgmt	For
4.	Adopt the remuneration report of the Company for the FYE 31 DEC 2005	Mgmt	For
5.	Approve, for the purpose of ASX Listing Rule 10.14 and for all other purposes, the grant to the Chief Executive Officer, Mr. F.M. O Halloran of conditional rights over a maximum of 37,000 shares in the Company and options to subscribe for a maximum of 97,000 unissued ordinary shares of the Company and the allotment or transfer of ordinary shares in the Company on satisfaction of and subject to the conditions attached to the conditional rights and on valid exercise of the options under the Company s 2005 Long Term Incentive Scheme	Mgmt	For
6.	Approve, for the purpose of Exception 9 in ASX Listing Rule 7.2, Section 200B and 200E of the Corporations Act and for all other purposes, to the issue or transfer of equity securities under the Long Term Incentive Scheme and to give benefits comprising the issue or transfer	Mgmt	For

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of ordinary shares in the Company under the Long Term Incentive Scheme to a participant in Equitable Circumstances as provided for under the terms of the Scheme

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| S.7 | Approve that the Company renew the proportional takeover approval provisions in the form set out in Clauses 117 to 119 of the Constitution of the Company, for the purpose of Section 648G of the Corporation Act | Mgmt | For |
| S.8 | Amend the Clause 115 of the Company s Constitution, as specified | Mgmt | For |

RIO TINTO LTD

Agen

Security: Q81437107
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 04-May-2006
 Ticker: RIO AU
 ISIN: AU000000RIO1

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| s.1 | Approve to buy-backs by the Company of fully paid ordinary shares in the Company of 12 month period following this approval: a) under one or more off-market buy-back tender schemes in accordance with the terms the Buy-Back Tenders as specified; and b) pursuant to on-market buy-backs by the Company in accordance with the Listing Rules of the Australian Stock Exchange, but only to the extent that the number of ordinary shares bought back pursuant to the authority in this Resolution, whether under any buy-back tenders or pursuant to any on-market buy-backs, does not in that 12 month period exceed 28.5 million ordinary shares | Mgmt | For |
| s.2 | Grant authority to buy-backs by the Company of ordinary shares from Tinto Holding Australia Private Limited (THA) in the 12 month period following upon the terms and subject to the conditions set out in the draft Buy-Back Agreement between the Company and THA entitled 2006 RTL-THA Agreement as specified | Mgmt | For |
| s.3 | Approve that, subject to the consent in writing of the holder of the special voting share: a) amend the Company s Constitution as specified; and b) adopt the Articles of Association of Rio Tinto PLC as the Articles of Association of Rio Tinto PLC in substitution for and to the exclusion of the existing Articles of Association of Rio Tinto PLC | Mgmt | For |

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4.	Elect Mr. Tom Albanese as a Director	Mgmt	For
5.	Elect Sir. Rod Eddington as a Director	Mgmt	For
6.	Re-elect Sir. David Clementi as a Director	Mgmt	For
7.	Re-elect Mr. Leigh Clifford as a Director	Mgmt	For
8.	Re-elect Mr. Andrew Gould as a Director	Mgmt	For
9.	Re-elect Mr. David Mayhew as a Director	Mgmt	For
10.	Re-appoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Auditors of Rio Tinto plc to hold office until the conclusion of the next AGM at which accounts are laid before Rio Tinto PLC and authorize the Audit Committee to determine the Auditors remuneration	Mgmt	For
11.	Approve the remuneration report as set out in the 2005 annual review and the 2005 annual report and the financial statements	Mgmt	For
12.	Receive the Company s financial report and the reports of the Directors and Auditors for the YE 31 DEC 2005	Mgmt	For

SUNCORP METWAY LIMITED

Agen

Security: Q8802S103
Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
Meeting Date: 26-Oct-2005
Ticker: SUN AU
ISIN: AU000000SUN6

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive the financial statements and the reports of the Directors and the Auditors for the YE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
2.	Adopt the remuneration report for the YE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
3.A	Re-elect Dr. Cherrell Hirst as a Directors, who retires by rotation, in accordance with Article 14(5) of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.B	Re-elect Mr. Christopher Skilton as a Directors, who retires by rotation, in accordance with Article 14(5) of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.C	Elect Dr. Zygmunt E. Switkowski as a Directors, who have been appointed to the Board since the last AGM of the Company, who retires in accordance with Article 14(5) of the Company	Mgmt	For

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 TABCORP HLDGS LTD

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Security: Q8815D101
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 28-Nov-2005
 Ticker: TAH AU
 ISIN: AU000000TAH8

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive and approve the financial statements and the reports of the Directors and of the Auditor in respect of the YE 30 JUN 2005	Non-Voting	No vote
2.	Elect Ms. P.J. Dwyer as a Director, in accordance with the Constitution of the Company	Mgmt	For
3.	Adopt the remuneration report which forms a part of the Directors report in respect of the YE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
4.	Approve to increase the aggregate sum per annum available for payment to the Non-Executive Directors of the Company in accordance with Rule 70 of the Company s Constitution as remuneration for their services by AUD 500,000 from AUD 1,500,000 up to a maximum sum of AUD 2,000,000 per annum	Mgmt	For

 TELECOM CORP NEW ZEALAND LTD

Agen

Security: Q89499109
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 06-Oct-2005
 Ticker: TEL AU
 ISIN: NZTELE0001S4

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Authorize Board to Fix The Remuneration of the Auditors	Mgmt	For
2.	Elect Mr. Roderick Deane as Director	Mgmt	For
3.	Elect Mr. Paul Baines as Director	Mgmt	For
4.	Elect Ms. Patsy Reddy as Director	Mgmt	For

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Non-Voting No vote

 TELSTRA CORPORATION LIMITED

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Security: Q8975N105
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 25-Oct-2005
 Ticker: TLS AU
 ISIN: AU000000TLS2

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Chairman and CEO presentations	Mgmt	For
2.	Approve the Company s financial statements and reports for the YE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
3.	Adopt the remuneration report for the FYE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
4.	Approve the maximum aggregate remuneration payable out of the funds of the Company to Non-Executive Directors of the Company for their services as the Directors including their service on a Committee of Directors be increased to AUD 2,000,000 per annum	Mgmt	For
5.A	Re-elect Ms. Catherine Livingstone as a Director, who reties by rotation in accordance with Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
5.B	Elect Mr. Mervyn Vogt as a Director	Mgmt	For
5.C	Re-elect Mr. Donald Mc Gauchie as a Director, who reties by rotation in accordance with Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS IS A REVISION DUE TO RECEIPT OF RECORD DATE. IF YOU HAVE ALREADY SENT IN YOUR VOTES, PLEASE DO NOT RETURN THIS PROXY FORM UNLESS YOU DECIDE TO AMEND YOUR ORIGINAL INSTRUCTIONS. THANK YOU.

Non-Voting No vote

 THE AUSTRALIAN GAS LIGHT COMPANY

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Security: Q09680101
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 18-Oct-2005

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ISIN: AU000000AGL7

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive the annual financial report of the Company and the consolidated entity for the YE 30 JUN 2005 and the reports of the Directors and the Auditor	Non-Voting	No vote
2.	Approve the remuneration report of the Company, for the YE 30 JUN 2005 as set out in the Directors report section of the annual report	Mgmt	For
3.a	Re-elect Mr. David Craig as a Director of the Company in accordance with Clause 56 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.b	Re-elect Mr. Graham Reaney as a Director of the Company, who retires by rotation in accordance with Clause 58 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.c	Re-elect Mr. Charles Allen as a Director of the Company, who retires by rotation in accordance with Clause 58 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
4.	Approve the acquisition of rights to acquire up to a maximum of 87,483 ordinary shares if the Australian Gas Light a Company in respect of the FYE 30 JUN 2005, by Mr. Greg Martin, the Managing Director of the Company, under and in accordance with the Australian Gas Light Company s Long - Term Incentive Plan	Mgmt	For
5.	Approve, the financial FY commencing 01 JUL 2005 and in respect of each FY thereafter and until otherwise determined by a resolution of shareholders, the maximum aggregate remuneration payable to Non-Executive Directors of the Company by the Company and its wholly-owned subsidiaries shall be increased by AUD 300,000 to AUD 1,500,000 per annum and such amount, or such lesser amount as the Directors may determine, shall be divided among the Non-Executive Directors in such proportions and manner as the Directors may determine	Mgmt	For

WESFARMERS LTD

Agen

Security: Q95870103
Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
Meeting Date: 08-Nov-2005
Ticker: WES AU
ISIN: AU000000WES1

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal	Proposal Vote
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1.	Receive and approve the financial statements and the reports of the Directors and of the Auditors for the YE 30 JUN 2005	Non-Voting	No vote
2ai	Re-elect Mr. T.R. Eastwood as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
2aii	Re-elect Mr. R.D. Lester as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
2aiii	Re-elect Mr. G.T. Tilbrook as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
2.b	Adopt the remuneration report for the YE 30 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For

 WESTFIELD GROUP, SYDNEY NSW

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 Security: Q97062105
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 02-May-2006
 Ticker: WDC AU
 ISIN: AU000000WDC7

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Approve the Company s financial statements and the reports for the YE 31 DEC 2005	Non-Voting	No vote
2.	Approve the Company s remuneration report for the YE 31 DEC 2005	Mgmt	For
3.	Re-elect Mr. David M. Gonski AO as a Director of the Company, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
4.	Re-elect Mr. Stephen P. Johns as a Director of the Company, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
5.	Re-elect Mr. Steven M. Lowy as a Director of the Company, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
6.	Re-elect Mr. Carla M. Zampatti AM as a Director of the Company, who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For

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WESTPAC BANKING CORP

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Security: Q97417101
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 15-Dec-2005
 Ticker: WBC AU
 ISIN: AU000000WBC1

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive the annual financial report, the Directors report and the audit report of the Westpac for the YE 30 SEP 2005	Non-Voting	No vote
2.a	Re-elect Mr. Leonard Andrew Davis as a Director, who retires in accordance with Articles 9.2 and 9.3 of the Constitution	Mgmt	For
2.b	Re-elect Mr. David Alexander Crawford as a Director, who retires in accordance with Articles 9.2 and 9.3 of the Constitution	Mgmt	For
S.3	Amend Article 9.1 of the Constitution	Mgmt	For
4.	Adopt the annual remuneration report for Westpac for the YE 30 SEP 2005	Mgmt	For

WOODSIDE PETROLEUM LTD

Agen

Security: 980228100
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 11-Apr-2006
 Ticker: WPL AU
 ISIN: AU000000WPL2

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive the financial report of the Company and the reports of the Directors and the Auditors for the YE 31 DEC 2005	Non-Voting	No vote
2.a	Re-elect Ms. Jillian Rosemary Broadbent as a Director	Mgmt	For
2.b	Re-elect Mr. Erich Fraunschiel as a Director	Mgmt	For
2.c	Re-elect Dr. Pierre Jean-Marie Henri Jungles as a Director	Mgmt	For
2.d	Elect Dr. Ashton Trevor Calvert as a Director	Mgmt	For
2.e	Elect Mr. David Ian McEvoy as a Director	Mgmt	For

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2.f	Elect Mr. Michael Alfred Chaney as a Director	Mgmt	For
2.g	Elect Mr. Russell Ronald Caplan as a Director	Mgmt	For
3.	Adopt the remuneration report for the YE 31 DEC 2005	Mgmt	For

 WOOLWORTHS LTD

Agen

 Security: Q98418108
 Meeting Type: Annual General Meeting
 Meeting Date: 25-Nov-2005
 Ticker: WOW AU
 ISIN: AU000000WOW2

Prop.#	Proposal	Proposal Type	Proposal Vote
1.	Receive and approve the financial reports of the Company and the consolidated entity and the declaration by the Directors and the reports of the Directors and the Auditors thereon for the financial period ended 26 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
2.	Adopt the remuneration report of the Company for the FYE 26 JUN 2005	Mgmt	For
3.a	Re-elect Mr. Lean Michael L Huillier as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with Article 10.3 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
3.b	Re-elect Dr. Roderick Sheldon Deane as a Director, who retires by rotation in accordance with Article 10.3 of the Company s Constitution	Mgmt	For
4.	Approve, in accordance with Australian Stock Exchange Limited Listing Rule 10.17 and the Company s Constitution the aggregate maximum amount of the remuneration of the Non-Executive Director be increased by AUD 500,000 per annum to AUD 1,750,000 per annum	Mgmt	For

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

(Registrant) Aberdeen Australia Equity Fund, Inc.

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By (Signature)	/s/ Martin Gilbert
Name	Martin Gilbert
Title	President
Date	08/15/2006