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Association thanks Chief Executive for outstanding service

NSW Farmers' Association President Charles Armstrong has extended his gratitude to Chief Executive Shaughn Morgan for the good stewardship of the Association and its Members, following his resignation today. Mr Armstrong says the Board has accepted his resignation with regret.

Shaughn Morgan has worked for the Association since 2004 and has announced that he will now look to other challenges in his professional life.

"Shaughn has been a great asset to the Association at a time when farmers have faced many difficult issues, and the world has faced a financial crisis," Mr Armstrong said.

"We appreciate the wealth of experience and knowledge Shaughn has brought to the role of Chief Executive over the years and I wish him all the best in his future endeavors," Mr Armstrong said.

Shaughn started at the Association in 2004 as General Manger – Policy & Government Relations. He was appointed Acting Chief Executive in May 2006 and was confirmed as Chief Executive the following month.

"Shaughn has always had a great appreciation for the needs of our Members and also the need for a united voice to ensure their prosperity and viability," Mr Armstrong said.

Shaughn's resignation will take effect from Friday, 13 August 2010.

Mr Armstrong says the Association appreciates the notice Shaughn has given the Board, which will allow it to find a suitable replacement.

"We wish Shaughn all the best in the future and we thank him for his dedication and management of the Association," Mr Armstrong said.

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