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Dr. W. Bloom,  
Secretary, A.M.S.,  
Murdoch University,  
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Dear Walter,

Please present for consideration by the Council of the A.M.S. the following request for the establishment of a Special Interest Group of the A.M.S., to be known as the 'Victorian Algebra Group'.

For the past five years - this is the sixth - algebraists in Victoria have maintained an informal group whose purpose is to encourage interaction within, and research by, the algebraic community. This has been accomplished through an annual conference, the "Annual Algebra Conference of Victoria", hosted in rotation by Monash, Melbourne, and La Trobe Universities, and, as of 1988, RMIT.

We feel it is time to ask for the support of the A.M.S. in our aims.

Our mailing list is of around 100 people and conferences generally attract from 30 - 50 people. The following people are willing to act as an interim Executive Committee until elections can be held at the 6th Annual Conference on 1 - 2 September, 1988.

Dr. K. J. Horadam	..RMIT	(Chair)
Dr. P. M. Higgins	..RMIT	(Secretary)
Dr. G. T. Clarke	..RMIT	(Treasurer)
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Dr. T. Hall	..Monash University	
Dr. H. Lausch	..Monash University	
Prof. C. F. Miller III	..University of Melbourne	

Yours sincerely,

*K. J. Horadam*

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enc. "Rules of Procedure"  
enc. "Sixth Annual Algebra Conference of Victoria"