



Pieter Nortje, outgoing Chairman.



Ben Vorster, incoming Chairman.

Changes and new appointments on the Citrus Growers' Association's Board

After six years as leader of CGA, **Pieter Nortje** has stepped down as Chairman. Pieter's dedication to solving industry challenges, his foresight and intense focus on industry issues has meant that the industry continues to grow.

Ben Vorster, incoming Chairman, thanked Pieter for his hard work and dedication through some difficult periods in the industry. Pieter, as outgoing Chairman continues as a member of the Executive Committee as Vice Chairman.

As agreed at the 2017 CGA AGM, a further Vice Chairman position was created for succession planning – **Cornel van der Merwe** continues in this role.

George Hall and **Fanie Meyer** round off the Executive Committee.

GLORIA WEARE



Mitchell Brooke.



Faisal Asmal.



Rauff Dawood.



Special Export Programme Changes for 2018

MITCHELL BROOKE TO OVERSEE SEP PROGRAMMES FROM THE 1ST APRIL 2018

Mitchell Brooke will take over the management of the Japan and South Korean Special Export Programmes (SEPs) for CGA. This change has been precipitated by Paul Hardman being drawn into other roles and responsibilities at CGA which have meant he is not in a position to give the SEPs sufficient time and attention they require. Mitchell has agreed to play a greater oversight role for these programmes.

Mitchell comes with considerable experience from years working in and around the port in various capacities linked to the citrus industry. He will continue with this current main role at CGA as Logistics Development Manager while overseeing the SEPs. All communication regarding the SEPs should be directed to Mitchell: mitchell@cga.co.za

A change in the structures is an opportunity to look afresh at how things work and I'm sure Mitchell and team will have some ideas on how to take the SEPs to a different level.

SEP ACCOUNTS From an administration perspective **Shelly Crosson** has taken over from Mena Büchner and will be handling the invoicing and accounts matters. Shelly can be contacted on 031 765 2514 or shelly@cga.co.za.

OPERATIONS Our team at the port, **Faisal Asmal** and **Rauff Dawood**, will continue playing their part in making the SEP run smoothly. Operation queries should be directed to Faisal for Japan and Rauff for South Korea.

RECOGNITION OF LONG SERVICE It is appropriate at this time to also recognize both Faisal and Rauff for their service to the SEPs over the years.