

# FORM 6-K

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16  
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

August 22, 2003

# JAMES HARDIE INDUSTRIES N.V.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

4th Level, Atrium, unit 04-07  
Strawinskylaan 3077  
1077 ZX Amsterdam, The Netherlands  
(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover  
Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Indicate by check mark whether by furnishing the information contained in this Form, the  
registrant is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule  
12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes No

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connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): Not Applicable

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**Safe Harbor Statement**

The exhibit attached to this Form 6-K contains forward-looking statements. Words such as “believe,” “anticipate,” “plan,” “expect,” “intend,” “target,” “estimate,” “project,” “predict,” “forecast,” “guideline,” “should,” “aim” and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements but are not the exclusive means of identifying such statements. Forward-looking statements involve inherent risks and uncertainties. We caution you that a number of important factors could cause actual results to differ materially from the plans, objectives, expectations, estimates and intentions expressed in such forward-looking statements. These factors, which are further discussed in our reports submitted to the Securities and Exchange Commission on Forms 20-F and 6-K and in our other filings, include but are not limited to: competition and product pricing in the markets in which we operate; general economic and market conditions; compliance with, and possible changes in, environmental and health and safety laws; dependence on cyclical construction markets; the supply and cost of raw materials; our reliance on a small number of product distributors; the consequences of product failures or defects; exposure to environmental or other legal proceedings; and risks of conducting business internationally. We caution you that the foregoing list of factors is not exclusive and that other risks and uncertainties may cause actual results to differ materially from those contained in forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made.

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 22, 2003

**James Hardie Industries N.V.**

By: /s/ Sanneke Parabirsing

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Sanneke Parabirsing  
Company Secretary

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Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Results of 2003 Annual General Meeting



15 August 2003

The Manager  
 Company Announcements Office  
 Australian Stock Exchange Limited  
 20 Bridge Street  
 SYDNEY NSW 2000

James Hardie Industries N.V.  
 ARBN 097 829 895  
 Incorporated in The Netherlands  
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Dear Sir

Pursuant to Listing Rule 3.13.2 we advise that all the resolutions set out in the Notice of Annual General Meeting dated 15 August 2003 were carried at the Annual General Meeting of the Company held today in Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Details of votes cast on the direction of CUFS holders are set out below:

	RESOLUTION	FOR	AGAINST	ABSTAIN
1.	Annual Accounts	255,652,404	13,170	1,300,532
2a.	Re-elect Ms M Hellicar to the Supervisory & Joint Boards	258,856,180	101,601	365,439
2b.	Re-elect Mr M Gillfillan to the Supervisory & Joint Boards	258,919,083	56,396	345,939
2c.	Elect Mr P Cameron to the Supervisory & Joint Boards	258,877,199	94,249	348,662
2d.	Elect Mr D McGauchie to the Supervisory & Joint Boards	258,796,503	144,836	376,484
3.	Approve Messrs Cameron and McGauchie participation in the Supervisory Board Share Plan	258,001,831	550,517	467,567
4.	Elect Mr Zwinkels to the Managing Board	258,791,177	78,983	423,652
5.	Renew Company's authority to acquire own shares	258,805,414	63,931	471,431
6.	Increase nominal value and convert share premium	258,941,103	49,513	345,244
7.	Approve a reduction of capital	258,750,233	78,553	497,848
8.	Provide authority to amend Articles of Association	258,765,966	36,933	378,252

As is set out in the Notice of Annual General Meeting the record date and payment date for the proposed capital return will be announced after a two month advertising period and Dutch Court approval.

Yours faithfully

Sanneke Parabirsing  
 Company Secretary