



## NATIONALISATION PROCESS

*Please note: There will be two votes involved in the Nationalisation Process. The first of these votes relates to the wind-up and transfer of assets for OT AUSTRALIA National. The second relates specifically to OT AUSTRALIA NSW. The following information relates to the first vote regarding OT AUSTRALIA National.*



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**Cast your vote for the Single Entity by Friday 27th November, 2009. Please participate in the vote and have your say in the future of our profession!**

All members would have now received a copy of the August issue of Connections containing an information lift out about the Single Entity Vote to be undertaken in November. The lift out, titled 'Towards a Single National Organisation', includes a copy of the organizational model, questions surrounding the governance structure and the who, when and how process of voting. Members can also view this lift out on the OT AUSTRALIA website. Ballot papers and further 'how-to-vote packs' will be posted to OT AUSTRALIA members late October so please ensure your details are current to receive your pack.

OT AUSTRALIA have been working collaboratively with each Member Association to tailor a 'Single Entity Information Session' in your State or Territory as part of OT AUSTRALIA'S commitment to present up-to-date information in the lead up to the vote. To find a venue closest to you or to submit any questions or issues you would like covered at the upcoming 'Information Session', please forward your questions to [marketing@ausot.com.au](mailto:marketing@ausot.com.au) or contact OT AUSTRALIA on (03) 9415 2900.

A lot of time and effort has gone into preparing to move the organization forward and it to ensure your efforts do not go to waste it is important for members to participate in the final vote and make your voice heard on this issue. The previous vote on the referendum in March 2007 was only a vote in principle and members would need to vote in the upcoming ballot in November for the current structure to change.