



# ORIENTEERING TASMANIA INC.

## POLICIES AND GUIDELINES



OT is an incorporated association and is specifically bound by the *Associations Incorporation Act 1964*, the *Associations Incorporation Regulations 1997* and the *Associations Incorporation (Model Rules) Regulations 1997*.

For any matter not dealt with in the OT Constitution, the Model Rules (found in the *Associations Incorporation (Model Rules) Regulations 1997*) apply to OT.

No change to the OT Constitution comes into effect until the procedures set down in the OT Constitution, and in the Act and Regulations, have been completed.

The current Constitution was adopted at a general meeting of members of OT held at St Helens on 12 March 2006 and was most recently amended (all of section 3 - Membership) on 23 November 2008.

The Constitution includes:

1. NAME AND INTERPRETATION
2. PURPOSES OF OT
3. MEMBERSHIP
4. BOARD OF MANAGEMENT
5. OFFICERS OF OT
6. ELECTIONS
7. MEETINGS
8. FINANCE
9. ALTERATION OF THE CONSTITUTION
10. INDEMNITY FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD
11. WINDING UP

PURPOSES OF OT:

- a) promote, facilitate, foster and extend the sport of orienteering;
- b) coordinate and control the sport of orienteering in Tasmania;
- c) maintain and develop facilities for both the competitive and recreational aspects of the sport;
- d) promote friendly and cordial relations among orienteers;
- e) maintain affiliation with and, unless expressly stated otherwise, be subject to the rules and
- f) regulations of Orienteering Australia;
- g) encourage the appreciation of the natural environment.

See [OT Constitution \(The full constitution\)](#) in the Policy area of the OT website.

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RESPONSIBILITY	Secretary
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