Notification of dividend / distribution

Announcement Summary

**Entity name**
AUSTAL LIMITED

**Security on which the Distribution will be paid**
ASB - ORDINARY FULLY PAID

**Announcement Type**
New announcement

**Date of this announcement**
Thursday August 27, 2015

**Distribution Amount**
AUD 0.03000000

**Ex Date**
Thursday September 10, 2015

**Record Date**
Monday September 14, 2015

**Payment Date**
Thursday October 1, 2015

**DRP election date**
Tuesday September 15, 2015 19:00:00

**Additional Information**
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Refer to below for full details of the announcement

Announcement Details

Part 1 - Entity and announcement details

1.1 Name of Entity
AUSTAL LIMITED

1.2 Registered Number Type
ABN

1.3 ASX issuer code
ASB

Registration Number
73009250266
1.4 The announcement is
New announcement

1.5 Date of this announcement
Thursday August 27, 2015

1.6 ASX +Security Code
ASB

ASX +Security Description
ORDINARY FULLY PAID

Part 2A - All dividends/distributions basic details

2A.1 Type of dividend/distribution
Ordinary

2A.2 The Dividend/distribution:
relates to a period of six months

2A.3 The dividend/distribution relates to the financial reporting or payment period ending
ended/ending (date)
Tuesday June 30, 2015

2A.4 +Record Date
Monday September 14, 2015

2A.5 Ex Date
Thursday September 10, 2015

2A.6 Payment Date
Thursday October 1, 2015

2A.7 Are any of the below approvals required for the dividend/distribution before business day 0
of the timetable?
• Security holder approval
• Court approval
• Lodgement of court order with +ASIC
• ACCC approval
• FIRB approval
• Another approval/condition external to the entity required before business day 0 of the
timetable for the dividend/distribution.

No

2A.8 Currency in which the dividend/distribution is made ("primary currency")
AUD - Australian Dollar

2A.9 Total dividend/distribution payment amount
per +security (in primary currency) for all
dividends/distributions notified in this form
AUD 0.03000000
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2A.10 Does the entity have arrangements relating to the currency in which the dividend/distribution is paid to securityholders that it wishes to disclose to the market?
No

2A.11 Does the entity have a securities plan for dividends/distributions on this +security?
We have a Dividend/Distribution Reinvestment Plan (DRP)

2A.11a If the +entity has a DRP, is the DRP applicable to this dividend/distribution?
Yes

2A.11a(i) DRP Status in respect of this dividend/distribution
Full DRP

2A.12 Does the +entity have tax component information apart from franking?
No

Part 3A - Ordinary dividend/distribution

3A.1 Is the ordinary dividend/distribution estimated at this time?
No

3A.1a Ordinary dividend/distribution estimated amount per +security
AUD

3A.1b Ordinary Dividend/distribution amount per security
AUD 0.03000000

3A.2 Is the ordinary dividend/distribution franked?
Yes

3A.2a Is the ordinary dividend/distribution fully franked?
Yes

3A.3 Percentage of ordinary dividend/distribution that is franked
100.0000 %

3A.3a Applicable corporate tax rate for franking credit (%)
30.0000 %

3A.4 Ordinary dividend/distribution franked amount per +security
AUD 0.03000000

3A.5 Percentage amount of dividend which is unfranked
0.0000 %

3A.6 Ordinary dividend/distribution unfranked amount per +security excluding conduit foreign income amount
AUD 0.00000000

3A.7 Ordinary dividend/distribution conduit foreign income amount per security
AUD 0.00000000

Part 4A - +Dividend reinvestment plan (DRP)
4A.1 What is the default option if +security holders do not indicate whether they want to participate in the DRP?
Do not participate in DRP (i.e. cash payment)

4A.2 Last date and time for lodgement of election notices to share registry under DRP
Tuesday September 15, 2015 19:00:00

4A.4 Period of calculation of reinvestment price

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4A.5 DRP price calculation methodology

Daily volume weighted average price of Austal shares calculated over a 5 day trading period.

4A.6 DRP Price (including any discount): AUD

4A.7 DRP +securities +issue date
Thursday October 15, 2015

4A.8 Will DRP +securities be a new issue?
Yes

4A.8a Do DRP +securities rank pari passu from +issue date?
Yes

4A.9 Is there a minimum dollar amount or number of +securities required for DRP participation?
No

4A.10 Is there a maximum dollar amount or number of +securities required for DRP participation?
No

4A.11 Are there any other conditions applying to DRP participation?
No

4A.12 Link to a copy of the DRP plan rules
www.austal.com

4A.13 Further information about the DRP

Part 5 - Further information

5.1 Please provide any further information applicable to this dividend/distribution

5.2 Additional information for inclusion in the Announcement Summary

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