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**TO: ALL DISTRICT SECRETARIES
EXECUTIVE
MEDIA**

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WARWICK: BOWLS SA NATIONAL SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIPS

We advise that a process has been agreed between Bowls SA and the Tournament Committee's to finalize entries for the national singles. This process applies to both the Men's and Women's Open and Senior events.

It is important to note that Districts are required to confirm that the names of their **Qualifiers** will participate in the event. The closing date is indicated below.

Club Secretaries are required to provide the names of their members who wish to participate in the **Pre-Qualifier** event. The closing date is indicated below.

From the number of entries received to-date, indications are that we may only need one (1) day to complete the Pre-Qualifier. Entrants to this event should access the Bowls SA website to establish the venue where their games will be played. These players will be expected to mark games when not playing. The Pre-Qualifying event will be played down to the number of entries required to fill vacancies in the Qualifier.

Qualifiers should also access the Bowls SA website to establish the draw and venue for their games.

- The Pre-Qualifier is played on a knock-out basis.
- The Qualifier is played on the first day (23 May) in sections of four (4) and from day two (24 May) on a knock-out basis.
- Districts must confirm the Qualifiers on or before **7 May 2012**.
- Club Secretaries must confirm all Pre-Qualifiers on or before **7 May 2012**.

The draw for both events will be published on the Bowls SA website www.bowlssa.co.za on 14 May 2012.

Entries for these two events should be sent to:

Men lolnic@absamail.co.za
Women mwegbowls@mweb.co.za

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Ravenscroft".

**John Ravenscroft
Operations Manager**

Executive Committee:

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