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2007 Directory of Not-For-Profit Organisations

We are delighted once again to be able to include a complimentary copy of the 17th edition of the Pro Bono Australia Directory of Not-for-Profit Organisations in this month's issue of Balance.

This year brings a bumper edition with 72 full-colour pages containing over 500 of Australia's Not-for-Profit organisations - these range from the larger, well-known charities right down to smaller, more locally based community groups.

The 2007 edition will again be distributed free of charge to 56,000 qualified professionals across Australia - designed as a 'guide for giving' the Directory aims to facilitate bequests, donations, gifts in kind and corporate community partnerships.

If you would like to view any of the organisations listed in the Directory in more detail you can visit www.probonoaustralia.com.au and search by 'cause' or 'state' to find information such as website and email contact details, along with the organisation's 'Mission Statement' and current 'Projects in Progress'.

Whilst you are there you may also wish to check out Volunteer Match - www.volunteermatch.com. au - an online matching service that connects Notfor-Profit organisations with skilled professional volunteers.

It's free to register with the site and at any one time there are always between 300-400 opportunities available with Not-for-Profits across Australia.

Occasionally 'virtual' opportunities become available so you don't even need to be in the same state as an organisation to lend a hand!

In addition to Volunteer Match, this year marks the launch of a new online resource for Not-for-Profit organisations - the Who Offers What (WOW) Guide.

The WOW Guide - www.wowguide.com.au allows companies to promote products and service to the community sector via a range of listings and monthly specials on our website and via a monthly bulletin. It is free for all groups to access the guide, which is distributed to over 54,000 in the sector each month and is the first online Directory of its type in Australia.

The aim of the WOW Guide is to help community groups in sourcing:

- difficult to access products and services;
- suppliers with an extensive knowledge of the industry;
- quality products at reduced rates.

Eventually it will also allow companies to advertise their Corporate Social Responsibility activity to both the community sector and general public.

We hope you make good use of your 2007 Directory of Not-for-Profit organisations - if you would like to find out more about Pro Bono Australia please call us on (03) 8080 5650.

You can also visit our websites: www.probonoaustralia.com.au www.volunteermatch.com.au www.wowguide.com.au