

## DID YOU KNOW ..?

## SUBJECT: COUNCIL STRUCTURE

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CASLPO is governed by a Council. The composition of the Council is dictated by the *Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Act, 1991*, which explicitly states that the Council consists of:

- professionals (8 to 9),
- public members appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council (6 to 7) and
- academic members (2).

Currently, CASLPO has nine professional members who represent five electoral regions in the province of Ontario (6 SLPs and 3 Auds), two academic members (1 SLP and 1 Aud) and 6 public members (awaiting a 7<sup>th</sup> appointee).

The professional members are voted in by you, the membership, and serve a three year term. Each year there usually is two to four professional members of Council positions that open for election. This year we have openings for four positions corresponding to two positions in district 2 (Central Region), one position each in districts 4 (North-Western Region) and 5 (North-Eastern Region). You will have received or will soon receive mail informing you regarding the process.

