



# SMSF News and Strategies

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## **Episode 35 – ATO Focusing on SMSF Common Issues**

This podcast episode includes a special recording from the recently held 2016 Count Financial Annual Conference on Gold Coast between 6 to 10 March which was attended by more than 600 accountants and financial planners.

The ATO SMSF update session from the event was hosted by Craig Day, executive manager for technical services at Colonial First State. Kasey MacFarlane the Assistant Commissioner for SMSF segment from the ATO was interviewed by Craig about current SMSF issues and the ATO working with trustees.

When dealing with issues with your fund you need to work with your adviser and rectify any problems. The ATO is reasonable when dealing with trustees who are trying to do the right thing. Ignoring issues and hoping they go away is not the right option.