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# Cloud software authentication & authorisation (CAA)

Standard & High volume intermediaries scenarios

## Purpose

These scenarios are mapped to facilitate further discussion on the potential use of CAA for high volume lodgments to support Single Touch Payroll, SuperStream, financial sector and other agencies.

## Audience

Software developers and service providers

## Note

This is a guide for discussion only. Consider your technical, security and legal circumstances.

## Assumptions

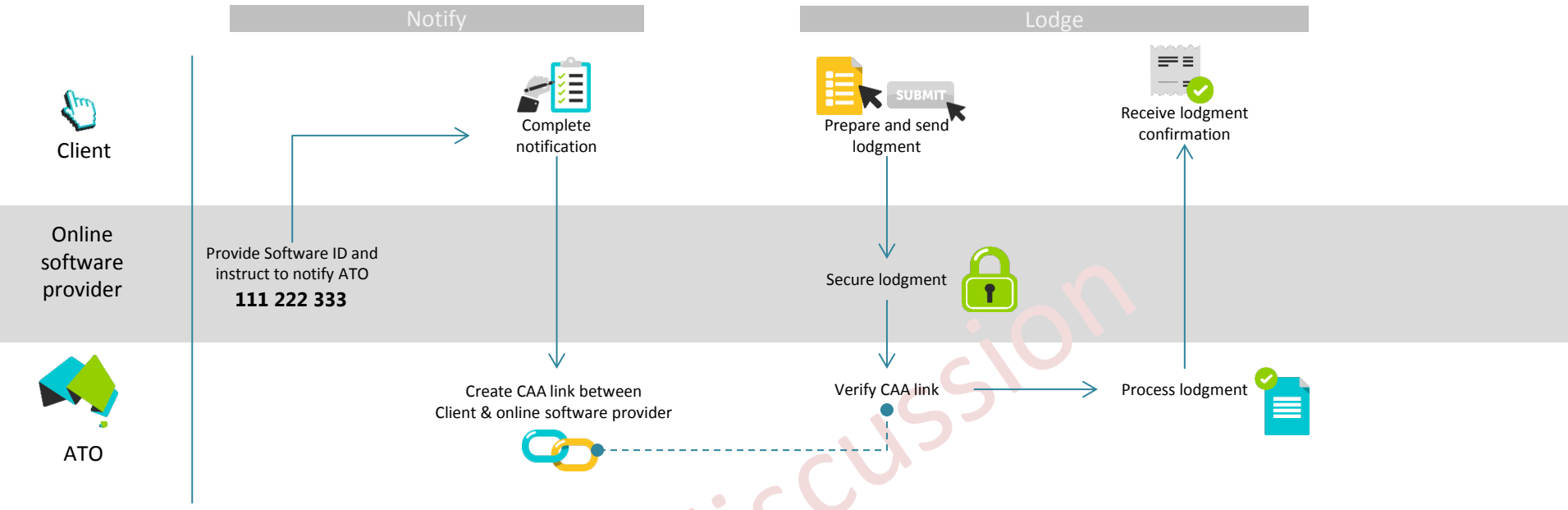
- 1 - Large client bases with high volume transactions prefer to minimise impacts by delegating an intermediary to act on their behalf
  - Clients do not need to deal directly with the online software provider
  - Only one notification is required between intermediary and online software provider.
- 2 - The intermediary is a registered agent
  - Registered agents may also be affiliated with one or more online service providers
  - The capacity agents are acting in should be made clear to clients
  - A third party may be involved in securely submitting their transmissions to the agency.
- 3 Online software providers are CAA accredited and meet SBR and CAA requirements
- 4 Client have authorised the intermediary to act on their behalf as a registered agent
- 5 Transmission is signed and secured by online software provider's device AUSkey

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# CAA – Standard & High volume intermediaries scenarios

## Scenario 1: Standard – removes non-compliant client AUSKeys in the cloud



## Scenario 2: High volume intermediaries – manages high volume transactions

