

## The Cabinet Office



Ref: A7867373

11 April 2025

Mr Steven Reynolds  
Clerk of the Parliaments  
Legislative Council  
Parliament House  
Macquarie Street  
Sydney NSW 2000

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Re: Order for Papers – Early childhood education and care – Further Order – Tabling of privileged documents and confirmation of nil further returns

Dear Mr Reynolds

I refer to the above resolution of the Legislative Council under Standing Order 52 made on 27 March 2025 (the **Order**) and your correspondence to the Secretary of The Cabinet Office of that date. I also refer to the resolution of the Legislative Council under Standing Order 52 titled 'Order for papers – Early childhood education and care sector – Further order' made on 18 March 2025 (the **further Order**), The Cabinet Office's letter of 31 March 2025 seeking a variation to the further Order, and your response of 1 April 2025.

In accordance with paragraph 4 of the Order, I am now delivering to you copies of documents from the Department of Education that have been redacted in accordance with the Independent Arbiter's Report. These documents were originally delivered to you on 18 December 2024.

Enclosed at **Annexure 1** is a letter from the Secretary of the Department of Education setting out that records are being returned with redactions in accordance with the Order and as agreed with the Member.

Enclosed at **Annexure 2** is an index of non-privileged documents with the appropriate redactions.

The Department of Education (**DoE**) has advised that this return is consistent with the agreement made between the Deputy Premier and Ms Boyd, as notified in the DoE's letter to you of 2 April 2025 and enclosed at **Annexure 3**.

In relation to the further Order, enclosed at **Annexure 4** are letters from officers of the following Ministerial offices and agencies confirming that they have no further documents to produce in relation to the further Order:

- Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney
- Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter

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- Minister for Families and Communities, and Minister for Disability Inclusion
- Department of Communities and Justice
- NSW Police Force.

Should you require any clarification or further assistance, please contact the Legal Branch of The Cabinet Office.

Sincerely



**Mark Hare**  
Deputy Secretary, General Counsel

<b>RETURN TO ORDER RECEIVED:</b>
#Privileged: —
#Non-privileged: 1
#Personal Information: —
Date: 11/4/25
Time: 5.15pm
Signed: 

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20315  
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL  
ATTENTION: THE ADJUTANT GENERAL  
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Ms Katherine Frank and Ms Laura Shumack  
A/Executive Director, Legal  
Legal Office of General Counsel  
The Cabinet Office  
Level 14, 52 Martin Place  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

DGS24/2083

Dear Ms Frank and Ms Shumack

I write regarding the Legislative Council order for papers under standing order 52 passed on 13 November 2024 and further passed again on 18 March 2025 in relation to the Early Childhood Education and Care Sector (SO52).

We enclose the re-produced bundle of documents, identified as privileged in the second return, but now redacted in accordance with the final report of the Independent Legal Arbiter (the Arbiter). I also note that the Deputy Premier and Ms Boyd have agreed to allow redaction of the personal information relating to educators contained within the documents. Your office and the LC Clerk have been advised of that agreement and a copy of that notification is attached at **Annexure A**.

Redactions have been made on 221 documents. The remaining 25 documents do not contain privilege material and have not been redacted. Please note we have not prepared privilege submissions for this sixth tranche as the redactions only relate to personal information, and we rely on previous submissions, the Arbiter's decision and the agreement between the Deputy Premier and Ms Boyd. We have also only provided a copy of the non-privileged redacted documents as we have already produced the clean unredacted privileged documents.

The Department is continuing to collate and produce further documents relating to the SO52.

If you require any further information, please contact Sarah Hargans, General Counsel, Legal Services on 02 7814 3896.

Yours sincerely

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**SECRETARY**  
**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**  
9 April 2025

**From:** Office of Abigail Boyd <[Abigail.Boyd@parliament.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Abigail.Boyd@parliament.nsw.gov.au)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, 27 March 2025 9:38 AM  
**To:** Joanne Matthews <[Joanne.Matthews@deputypremier.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Joanne.Matthews@deputypremier.nsw.gov.au)>  
**Subject:** Re: Early Childhood Education and Care sector - release of documents

Thanks Joanne. That is agreed.

Warm regards,

Abigail

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**From:** Joanne Matthews <[Joanne.Matthews@deputypremier.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Joanne.Matthews@deputypremier.nsw.gov.au)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2025 9:24 am  
**To:** Office of Abigail Boyd <[Abigail.Boyd@parliament.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Abigail.Boyd@parliament.nsw.gov.au)>  
**Subject:** Early Childhood Education and Care sector - release of documents

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Dear Ms Boyd,

Thank you for taking the time to discuss this matter with my staff.

The Government is extremely concerned about the potential for the publicising of any personal and health information in relation to educators that work in the early childhood education and care sector as a result of this release, and we thank you for working with us in good faith to address these concerns.

As per the conclusion of the Independent Legal Arbitrator's report, we are seeking to formalise an agreement regarding documents that have already been returned under the order of the House made on 13 November 2024, any future documents returned under this order, and by extension any documents returned under the order of the House made on 18 March 2025, noting that you have kindly agreed to limit the scope of this order to mirror that of the order made on 13 November.

The agreement we propose is as follows:

- The offices and agencies named in the order will provide documents to the Parliament with the names and personal information (as set out in standing order 52 (7) (e)) of

individual educators or witnesses to incidents redacted, as well as personal information that could identify an educator or witness where they have been the alleged victim of inappropriate behaviour or another similar incident, or the personal information is medical in nature

- Anonymised information relating to educators will not need to be redacted where the names of educators and specific identifiable incidents as outlined above have been redacted
- Further potentially identifying information may be redacted in the event that an investigation into a matter is ongoing and an allegation has not been substantiated at the time of the release of documents, but the provision for the release of these documents, unredacted, is the same as is outlined below
- There will be an agreed upon easy/frictionless process for Ms Boyd or other Members to undertake to have unredacted versions of specified documents, with the names of individual educators provided, in the event that they had concerns about systemic, widespread, or other significant issues in the public interest with individual educators (the example given was an educator moving between multiple services and breaching the regulation at multiple services in a way that demonstrated that the RA had failed to act)
  - And this process is effectively Ms Boyd or any other Member informing the Department & Deputy Premier's Office that specific documents are to be provided publicly in line with the Arbiter's report, with a reasonable timeframe (3 business days) given to the Department & Deputy Premier's Office for response
- The Independent Legal Arbiter will be made aware of this agreement

We also propose to brief the Hon. Sarah Mitchell MLC on the above and provide her with a copy of this agreement.

Finally, the Government will not seek to amend Item 1857 before the House for formal business, subject to this agreement being acceptable.

Should this all be agreeable to yourself, we would greatly appreciate it if you would indicate so via email before the House sits today.

Kind regards,

Joanne Matthews

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**ORDER FOR PAPERS**

**DOCUMENTS PREPARED BY NSW DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
IN RELATION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CARE SECTOR (4 APRIL 2025)**

**NON-PRIVILEGED DOCUMENTS**

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DOE.003.0000111	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00036222_ - Provider Cancellation Letter - 22 February 2021.pdf	22/02/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
DOE.003.0000112	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00036265_ - Provider Cancellation Letter - 24 February 2021.pdf	25/02/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
DOE.003.0000113	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00036274_ - Notice of Decision to Cancel Provider Approval.pdf	25/02/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000121	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00038634_ Cancellation Letter.pdf	9/06/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
DOE.003.0000122	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00038636_ - Cancellation Letter.pdf	9/06/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000127	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039624_ - Cancellation letter.pdf	26/07/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
DOE.003.0000128	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039625_ - Cancellation letter.pdf	26/07/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
DOE.003.0000130	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039736_ECE- Show Cause Notice 30 07 2021.pdf	30/07/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000136	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039763_Show Cause Notice 30 07 2021.pdf	30/07/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
DOE.003.0000137	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039765_ECE- Show Cause Notice Choice 30 07 2021 (003).pdf	2/08/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
DOE.003.0000138	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039767_ECE-Show Cause Letter-30 07 2021.pdf	30/07/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000147	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039820_ Show Cause Notice to Cancel Provider Approval.pdf	2/08/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000171	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039889_ - Cancellation letter.pdf	4/08/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000176	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039904_ECE-Show Cause Notice-05 08 2021.pdf	5/08/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000179	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039912_ECE- Show Cause Notice 4 08 2021.pdf	6/08/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000186	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039932_CAS-00073087 - PR-40016279 - Show Cause Notice - 5 August 2021.pdf	6/08/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
DOE.003.0000187	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039933_ECE-Show Cause Notice- -06082021.pdf	6/08/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000199	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039967_LETTER TEMPLATE - Show Cause N_ASC Project Team - 24 May 2021.DOCX3.pdf	6/08/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
DOE.003.0000200	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00039970_LETTER TEMPLATE - Show Cause N_ASC Project Team - 24 May 2021.DOCX3.pdf	6/08/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000204	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00036302_ Show Cause Notice.pdf	3/03/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000212	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00036722_ - Show Cause Notice.pdf	29/03/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000219	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00036773_ - Provider Cancellation Letter.pdf	26/03/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000221	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00036890_CAS-00043873 - Provider Cancellation Letter - 25 March 2021.pdf	25/03/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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DOE.003.0000243	Category B	Portable Document Format	CA-00036979_CAS-00044317 - Provider Cancellation letter - 29.03.21.pdf	29/03/2021	Department of Education	PII / Personal Information
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Mr David Blunt  
 Clerk of the Legislative Council  
 NSW Parliament

Dear Mr Blunt

I write regarding the Legislative Council order for papers under standing order 52 passed on 13 November 2024 in relation to the Early Childhood Education and Care (ECEC) Sector (the SO52 Resolution) and the final report of the Independent Arbiter, the Hon Keith Mason AC KC dated 20 March 2025 relating to a privilege dispute for the first return of documents for the SO52 Resolution (Report).

The Report noted an assumption that the parties would be able to agree on redacted versions of all the documents based on the Report.

In that regard, I wish to advise that the Deputy Premier and Ms Boyd MLC have agreed to the following:

- The offices and agencies named in the order will provide documents to the Parliament with the names and personal information (as set out in standing order 52 (7) (e)) of individual educators or witnesses to incidents redacted, as well as personal information that could identify an educator or witness where they have been the alleged victim of inappropriate behaviour or another similar incident, or the personal information is medical in nature
  - Anonymised information relating to educators will not need to be redacted where the names of educators and specific identifiable incidents as outlined above have been redacted
- Further potentially identifying information may be redacted in the event that an investigation into a matter is ongoing and an allegation has not been substantiated at the time of the release of documents, but the provision for the release of these documents, unredacted, is the same as is outlined below
- There will be an agreed upon easy/frictionless process for Ms Boyd or other Members to undertake to have unredacted versions of specified documents, with the names of individual educators provided, in the event that they had concerns about systemic, widespread, or other significant issues in the public interest with individual educators (the example given was an educator moving between multiple services and breaching the regulation at multiple services in a way that demonstrated that the RA had failed to act)
  - And this process is effectively Ms Boyd or any other Member informing the Department & Deputy Premier's Office that specific documents are to be provided publicly in line with the Arbiter's report, with a

reasonable timeframe (3 business days) given to the Department & Deputy Premier's Office for response

- The Independent Legal Arbiter will be made aware of this agreement

Attached to this letter at Tab A is a copy of an email chain reflecting that agreement between the parties.

I ask that this letter, along with Tab A, is provided to the Independent Arbiter for his information.

If you require any further information, I am available to discuss further with you or your office.

Yours sincerely



Sarah Hargans  
**General Counsel**  
**Legal Services**

2 April 2024

**From:** Office of Abigail Boyd <[Abigail.Boyd@parliament.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Abigail.Boyd@parliament.nsw.gov.au)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, 27 March 2025 9:38 AM  
**To:** Joanne Matthews <[Joanne.Matthews@deputypremier.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Joanne.Matthews@deputypremier.nsw.gov.au)>  
**Subject:** Re: Early Childhood Education and Care sector - release of documents

Thanks Joanne. That is agreed.

Warm regards,

Abigail

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**From:** Joanne Matthews <[Joanne.Matthews@deputypremier.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Joanne.Matthews@deputypremier.nsw.gov.au)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2025 9:24 am  
**To:** Office of Abigail Boyd <[Abigail.Boyd@parliament.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Abigail.Boyd@parliament.nsw.gov.au)>  
**Subject:** Early Childhood Education and Care sector - release of documents

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Dear Ms Boyd,

Thank you for taking the time to discuss this matter with my staff.

The Government is extremely concerned about the potential for the publicising of any personal and health information in relation to educators that work in the early childhood education and care sector as a result of this release, and we thank you for working with us in good faith to address these concerns.

As per the conclusion of the Independent Legal Arbiter's report, we are seeking to formalise an agreement regarding documents that have already been returned under the order of the House made on 13 November 2024, any future documents returned under this order, and by extension any documents returned under the order of the House made on 18 March 2025, noting that you have kindly agreed to limit the scope of this order to mirror that of the order made on 13 November.

The agreement we propose is as follows:

- The offices and agencies named in the order will provide documents to the Parliament with the names and personal information (as set out in standing order 52 (7) (e)) of



individual educators or witnesses to incidents redacted, as well as personal information that could identify an educator or witness where they have been the alleged victim of inappropriate behaviour or another similar incident, or the personal information is medical in nature

- Anonymised information relating to educators will not need to be redacted where the names of educators and specific identifiable incidents as outlined above have been redacted
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  - And this process is effectively Ms Boyd or any other Member informing the Department & Deputy Premier's Office that specific documents are to be provided publicly in line with the Arbiter's report, with a reasonable timeframe (3 business days) given to the Department & Deputy Premier's Office for response
- The Independent Legal Arbiter will be made aware of this agreement

We also propose to brief the Hon. Sarah Mitchell MLC on the above and provide her with a copy of this agreement.

Finally, the Government will not seek to amend Item 1857 before the House for formal business, subject to this agreement being acceptable.

Should this all be agreeable to yourself, we would greatly appreciate it if you would indicate so via email before the House sits today.

Kind regards,

Joanne Matthews

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**The Office of the Hon Prue Car MP**

Deputy Premier of New South Wales  
Minister for Education and Early Learning  
Minister for Western Sydney



4 April 2025

Celia Barnett-Chu  
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Re: Order for Papers – Early Childhood Education and Care sector – Further Order

Dear Ms Barnett-Chu,

I write regarding the Legislative Council order for papers understanding order 52 passed on 18 March 2025 in relation to the Early Childhood Education and Care sector, and the subsequent correspondence from the Clerk of the Legislative Council to Ms Kate Boyd dated 1 April 2025.

Noting the agreed variation of scope of the further order for papers on the Early Childhood Education and Care sector and the acknowledgement of Ms Abigail Boyd that "to the extent any office or agency has already complied, they will not need to comply again," please accept this letter as confirmation that the Deputy Premier's office has no further documents to return under this further order for papers.

Please contact me on (02) 7225 6010 if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joanne Matthews".

**Joanne Matthews**  
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**Office of the Hon Kate Washington MP**

Minister for Families and Communities  
Minister for Disability Inclusion



Ref: OGM25/174

7 April 2025

**Celia Barnett-Chu**  
**A/Executive Director, Legal**  
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Re: Order for Papers – Early Childhood Education and Care sector – Further Order

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Noting the agreed variation of scope of the further order for papers on the Early Childhood Education and Care sector and the acknowledgement of Ms Abigail Boyd that “to the extent that any office or agency has already complied, they will not need to comply again,” please accept this letter as confirmation that the Office of the Minister for Families and Communities, and Minister for Disability Inclusion, has no further documents to return under this further order for papers.

Please contact me on 0437 773 858 if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Blake Mooney", with a large, stylized flourish at the end.

**Blake Mooney**  
Chief of Staff

**The Hon Yasmin Catley MP**  
Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism  
Minister for the Hunter



Katherine Frank  
A/Executive Director, Legal  
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Dear Ms Frank,

**Re: Standing Order 52 – Early Childhood Education and Care**

I write regarding the Legislative Council order for papers passed on 18 March 2025 in relation to the Early Childhood Education and Care sector, and the subsequent correspondence from the Clerk of the Legislative Council to Ms Kate Boyd dated 1 April 2025.

Noting the agreed variation of scope of the further order for papers on the Early Childhood Education and Care sector and the acknowledgement of Ms Abigail Boyd that “to the extent that any office or agency has already complied, they will not need to comply again,” please accept this letter as confirmation that the Office of the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter, has no further documents to return under this further order for papers.

Please contact me at [Ross.Neilson@minister.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Ross.Neilson@minister.nsw.gov.au) if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ross Neilson".

**Ross Neilson**  
Chief of Staff  
Office of the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism and Minister for the Hunter



**NSW Police Force**

Our ref: MF/2025/535

8 April 2025

Katherine Frank/Laura Shumack  
A/Executive Director, Legal  
Legal Branch, Office of General Counsel  
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Dear Katherine/Laura

**Further Order for papers – Early childhood education and care sector**

I write regarding the Legislative Council's further order ("the further order") for papers under Standing Order 52 passed on 18 March 2025 in relation to the Early Childhood Education and Care (ECEC) Sector. The further order follows an order made on 13 November 2024 ("the 2024 order").

At a meeting with Ms Abigail Boyd, MLC on 25 November 2024, agreement was reached to amend the scope of the 2024 order and remove the NSW Police Force from all but item (g) on the list. Agreement was also reached that item (g) would not be pressed if a briefing was provided to Ms Boyd. I **enclose** a copy of our letter dated 5 December 2024, enclosing a document outlining that agreement.

Should that agreement no longer apply, the NSWPF submits in relation to the further order:

1. It has not identified any documents responsive to documents item 5(a) – (d), (f), (j) – (o) and ordinarily would not have those in its possession; and
2. The balance of the further order should properly be sought by a resolution passed under Standing Order 55 insofar as they concern the administration of justice. .

The request calls for documents containing information about suspected criminal conduct, alleged or actual criminal activity, investigations of suspected or proven criminal conduct, actual or alleged offences, and reports or notifications of risk of significant harm and reportable allegations. The requested documents would directly relate to investigations into and prosecutions of criminal offences, potentially including ongoing investigations and matters currently before the courts. It is noted that item 5(e)(ix) requests "*any reports or notifications to the National Quality Agenda IT System from New South Wales ECEC providers*". The NSWPF is not an ECEC provider and does not provide reports or notifications to the National Quality Agenda IT System.

As per the legal advice of the Solicitor-General and Ms Anna Mitchelmore SC, tabled in the Legislative Council on 6 May 2014, "*documents have reference to the administration of justice if they contain material touching on or concerning court proceedings or a police investigation leading to the administration of justice*"<sup>1</sup>. That advice concerned Standing Order 53, which preceded Standing Order 55 in identical terms. Standing Order 55 requires that the production

<sup>1</sup> SG 2014/05 Opinion of Solicitor General and Ms Anna Mitchelmore 'Question of powers of Legislative Council to Compel Production of Documents from Executive' dated 9 April 2014.

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of documents concerning the administration of justice be "*in the form of an address presented to the Governor requesting that the document be laid before the House*".

Yours faithfully



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Our ref: MF/2024/2323

5 December 2024

Katherine Frank/Laura Shumack  
A/Executive Director, Legal  
Legal Branch, Office of General Counsel  
The Cabinet Office  
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Dear Katherine/Laura

**Order for papers – Early childhood education and care sector**

I write regarding the Legislative Council's order for papers under Standing Order 52 passed on 13 November 2024 in relation to the Early Childhood Education and Care (ECEC) Sector.

At a meeting with Ms Abigail Boyd, MLC on 25 November 2024, agreement was reached to amend the scope of the order and remove the NSW Police Force from all but item (g) on the list. Agreement was also reached that item (g) would not be pressed if a briefing was provided to Ms Boyd. Arrangements have been made for the briefing to be provided in early 2025. Written confirmation (**attached**) was subsequently provided.

The NSWPF submits that the documents sought in item (g) of the order should properly be sought by a resolution passed under Standing Order 55. The documents sought - "*(a) documents, including any briefs, relating to prosecutions of early childhood providers and educators*" - concern the administration of justice. The requested documents would directly relate to investigations into and prosecutions of criminal offences, potentially including ongoing investigations and matters currently before the courts.

As per the legal advice of the Solicitor-General and Ms Anna Mitchelmore SC, tabled in the Legislative Council on 6 May 2014, "*documents have reference to the administration of justice if they contain material touching on or concerning court proceedings or a police investigation leading to the administration of justice*"<sup>1</sup>. That advice concerned Standing Order 53, which preceded Standing Order 55 in identical terms. Standing Order 55 requires that the production of documents concerning the administration of justice be "*in the form of an address presented to the Governor requesting that the document be laid before the House*".

Yours faithfully

Natalie Marsic PSM  
General Counsel  
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		VARIATION	NOTES
a	all documents relating to emergency action notices, prohibition notices, suspension notices, compliance notices, show cause notices or other notices or directions served on or regarding early childhood education and care [ECEC] providers under the Children (Education and Care Services) National Law (NSW) 2010 (the National Law);	DOE only.  Remove "compliance notices" and "other notices or directions":  all documents relating to emergency action notices, prohibition notices, suspension notices or show cause notices regarding early childhood education and care [ECEC] providers under the Children (Education and Care Services) National Law (NSW) 2010 (the National Law)	Test sample to be delivered in first tranche covering Tallawawong Childcare / Tallawong Early Learning
b	all written notices of decisions to cancel, suspend or continue approval of a service provider;	DOE only.  Remove "or continue":  all written notices of decisions to cancel or suspend approval of a service provider;	
c	any notifications to parents of children enrolled at an education and care service about the suspension or cancellation of provider approval	DOE only.	



d	<p>all documents relating to enforceable undertakings regarding early childhood education and care;</p>	<p>DOE only.</p> <p>Limit by reference to those undertakings regarding child or worker safety/welfare, to exclude more administrative/minor issues:</p> <p>all documents relating to enforceable undertakings regarding early childhood education and care in relation to child or worker safety or welfare issues;</p>	<p>Enforceable undertakings, but not 'all documents relating to', to be delivered in first tranche.</p> <p>Further consideration to be given to this item after reviewing documents provided in tranche 1.</p>
e	<p>all documents relating to suspected, alleged or actual criminal conduct, reportable incidents or allegation or risk of significant harm incidents, including:</p> <p>(i) suspected criminal conduct in an ECEC provider towards a child;</p> <p>(ii) alleged or actual criminal activity, including fraud, in relation to ECEC provision in New South Wales;</p> <p>(iii) any investigations of suspected or proven criminal conduct towards a child or any other criminal activity related to New South Wales ECEC provision;</p> <p>(iv) any actual or alleged offence of failing to notify certain circumstances or information, or failing to keep enrolment</p>	<p>DCJ (paragraph (vii)), OCG (paragraph viii) and DOE only for remainder.</p>	<p>Willing to defer compliance with this paragraph if instead we are provided with a summary table setting out services concerned, numbers, dates, outcomes etc covering these items at an aggregated level.</p> <p>OCG to provide separate table for paragraph (viii).</p>

	<p>and other documents, as required by the National Law;</p> <p>(v) any actual or alleged offence of using inappropriate discipline or of using an inappropriate person;</p> <p>(vi) any actual or alleged offence relating to protection of children from harm and hazards;</p> <p>(vii) any reports or notifications to the Department of Communities and Justice of risk of significant harm [ROSH] for children while in the care of New South Wales ECEC providers;</p> <p>(viii) any reports or notifications to the Office of Children's Guardian of reportable allegations against staff, volunteers or contractors working for a New South Wales ECEC provider; and</p> <p>(ix) any reports or notifications of reportable incidents to the National Quality Agenda IT System [NQA ITS] from New South Wales ECEC providers.</p>		
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f	<p>all documents, including ministerial briefing documents, relating to death, serious injury or physical or sexual abuse of a child and a New South Wales ECEC facility or staff;</p>	<p>DOE only</p> <p>Limit to communications from or to the Education Minister and her office:</p> <p>"all documents <u>received by or sent from the Office of the Minister for Education</u>, including ministerial documents, relating to death, serious injury or physical or sexual abuse of a child and a New South Wales ECEC facility or staff"</p>	
g	<p>all documents, including any briefs, relating to prosecutions of early childhood providers and educators, including in relation to:</p> <p>(i) any recommendations for prosecution for conduct towards a child suspected to be criminal, or other criminal activity related to ECEC provision in New South Wales;</p> <p>(ii) any recommendations for prosecution of criminal conduct against any New South Wales ECEC providers and or staff in such a facility; and</p> <p>(iii) any prosecution of any New South Wales ECEC providers or their employees or contractors.</p>	<p>PFNSW only.</p>	<p>Willing to defer compliance with this paragraph pending briefing or other information being provided.</p>

h	all documents relating to allegations of fraud, money laundering or scams regarding New South Wales ECEC provision;	DOE only.	
i	all documents regarding actual or alleged wage underpayment in any New South Wales ECEC;	DOE only.	
j	all correspondence with the Productivity Commission or the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission relating to New South Wales ECEC providers;	DOE only.	
k	all documents, including emails and all forms of communication (other than standardised notices or circulars sent to all, or a category of, ECEC providers), sent between the department and representatives or employees of any of the following entities: (i) G8 Education; (ii) Guardian Child Care; (iii) Affinity Education Group; (vi) Busy Bees Early Learning Australia; (v) Edge Early Learning; (vi) Green Leaves; (vii) Imagine Education;	DOE only.	Test sample to be delivered in first tranche covering Tallawawong Childcare / Tallawong Early Learning

	<p>(viii) Story House Early Learning;          (ix) Montessori Academy;          (x) Greentown Education;          (xi) Bright Horizons, also known as Only About Children;          (xii) Nido Early School;          (xiii) Mayfield;          (xiv) Sparrow Early Learning;          (xv) Fullshare Holdings;          (xvi) Journey Early Learning;          (xvii) Little Zak's Academy;          (xviii) Eden Academy;          (xix) Embark Early Education;          (xx) Stepping Stones;          (xxi) Explore and Develop;          (xxii) Aspire Early Learning;          (xxiii) Tallawong Childcare;          (xxiv) Tallawong Early Learning; and          (xxv) Genius Childcare.</p>		
1	<p>all documents regarding compliance visits, spot checks or other compliance monitoring activities of ECEC providers;</p>	<p>DOE only.           Willing to accept a summary table setting out details, including numbers, dates and outcomes, of compliance visits, spot checks or other compliance monitoring activities.</p>	

m	all documents relating to grants and payments made by the Childcare and Economic Opportunity Fund since its inception;	<p>DOE only.</p> <p>Exclude "and payments" to make it clear that the documents requested are in relation to the applications and decisions made around the grants:</p> <p>all documents relating to grants made by the Childcare and Economic Opportunity Fund since its inception;</p>	
n	all documents relating to grants and payments made under the Start Strong for Long Day Care program; and	<p>DOE only</p> <p>Exclude "and payments" to make it clear that the documents requested are in relation to the applications and decisions made around the grants:</p> <p>all documents relating to grants and payments made under the Start Strong for Long Day Care program; and</p>	
o	any legal or other advice regarding the scope or validity of this order of the House created as a result of this order of the House.		



7 April 2025

Ms Katherine Frank  
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Legal Branch, Office of General Counsel  
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**Attention: Claire Schwager**

Our Ref: OGIP25/1272

Dear Ms Frank

**Standing Order 52 – Order for Papers – Early childhood education and care sector – Further Order**

I refer to the above resolution of the Legislative Council under Standing Order 52 made on 18 March 2025 (the **Further Order**), and the correspondence from the Clerk of Parliaments of 19 March 2025.

**Compliance with Initial Order**

The Further Order was identical in its terms to a Standing Order 52, made on 13 November 2024 (the **Initial Order**).

Following discussion with the Member regarding the Initial Order:

1. The Member agreed to refine the call at item (e)(vii) of the Initial Order to:

“A table summarising referrals made to the NSW Early Childhood Education and Care Regulatory Authority, relating to ROSH reports received by DCJ that concern children while in the care of an ECEC provider.” (**Revised item (e)(vii)**)

2. DCJ understood that the Member was content for the Department to interpret the remaining items of the Initial Order as not applying to DCJ.

The Department of Communities and Justice complied with the Initial Order by providing documents responsive to the Initial Order in December 2024, see **enclosed** copy of the Department’s certification letter dated 9 December 2024.

## Further Order

On 31 March 2025, the Cabinet Office made a request for the variation of the terms of the Further Order under Standing Order 53, on behalf of the agencies and offices listed in the Further Order.

On 1 April 2025, the Member agreed to vary the timeframe of the Further Order to the date range of the Initial Order (being, documents created between 1 January 2021 and 13 November 2024).

On the basis of the agreement between the Member and the Department as set out at item 1 and 2 above, I certify to the best of my knowledge that, beyond the document created in response to Revised Item (e)(vii) of the Initial Order and provided in December 2024, there are no additional documents held by the Department responsive to the Further Order.

The time taken by DCJ to respond to this Resolution was estimated at seven hours, as per the **enclosed**.

Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact Lida Kaban, General Counsel, DCJ Legal, on (02) 8688 0280 or by email at [lida.kaban@dcj.nsw.gov.au](mailto:lida.kaban@dcj.nsw.gov.au).

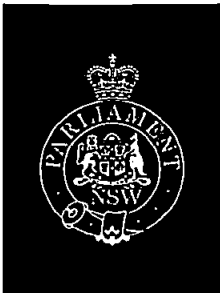
Yours sincerely



Michael Tidball  
**Secretary**  
**Department of Communities and Justice**

*Encl: Resolution of the Legislative Council dated 18 March 2025  
DCJ Initial Order certification letter dated 9 December 2024  
Time and costs*





LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

19 March 2025

D25/011990

Ms Kate Boyd PSM  
Secretary  
The Cabinet Office  
52 Martin Place  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

Dear Ms Boyd,

**Order for papers – Early childhood education and care sector - Further order**

I am writing to inform you that on Tuesday 18 March 2025, the Legislative Council agreed to the following resolution:

- (1) That this House notes that:
  - (a) on 13 November 2024 this House ordered the production of documents relating to the early childhood education and care sector,
  - (b) despite agreement with the mover of the motion, Ms Boyd, over amendments to the notice to reduce the timeframe for documents by one year, extend the due date of the return by 7 days, and vary the scope of paragraph (k) of the order, the Government voted against the motion,
  - (c) on 21 November 2024 a request was received under standing order 53 to vary the scope of the order for papers, which was not agreed to by Ms Boyd,
  - (d) on three separate occasions between 21 November and 17 December 2024, Ms Boyd met with representatives from the Deputy Premier's office and the Department of Education in relation to the scope of the order and potential variations, however no further request to vary the scope of the order was received,
  - (e) in response to the order, on 11 December 2024 an initial return was received from The Cabinet Office which:
    - (i) noted the large number of documents captured by the order,
    - (ii) detailed discussion with Ms Boyd concerning interpretation of the scope of the order by ministers and agencies, the creation of documents in order to provide summary data, and the provision of documents in tranches,
    - (iii) noted Ms Boyd was willing to defer matters of compliance in relation to paragraph (e) on the condition should summary data be provided in the return to the order,
    - (iv) made claims of privilege over a 'whole "family"' of related documents,

- (f) on 18 December 2024 a further return was received from The Cabinet Office which indicated that a further return of documents would be provided by 5 February 2025,
- (g) on 20 December 2024, Ms Boyd disputed the validity of the claims of privilege on documents returned on 11 December 2024 from The Cabinet Office, with the Honourable Keith Mason AC KC appointed as Independent Legal Arbiter to evaluate and report as to the validity of the claim of privilege,
- (h) on 6 March 2024, according to standing order 54, the Privileges Committee published the Independent Legal Arbiter's interim report on a sample of documents subject to the dispute, in which Mr Mason:
  - (i) noted agreement between Ms Boyd, ministers and agencies over certain information which should not be made public, or where certain claims of privilege had been waived,
  - (ii) expressed a view that did not accept most aspects of the Department of Education's continued claims of privilege,
- (i) on 12 March 2025, the Department of Education advised Ms Boyd directly of a delay to further tranches of documents in response to the order, and
- (j) despite the interim report of the Independent Legal Arbiter and a commitment by the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney in a Budget Estimates hearing on 25 February 2025 to provide documents in response to the order, the remainder of the documents have not yet been provided.

(2) That this House further notes that:

- (a) as agreed by Ms Boyd and the Department of Education, on 11 December 2024 a document of data relating to paragraphs (e)(v), (vi) and (ix) of the order was returned, entitled "Aggregated data related to Kids Academy Spring Farm (SE-40017213) (Affinity)" with explanatory text stating "The data below demonstrates one of the analytical approaches the ECEC-RA uses to understand a service's risk level and help identify patterns of non-compliance",
- (b) at a Budget Estimates hearing on 25 February 2025, the data was used in questions to the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney, and attributed to one service as stated in the document title and explanatory text,
- (c) on 25 February 2025, the Sydney Morning Herald similarly reported on the data, before issuing a correction, based on advice from the Department of Education, that the data instead related to Affinity as a provider and not a single service,
- (d) on 12 March 2025, the Sydney Morning Herald published an article entitled "NSW Department of Education error", which stated that the Department had advised of a further correction, admitting that the data it had provided in response to the order of the House was incorrect, and actually related to all New South Wales service providers, and
- (e) it was not until 12 March 2025, over two weeks after the Department first became aware that the document provided was incorrect, that a return was received from The Cabinet Office, advising of the mistake to the title and explanatory text of the document.

- (3) That this House:
- (a) notes the failure of the Government to comply with the order of the House regarding the early childhood education and care sector and to produce documents necessary for this House to undertake its function of scrutinising the actions of the executive government and holding it to account using its power to order the production of state papers,
  - (b) notes that delays in the provision of documents, and the provision of inaccurate information, to orders for papers undermines the integrity and efficacy of a critical power of the House, and
  - (c) reminds the Leader of the Government that, as the representative of the Government in this House, they are responsible for compliance with orders for papers passed by the Legislative Council.
- (4) That this House accordingly censures the Leader of the Government, as the representative of the Government in this House, for the Government's failure to comply with the order of the House regarding the early childhood education and care sector of 13 November 2024.
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An extract from the Minutes of Proceedings of the Legislative Council is attached. The resolution requires the documents be tabled by **Tuesday 1 April 2025**.

Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,



**David Blunt AM**  
Clerk of the Parliaments

cc: The Honourable Penny Sharpe MLC, Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council

**33 SUSPENSION OF STANDING AND SESSIONAL ORDERS**

On the President calling on the Clerk to read the order of the day, Ms Boyd moved, according to contingent notice: That standing and sessional orders be suspended to allow a motion to be moved forthwith for censure of the Leader of the Government for failing to table documents in accordance with an order of the House.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

**34 CENSURE OF LEADER OF THE GOVERNMENT—NON-COMPLIANCE WITH AN ORDER FOR PAPERS**

Ms Boyd moved, without notice:

- (1) That this House notes that:
  - (a) on 13 November 2024 this House ordered the production of documents relating to the early childhood education and care sector,
  - (b) despite agreement with the mover of the motion, Ms Boyd, over amendments to the notice to reduce the timeframe for documents by one year, extend the due date of the return by 7 days, and vary the scope of paragraph (k) of the order, the Government voted against the motion,
  - (c) on 21 November 2024 a request was received under standing order 53 to vary the scope of the order for papers, which was not agreed to by Ms Boyd,
  - (d) on three separate occasions between 21 November and 17 December 2024, Ms Boyd met with representatives from the Deputy Premier's office and the Department of Education in relation to the scope of the order and potential variations, however no further request to vary the scope of the order was received,
  - (e) in response to the order, on 11 December 2024 an initial return was received from The Cabinet Office which:
    - (i) noted the large number of documents captured by the order,
    - (ii) detailed discussion with Ms Boyd concerning interpretation of the scope of the order by ministers and agencies, the creation of documents in order to provide summary data, and the provision of documents in franchises,
    - (iii) noted Ms Boyd was willing to defer matters of compliance in relation to paragraph (e) on the condition summary data be provided in the return to the order,
    - (iv) made claims of privilege over a 'whole "family"' of related documents,
  - (f) on 18 December 2024 a further return was received from The Cabinet Office which indicated that a further return of documents would be provided by 5 February 2025,
  - (g) on 20 December 2024, Ms Boyd disputed the validity of the claims of privilege on documents returned on 11 December 2024 from The Cabinet Office, with the Honourable Keith Mason AC KC appointed as Independent Legal Arbitrator to evaluate and report as to the validity of the claim of privilege,
  - (h) on 6 March 2024, according to standing order 54, the Privileges Committee published the Independent Legal Arbitrator's interim report on a sample of documents subject to the dispute, in which Mr Mason:

- (i) noted agreement between Ms Boyd, ministers and agencies over certain information which should not be made public, or where certain claims of privilege had been waived,
  - (ii) expressed a view that did not accept most aspects of the Department of Education's continued claims of privilege,
- (i) on 12 March 2025, the Department of Education advised Ms Boyd directly of a delay to further tranches of documents in response to the order, and
- (j) despite the interim report of the Independent Legal Arbitrator and a commitment by the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney in a Budget Estimates hearing on 25 February 2025 to provide documents in response to the order, the remainder of the documents have not yet been provided.
- (2) That this House further notes that:
- (a) as agreed by Ms Boyd and the Department of Education, on 11 December 2024 a document of data relating to paragraphs (e)(v), (vi) and (ix) of the order was returned, entitled "Aggregated data related to Kids Academy Spring Farm (SE-40017213) (Affinity)" with explanatory text stating "The data below demonstrates one of the analytical approaches the ECEC-RA uses to understand a service's risk level and help identify patterns of non-compliance",
  - (b) at a Budget Estimates hearing on 25 February 2025, the data was used in questions to the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney, and attributed to one service as stated in the document title and explanatory text,
  - (c) on 25 February 2025, the Sydney Morning Herald similarly reported on the data, before issuing a correction, based on advice from the Department of Education, that the data instead related to Affinity as a provider and not a single service,
  - (d) on 12 March 2025, the Sydney Morning Herald published an article entitled "NSW Department of Education error", which stated that the Department had advised of a further correction, admitting that the data it had provided in response to the order of the House was incorrect, and actually related to all New South Wales service providers, and
  - (e) it was not until 12 March 2025, over two weeks after the Department first became aware that the document provided was incorrect, that a return was received from The Cabinet Office, advising of the mistake to the title and explanatory text of the document.
- (3) That this House:
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Debate ensued.

The House divided.

Ayes .....20  
 Noes .....15  
 Majority.....5

## AYES

Barrett  
Boyd  
Carter  
Cohn  
Faehrmann  
Fang (teller)  
Farlow

Higginson  
Hurst  
MacDonald  
Maclaren-Jones  
Martin  
Merton  
Mitchell

Munro  
Overall  
Rath (teller)  
Roberts  
Ruddick  
Ward

## NOES

Buckingham  
Buttigieg  
Donnelly  
Graham  
Houssos

Jackson  
Kaine  
Lawrence  
Mookhey  
Moriarty

Murphy (teller)  
Nanva (teller)  
Primrose  
Sharpe  
Suvaal

## PAIRS

Tudehope

D'Adam

Question resolved in the affirmative.



9 December 2024

Our Ref: OGIP24/5107

Ms Katherine Frank  
A/Executive Director, Legal  
Legal Branch, Office of General Counsel  
The Cabinet Office  
Level 14, 52 Martin Place  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

**Attention: Claire Schwager**

Dear Ms Frank

**Standing Order 52 – Order for Papers – Early childhood education and care sector**

I refer to your correspondence, dated 14 November 2024, advising the Secretary of the Department of Communities and Justice (DCJ) of the enclosed resolution of the Legislative Council dated 13 November 2024 (the **Resolution**).

Following discussion with the Member, the Member has agreed to refine the call at item (e)(vii) to:

“A table summarising referrals made to the NSW Early Childhood Education and Care Regulatory Authority, relating to ROSH reports received by DCJ that concern children while in the care of an ECEC provider.” (**Revised item (e)(vii)**)

Further, DCJ understands that the Member is content for the Department to interpret the remaining items of the Order as not applying to DCJ.

DCJ is aware of the Solicitor General’s advice that a requirement to create documents is not within the scope of the Council’s power, however, in the circumstances it was most convenient for the Department to create a new record.

I certify to the best of my knowledge that, while there is no document held by the Department responsive to Revised item (e)(vii), that a document has been created in response to Revised Item (e)(vii) and has been provided.

The time taken by DCJ to respond to this Resolution was estimated at 72 hours, as per the **enclosed**.

Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact Lida Kaban, General Counsel, DCJ Legal, on (02) 8688 0280 or by email at [lida.kaban@dcj.nsw.gov.au](mailto:lida.kaban@dcj.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michael Tidball', with a horizontal line underneath.

**Michael Tidball**  
**Secretary**  
**Department of Communities and Justice**

*Encl: Resolution of the Legislative Council dated 13 November 2024*  
*Time and costs*