

Details		
1. Details of person /entity to whom the enforcement action relates	Approved Provider	East Coast Early Learning Pty Ltd
	Address	74 Ashmore Road, Bundall
	Service type	Centre-based service
	Associated service name	Natural Elements Early Learning Centre
2. Service address	124-128 Riverhills Road, Eagleby	
3. Nature of Enforcement Action	Prosecution	
4. Reason for Prosecution	On 11 October 2023, a 4-year-old child left the premises unnoticed by staff and was unaccounted for by staff at the service for a minimum of 20 minutes, before being returned to the service by a member of the public The Approved Provider pleaded guilty to contravening: 1. Section 165(1) Education and Care Services National Law (Queensland) – Offence to inadequately supervise children 2. Regulation 99(1) Education and Care Services National Regulations – Children leaving the education and care service	
3. Date of prosecution	21 August 2026	
4. Outcome of prosecution	The Approved Provider pleaded guilty to two charges and was fined \$12,000 for the combined charges and ordered to pay \$1,875 in costs. No conviction was recorded.	