

Details		
1. Details of person /entity to whom the enforcement action relates	Approved Provider	Goodstart Early Learning Ltd
	Service type	Centre Based Service
	Service name	Goodstart Early Learning Edmonton 1
2. Service address	189 – 191 Bruce Highway Edmonton Qld 4869	
3. Nature of Enforcement Action	Prosecution	
4. Reason for Prosecution	<p>On 18 February 2020, a three-year-old child was found deceased on the service bus after being left unaccompanied for a period of between 4-5 hours. The child had been signed into the service attendance records but never disembarked the bus.</p> <p>The Approved Provider pleaded guilty to contravening:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Section 165(1) of the National Law - failing to ensure that a child was adequately supervised at all times; and (b) Section 167(1) of the National Law - failing to ensure that every reasonable precaution was taken to protect a child from harm or from any hazard likely to cause injury; and (c) Regulation 177(2) of the National Regulations - failing to ensure that the attendance records for the child were accurate. 	
5. Date of prosecution	29 September 2021	
6. Outcome of prosecution	The approved provider pleaded guilty to all charges and was fined \$71,000 for the combined charges. A conviction was recorded.	