

Details		
1. Details of person /entity to whom the enforcement action relates	Approved Provider	KB Child Care and Early Learning Pty Ltd
	Address	51 Old Northern Road, Albany Creek
	Service type	Centre based service
	Associated service name	Little Gems Child Care and Early Education Centre
2. Service address	118 Saltwater Creek Road, Maryborough	
3. Nature of Enforcement Action	Prosecution	
4. Reason for Prosecution	<p>On 20 July 2022, a 2-year-old child was found unresponsive by staff after a rest period at the service and very sadly was later declared deceased at Maryborough Base Hospital.</p> <p>The child's death was found to be the result of natural causes, and the court proceedings did not relate to or arise from the child's death.</p> <p>An investigation was undertaken by the Early Childhood Regulatory Authority subsequent to the incident and non-compliance was identified at the service.</p> <p>The Approved Provider pleaded guilty to contravening:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 167(1) Education and Care Services National Law (Queensland) – Offence relating to protection of children from harm and hazards (two breaches) 	
5. Date of prosecution	13 March 2026	
6. Outcome of prosecution	The Approved Provider pleaded guilty to two charges and was fined \$15,000 for the combined charges and order to pay \$1,700 in costs. No conviction was recorded.	