



# Caveat Brief

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**To:** Minister for Education and Early Childhood

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**From:** Executive Branch Manager, Education and Care Regulation and Support

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**Subject:** Prohibition Notice – Educator – Busy Bees at the Park

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**Cleared By:** Executive Group Manager, System Policy and Reform

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**Summary**

On 19 December 2024 CECA issued [REDACTED] with a prohibition notice preventing her from participating in the ECEC sector for conduct of inappropriate discipline of children.

**Detail**

On 14 June 2024, Children’s Education and Care Assurance (CECA) received notification from the Busy Bees at the Park (the Service) in relation to health, safety and wellbeing concerns that children were allegedly facing at the Service.

The information alleged serious breaches of inappropriate discipline and harm and hazard to children likely to cause injury. Both complaints were investigated.

The investigation obtained evidence to substantiate multiple breaches under the *National Law*.

On 16 September 2024 a Show Cause notice was sent to [REDACTED] pertaining to the first matter, a response was received within legislative timeframes. On 8 October 2024 a second Show Cause notice was sent to [REDACTED] about the second matter. [REDACTED] did not respond to the second notice.

On 31 October 2024, CECA determined that [REDACTED] presented an unacceptable risk if allowed to continue to work with children based on the evidence.

On 19 December 2024, CECA issued [REDACTED] with a prohibition notice preventing her from working in the ECEC sector.

Access Canberra’s WWVP team is to be provided with the prohibition information to assess [REDACTED] suitability to hold a WWVP registration.

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Action Officer: Sean Moysey

Date: 20 December 2024