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1 Short title

This regulation may be cited as the *Child Safe Organisations (Sector Regulators and Other Matters) Amendment Regulation 2026*.

2 Commencement

This regulation commences on 1 July 2026.

3 Regulation amended

This regulation amends the *Child Safe Organisations Regulation 2025*.

4 Amendment of s 3 (Prescribed sector regulators—Act, s 6)

Section 3, heading, after ‘regulators’—
insert—

for child safe entities

5 Insertion of new s 4

After section 3—
insert—

4 Prescribed sector regulators for reporting entities—Act, s 6

- (1) Schedule 2 prescribes, for section 6(a)(ii) of the Act, sector regulators for reporting entities.
- (2) However, an entity is prescribed as a sector regulator for a reporting entity under subsection (1) only to the extent that the entity is responsible for regulating the reporting entity.

6 Insertion of new pt 3

After part 2—

insert—

Part 3 Requirements for initial report

5 Prescribed requirements for initial report—Act, s 35

- (1) For section 35(1)(h) of the Act, the information prescribed for an initial report for a worker to be given by the head of a reporting entity is each personal identification number for the worker, if the personal identification number—
 - (a) was given to the reporting entity in connection with the worker performing work for the reporting entity; and
 - (b) is in the possession of the reporting entity when the initial report is prepared.
- (2) In this section—

personal identification number, for a worker, means any identifying number assigned by a State or Commonwealth department or agency or a national regulator or agency in relation to the worker, including, for example, a number assigned in relation to any of the following—

 - (a) the worker’s working with children authority under the *Working with Children Check Act 2000*;
 - (b) the worker’s registration or permission to teach under the *Education (Queensland College of Teachers) Act 2005*;
 - (c) a Queensland driver licence issued to the worker under the *Transport Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995*;
 - (d) a clearance issued to the worker under the *Disability Services Act 2006*;

- (e) registration of the worker as a health practitioner under the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Queensland).

7 Amendment of sch 1 (Sector regulators for child safe entities)

Schedule 1, section 1, heading, ‘and’—

omit, insert—

or

8 Insertion of new sch 2

After schedule 1—

insert—

Schedule 2 Sector regulators for reporting entities

section 4

1 Accommodation or residential services

For a reporting entity mentioned in schedule 2, section 1 of the Act, each of the following is prescribed as a sector regulator—

- (a) the department in which the *Education (General Provisions) Act 2006* is administered;
- (b) the department in which the *Housing Act 2003* is administered;
- (c) the department in which the *Working with Children Check Act 2000* is administered;
- (d) the Non-State Schools Accreditation Board under the *Education (Accreditation of Non-State Schools) Act 2017*, section 97;

(e) the registrar under the *Housing Act 2003*.

2 Religious bodies

For a reporting entity mentioned in schedule 2, section 2 of the Act, the department in which the *Working with Children Check Act 2000* is administered is prescribed as a sector regulator.

3 Early childhood education and care services

For a reporting entity mentioned in schedule 2, section 3 of the Act, each of the following is prescribed as a sector regulator—

- (a) the department in which the *Education and Care Services Act 2013* is administered;
- (b) the department in which the *Working with Children Check Act 2000* is administered;
- (c) the regulatory authority declared under the *Education and Care Services National Law (Queensland) Act 2011*, section 14.

4 Child protection services

For a reporting entity mentioned in schedule 2, section 4 of the Act, each of the following is prescribed as a sector regulator—

- (a) the department in which the *Child Protection Act 1999* is administered;
- (b) the department in which the *Working with Children Check Act 2000* is administered.

5 Services for children with disability

For a reporting entity mentioned in schedule 2, section 5 of the Act, each of the following is prescribed as a sector regulator—

- (a) the department in which the *Disability Services Act 2006* is administered;
- (b) the department in which the *Working with Children Check Act 2000* is administered.

6 Education services

For a reporting entity mentioned in schedule 2, section 6 of the Act, each of the following is prescribed as a sector regulator—

- (a) the department in which the *Education (General Provisions) Act 2006* is administered;
- (b) the department in which the *Working with Children Check Act 2000* is administered;
- (c) the Non-State Schools Accreditation Board under the *Education (Accreditation of Non-State Schools) Act 2017*, section 97;
- (d) the Queensland College of Teachers established under the *Education (Queensland College of Teachers) Act 2005*, section 229.

7 Health services

For a reporting entity mentioned in schedule 2, section 7 of the Act, each of the following is prescribed as a sector regulator—

- (a) the department in which the *Child Protection Act 1999* is administered;
- (b) the department in which the *Hospital and Health Boards Act 2011* is administered;
- (c) the department in which the *Working with Children Check Act 2000* is administered;
- (d) the health ombudsman under the *Health Ombudsman Act 2013*.

8 Justice or detention services

For a reporting entity mentioned in schedule 2, section 8 of the Act, each of the following is prescribed as a sector regulator—

- (a) the department in which the *Working with Children Check Act 2000* is administered;
- (b) the department in which the *Youth Justice Act 1992* is administered.

9 Government entities

For a reporting entity mentioned in schedule 2, section 9 of the Act, the department in which the *Working with Children Check Act 2000* is administered is prescribed as a sector regulator.

ENDNOTES

- 1 Made by the Governor in Council on 25 June 2026.
- 2 Notified on the Queensland legislation website on 26 June 2026.
- 3 The administering agency is the Department of Families, Seniors, Disability Services and Child Safety.

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