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Communities at Work response to Legislative Assembly release of documents

Communities at Work acknowledges the release of documents to the Legislative Assembly detailing incidents across the early childhood education and care sector, noting some of these documents relate to our services.

We understand the sensitivity of the released documents and the public interest surrounding them. While we will not comment on individual incidents or cases, due to privacy and confidentiality obligations, we reaffirm our strong commitment to transparency, accountability, and the safety of children in our care.

At Communities at Work, child safety is not negotiable - it is the foundation of everything we do. We uphold our Statement of Commitment to the safety and wellbeing of children and young people and foster a culture of transparency, accountability, and continuous improvement. Our complaints handling policies are designed to uphold the rights of children and young people and contribute to the continuous improvement of our services.

Transparency and self-reporting are practices we encourage to ensure our environments are safe, inclusive, and protective. We foster a strong reporting culture where families, staff and community members feel empowered to raise concerns. We welcome oversight, value community trust, and see this process as an opportunity to keep improving the quality and safety of care across the sector.

Finally, our thoughts are with all those who have been impacted by incidents in early childhood settings, whether recently or in the past. We care deeply and remain committed to listening, learning, and leading with integrity.

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