

Children and Young People (Childcare Service Licence) Temporary Standards Exemption 2023 (No 8)

Notifiable instrument NI2023-508

made under the

Children and Young People Act 2008 Section 749 (2) Childcare licence – childcare service standards

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Children and Young People (Childcare Service Licence) Temporary Standards Exemption 2023 (No 8)*.

2 Purpose of this Instrument

This instrument is to issue a *Temporary Standards Exemption* as specified in Section 749 (2) of the *Children and Young People Act 2008*.

3 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day after notification.

4 Expiry

This instrument expires twelve (12) months after the day it commences.

5 This Temporary Standard Exemption is issued to

Possums Playschool Parent Association Incorporated for
Possums Playschool
PO Box 433
KIPPAX ACT 2615

6 Temporary Standard Exemption Standard

Possums Playschool operated by Possums Playschool Parent Association Incorporated is exempt from complying with *Children and Young People (ACT Childcare Services) Standards 2009 (No 1)* – Standard 1.47

Position requiring a qualified person must be filled by an adult who holds one of the following qualifications:

a) a Diploma in Children's Services or equivalent;

b) a Bachelor of Early Childhood Education;

c) an equivalent 3 year full time tertiary qualification specialising in early childhood from a university;

d) a recognised overseas equivalent of any of the above qualifications;

or

and adult who is actively studying to any of the above qualifications and has been approved in writing by the Regulatory Authority; and

Standard 5.1

There must be a designated qualified team leader for each group of children.

7 Explanation and Additional Conditions

This exemption enables the playschool to operate with a suitable educator acting as the qualified team leader as specified in the application for this temporary standard exemption, who does not hold any of the qualifications prescribed in Standard 1.47. The educator will act in the permanent Playschool Teacher's position during periods of her short term planned or unplanned leave. This exemption is valid for 12 months from the day it commences.

Delphine Coutin
Delegate for Director-General
ACT Education Directorate

Date: 23 August 2023