



Updated statement of regulatory action

The Australian Skills Quality Authority (ASQA) has cancelled the qualifications and/or statements of attainment of more than 6400 former students of Registered Training Organisation (RTO) Luvium Pty Ltd as part of its ongoing work to ensure the integrity of qualifications gained through Australia's VET sector.

Luvium Pty Ltd (trading as Australia Education & Career College 52865) was registered to deliver training and assessment to domestic students but an ASQA compliance investigation found it had issued qualifications without appropriate training or competency-based assessment by qualified assessors between 1 January 2023 and 19 October 2024.

ASQA sent notices of intent to cancel the qualifications and/or statements of attainment to 7,360 former students on 6 November 2024 after cancelling the registration of Luvium effective 19 October 2024 following an extensive compliance investigation.

Of the 7,360 former students who were sent notices, more than 6400 provided no response and ASQA therefore today cancelled their qualifications and/or statements of attainment.

ASQA has received responses from more than 780 former students. ASQA is considering their responses and will advise them of an outcome as soon as possible.

Former students of Luvium hold a variety of qualifications including across individual support, early childhood education and care, community services and first aid.

ASQA continues to work collaboratively with other government agencies and state and territory governments and regulators in relation to the impact of these decisions on former students, as well as any workplaces affected.

ASQA CEO Saxon Rice said the cancellation decisions were made in the interests of public safety and the members of the community who rely on appropriately qualified staff.

"The integrity of our qualifications is our primary focus and we are committed to lifting quality and integrity across the VET sector" she said.

"Employers and the community must have confidence in the integrity of qualifications issued by registered training organisations.

"The scale of cancelled qualifications in this instance, across multiple industry sectors, has been supported by extensive collaboration and coordination across various Commonwealth and state and territory government departments and agencies, working proactively to identify and support risk mitigation throughout ASQA's process.

"There is no place for anyone who seeks to undermine the VET sector, or exploit students and we will continue to take action to remove providers who are found to be fraudulently issuing qualifications."

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