

Education and Training Reform Amendment Bill 2026 – webinar

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Acknowledgement of Country

We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of country throughout Australia and recognise their continuing connection to land, waters and culture.

We pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging for they hold the memories; the traditions; the culture; and the hopes of all indigenous Australians.

We acknowledge and honour their unbroken spiritual and cultural connection to the surrounding lands and waters, understanding and care for the environment, and ongoing strength in practicing the world's oldest living culture.





Why we're here

1



Overview of the reforms

2



Why the reforms matter

3



What implementation will involve

4



Opportunities for stakeholder engagement

What is changing

1



**Interim
suspension
decision-making
arrangements**

2



**Updated
review
processes**

3



**Expanded
information
sharing powers**

4



**Greater
registration
transparency**

5



**Governance
modernisation**

Why these reforms matter



**Strengthening
child safety**



**Stronger
regulatory
oversight**



**Greater
transparency**



**Modernised
framework**



Child safety

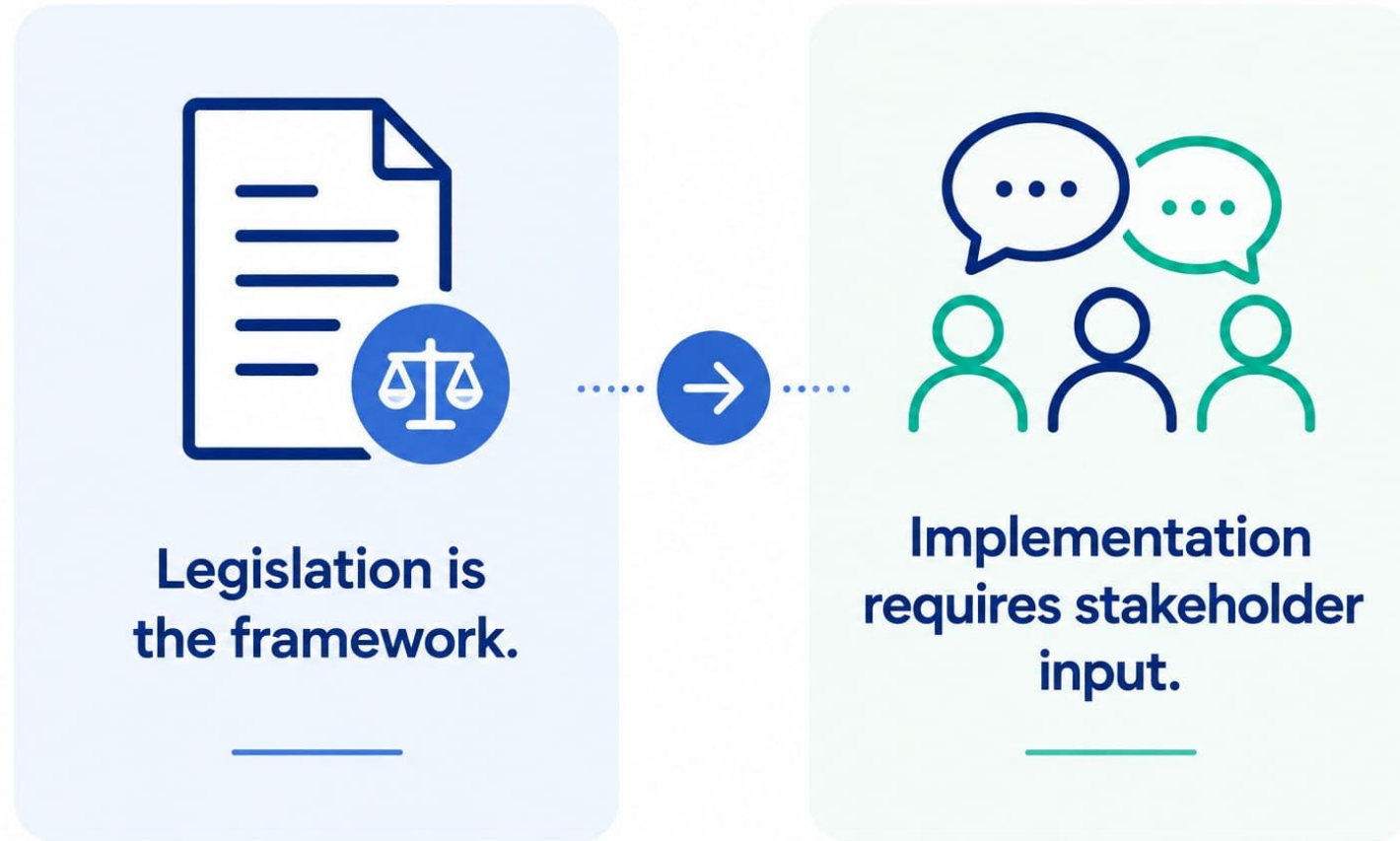


**Public
confidence**



**Stronger
teacher regulation**

The journey so far



What to expect



We are not taking a
“set and forget” approach



Ongoing
communication



Opportunities
for feedback



Clear guidance
material



Early identification
of risks

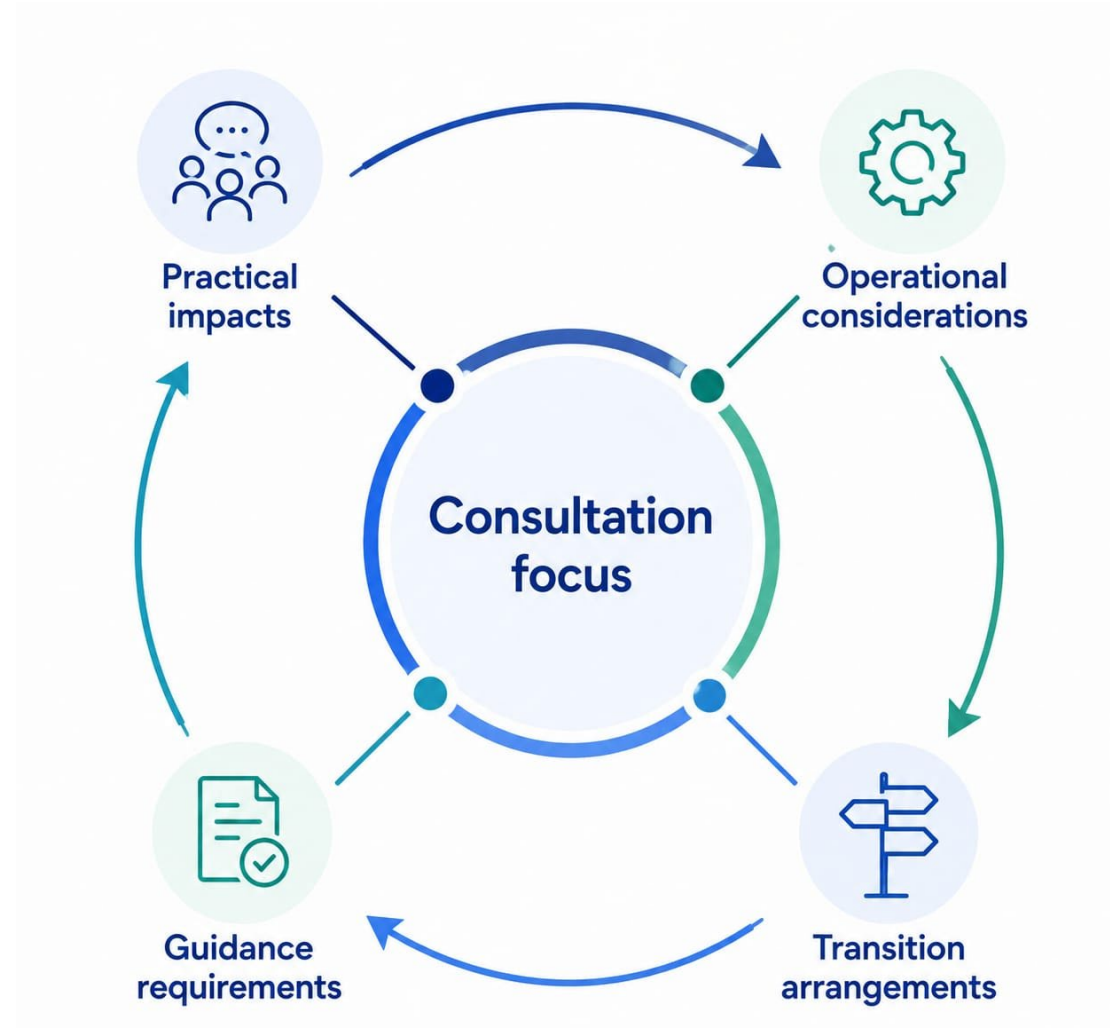


Practical
support



Responsive
planning

Our consultation commitment





What success looks like



**Safer learning
environments**



**Confidence in
regulation**

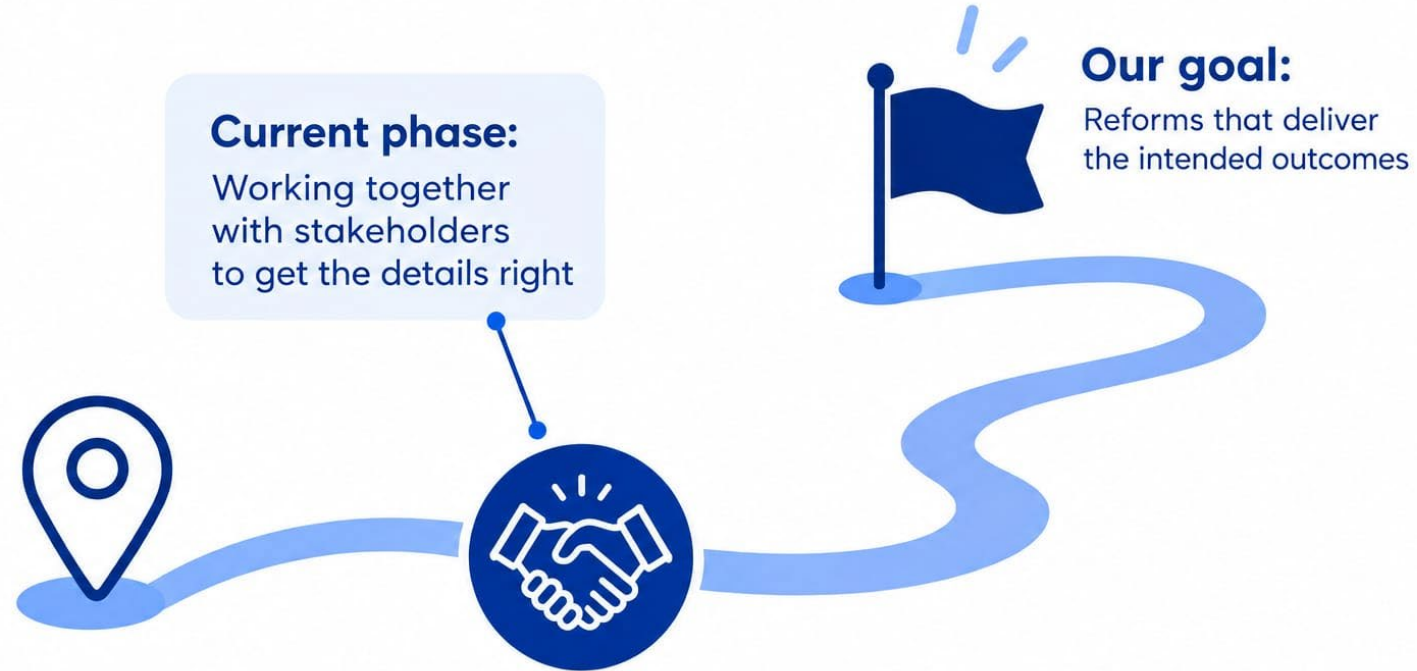


**Clarity of
responsibilities**



**Increased public
confidence**

Closing



We remain committed to continuing meaningful consultation on implementation.



Thank you