

23 December 2016

## VET Legislation and Department Correspondence

The Directors of Site Group International Ltd ("Site") advise that as previously announced Productivity Partners Pty Ltd (Productivity Partners) had received advice of possible suspension of its VET Provider approval with the effect it will not be able to offer VET FEE-HELP to future students. Productivity Partners has now received written notice of suspension with effect from 22 December 2016.

Whilst Productivity Partners will be able to continue to offer VET FEE-HELP to existing students in the VET fee courses of study in which they are currently enrolled, it will not be entitled to enroll future students before enrollments for this program are ceased on 31 December 2016. The company had no intention of enrolling any students through this period and in any event only enrolled less than 25 students in Calendar Year 2016.

Productivity Partners is entitled to request a review of the suspension within 28 days and has been offered the opportunity to enter a rectification plan with the Department. While the company believes there are no grounds for the suspension, it is yet to decide if it intends to pursue these options.

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