

Turbocharging the VET Workforce

FEDERATION FUNDING AGREEMENT – EDUCATION AND SKILLS

Tasmania

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Parties	Commonwealth Tasmania																				
Duration	This Appendix is expected to expire on 30 June 2027, or on completion of all approved projects (whichever is later), including final performance reporting and processing of final payments against milestones.																				
Purpose	<p>This Appendix will support the delivery of a project under Turbocharging the VET Workforce in Tasmania.</p> <p>The project aims to increase the number, capacity and capability of clean energy educators in Tasmania to support Tasmania’s energy transition. The project will upskill existing electrical educators in clean energy principles and practices and engage qualified electricians, providing a supported, structured and paid pathway into clean energy educator roles.</p>																				
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Table 2: Tasmania – Performance requirements, reporting and payment summary			
Output	Performance milestones	Report due	Payment
Tasmania – Turbocharging the VET Workforce Proposal	<p>Milestone 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commonwealth approval of the project proposal for the Tasmania – Turbocharging the VET Workforce Proposal 	On execution	\$811,545
	<p>Milestone 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commonwealth acceptance of an initial progress report from commencement of the project to 1 September 2026, signed by a Tasmania senior official with responsibility for skills that includes or attaches details on progress relating to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Project governance, management and reporting arrangements established; Appointment of a Project Manager and Project Officer; A detailed project plan finalised and key protocols and processes developed; Training room secured and leased; Evaluation consultant and marketing specialist secured; and Terms of Reference for Community of Practice developed and membership. 	30/09/2026	\$486,927
	<p>Milestone 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commonwealth acceptance that Tasmania continues implementation of the Tasmania - Turbocharging the VET Workforce project, as evidenced through a report signed by a senior official with responsibility for skills that provides evidence of implementation to 31 March 2027 and includes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> evidence of progress towards design and commencement of delivery of mentor development program and insights gained to date from the program including feedback from the 22 participants enrolled in the program, and details of the number of participants who then took up the Certificate IV in TAE; evidence of progress towards two clean energy exposure events/tour with industry; evidence of progress towards design and commencement of adult learning workshops; a financial report that includes outcome and spend against each of the project milestones to 31 March 2027, evidence of planned expenditure, and a plan to complete project by 30 June 2027. 	30/04/2027	\$324,618

	<p>Milestone 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Commonwealth acceptance that Tasmania has implemented the Tasmania - Turbocharging the VET Workforce Proposal, as evidenced through a report signed by a senior official with responsibility for skills that includes or attaches:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ A final acquittal report that includes outcomes against each of the project milestones, including confirmation of delivery against approved activities and evidence of completion of delivery against each of the items listed above in Milestone 3.○ Signed financial acquittal evidencing expenditure in accordance with this schedule.	30/06/2027	Nil
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The Parties have confirmed their commitment to this Appendix as follows:

Signed for and on behalf of the Commonwealth of Australia by



The Honourable Andrew Giles MP
Minister for Skills and Training

21 / 4 / 2026

Signed for and on behalf of the State of Tasmania by



The Honourable Felix Ellis MP
Minister for Business, Industry and Resources
Minister for Skills and Jobs
Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Management

4 / 5 / 2026