

Additional information

Detailed payment lists for the financial year 2025/26



Brighter Super short-form expenditure summary for financial year 2025/26

Please note that expenditure disclosed in each expenditure item in the short-form expenditure summary is not mutually exclusive. That is, payments to some entities may be included in multiple expenditure items as required by section 29P(3) of the *Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Act 1993* (Cth), and regulation 2.10 of the *Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Regulations 1994* (Cth). This may result in an overstatement of the total expenditure.

Remuneration expenditure includes the remuneration of all executive officers of the Fund for the financial year 2025/2026. Executive officers include directors, special advisors and executives who have the authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Fund.

Promotion, marketing or sponsorship expenditure includes expenditure on design, production and distribution of Fund promotional or educational materials, advertising development and media costs, and partnership arrangements. This expenditure is necessary to grow the Fund.

Political donations – Brighter Super does not make political donations.

Industrial body payments are payments to organisations registered under the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 for distribution of Fund promotional and education materials supporting member engagement and marketing of the Fund. The amounts recorded here are also included within the total promotion, marketing or sponsorship expenditure item.

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Note: Financial information reported in the short form expenditure summary may differ to the Annual Financial Report due to differences in requirements between the Superannuation Industry Supervision Act and the Australian accounting standards.

Expenditure item	Aggregate amount (\$)
Remuneration Expenditure	6,588,223
Promotion, Marketing and Sponsorship Expenditure	5,380,748
Political Donations	-
Industrial Body Payments	192,793
Related Party Payments	4,164,761

Details of expenditure and contracts associated with promotion, marketing and sponsorship

Promotion, marketing or sponsorship expenditure includes expenditure on design, production and distribution of Fund promotional or educational materials, advertising development and media costs, and partnership arrangements. This expenditure is necessary to grow the Fund.

Organisations	Contract term		Expenditure 2024/25 (\$)	Expenditure 2025/26 (\$)	Expenditure 2026/27 (\$)	Expenditure 2027/28 (\$)	Total payments (\$)	Category
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical And Services Union Queensland Branch (Asu)	1-Jul-25	30-Jun-26		61,341			61,341	Sponsorship
Bcm Group (Australia) Pty Ltd	30-Aug-25	29-Aug-26		3,510,186			3,510,186	Marketing
CLC Consulting Group Pty Ltd	1-Jul-25	30-Jun-26		172,575			172,575	Marketing
Conexus Financial Pty Limited	1-Dec-25	30-Jun-26		73,150			73,150	Sponsorship
Count Limited	1-Jan-26	31-Dec-26		57,475			57,475	Sponsorship
Dirigere Advisory Pty Ltd T/A Intelligent Planning	1-Jan-26	31-Dec-26		3,135			3,135	Sponsorship
Electrotechnology Training Institute Limited T/A Electrical & Communications Association Wa	1-Jul-25	30-Jun-26		26,422			26,422	Sponsorship
Emmelco Pty Ltd	1-Jul-25	30-Jun-26		77,995			77,995	Marketing
Financial Advice Association Of Australia Ltd	17-Dec-25	28-Feb-26		24,225			24,225	Sponsorship
	24-Jun-26	30-Nov-26		20,900			20,900	Sponsorship
	3-Jun-26	30-Jun-27		940			940	Sponsorship
Flare Hr Pty Ltd	12-Apr-24	11-Apr-27	296,502	110,589			407,092	Marketing
Growthpoint Properties Australia Limited	27-Nov-17	26-Nov-27		90,374	99,408	41,633	231,415	Marketing
Local Government Association Of Queensland Ltd	1-July-25	30-Jun-26		54,863			54,863	Sponsorship
Local Government Managers Australia (Qld) Inc.	1-Jan-24	31-Dec-25	15,604	15,604			31,208	Sponsorship
	1-Jan-25	31-Dec-26		14,701			14,701	Sponsorship
Master Electricians Association Queensland Industrial Organisation Of Employers	1-Jul-25	30-Jun-26		67,865			67,865	Sponsorship
Mates In Construction Aust Ltd	1-Jul-25	30-Jun-26		175,241			175,241	Sponsorship
Pinstripe Media Pty Ltd	28-Mar-25	30-Sep-25	41,800	41,800			83,600	Sponsorship

Organisations	Contract term		Expenditure 2024/25 (\$)	Expenditure 2025/26 (\$)	Expenditure 2026/27 (\$)	Expenditure 2027/28 (\$)	Total payments (\$)	Category
Prime Creative Media Pty Ltd	29-May-26	29-May-26		26,125			26,125	Sponsorship
Private Media Operations Pty Ltd	8-Apr-26	30-Sep-26		108,680			108,680	Sponsorship
Sas Consulting Group Pty Ltd	22-May-25	30-Nov-25		137,057			137,057	PR
Super Ratings Pty Ltd	10-Dec-25	9-Dec-26		35,364			35,364	Marketing
25ers Club South East Qld				2,375			2,375	Sponsorship
Alba Research Pty Ltd				40,350			40,350	Marketing
Anaconda Pty Ltd				214			214	Marketing
Ausbiz				936			936	PR
Calico House Home Base				1,293			1,293	Marketing
Canstar Pty Ltd				19,474			19,474	Marketing
Chant West				29,073			29,073	Marketing
Gettyimages.com				3,553			3,553	Marketing
Istock.com				824			824	Marketing
Lighting Council Australia Limited				7,837			7,837	Sponsorship
Local Government Finance Professionals Queensland				9,381			9,381	Sponsorship
Localbuy				9,405			9,405	Sponsorship
Moreton Hire Brisbane				492			492	Sponsorship
Moreton Hire Pty Ltd				10,158			10,158	Sponsorship
Myer Pty Ltd				610			610	Marketing
Paypal *Newaim Pty Ltd				186			186	Marketing
Peak Services				12,593			12,593	Sponsorship
Prezzee				38,500			38,500	Marketing
Qesi Rosebowl				2,925			2,925	Sponsorship
Queensland Energy Club Pty Ltd				15,675			15,675	Sponsorship
Queensland Futures Institute				45,746			45,746	Sponsorship
Rainmaker Information				20,134			20,134	Marketing
South West Qld Regional Organisation Of Councils				8,541			8,541	Sponsorship
The Branding Business				146,613			146,613	Marketing

Organisations	Contract term	Expenditure 2024/25 (\$)	Expenditure 2025/26 (\$)	Expenditure 2026/27 (\$)	Expenditure 2027/28 (\$)	Total payments (\$)	Category
The Magazine Publishing Company			11,479			11,479	Marketing
Toowoomba & Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd			18,625			18,625	Sponsorship
Townsville Chamber of Commerce			311			311	Sponsorship
Townsville Enterprise Limited			16,838			16,838	Sponsorship
TOTAL			5,380,748				

Itemised list of industrial body payments in financial year 2025/26

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Organisation	Amount	Date
National Electrical and Communications Association WA	26,422	6/11/2025
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	15/07/2025
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	17/08/2025
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	61,341	21/08/2025
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	17/09/2025
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	17/10/2025
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	17/11/2025
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	11/12/2025
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	11/01/2026
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	11/02/2026
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	11/03/2026
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	11/04/2026
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	11/05/2026
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,898	11/06/2026
Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	890	30/06/2026
Total Industrial Body Payments	192,793	

Itemised list of related party payments in financial year 2025/26

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Payment	Related Party	Amount	Date
Trustee services income	ESI Financial Services	366,855	31/07/2025
Trustee services income	ESI Financial Services	366,855	31/08/2025
Trustee services income	ESI Financial Services	366,855	30/09/2025
Trustee services income	ESI Financial Services	366,855	31/10/2025
Trustee services income	ESI Financial Services	366,855	30/11/2025
Trustee services income	ESI Financial Services	366,855	19/12/2025
Trustee services income	ESI Financial Services	366,855	29/01/2026
Trustee services income	ESI Financial Services	366,855	26/02/2026
Trustee services income	ESI Financial Services	366,855	26/03/2026
Trustee services income	ESI Financial Services	366,855	30/04/2026
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	15,979	30/07/2025
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	10,509	31/08/2025
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	11,578	30/09/2025
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	11,584	27/10/2025
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	10,509	30/11/2025
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	12,912	17/12/2025
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	12,419	31/01/2026
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	13,418	28/02/2026
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	12,526	31/03/2026
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	-763	30/04/2026
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	12,526	30/04/2026
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	181	31/05/2026
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	13,976	31/05/2026
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	-543	30/06/2026
Cost recovery reimbursements	SPSL Services Pty Ltd	5,174	30/06/2026

Payment	Related Party	Amount	Date
Director's fees	Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	11/04/2026
Director's fees	Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,658	11/05/2026
Director's fees	Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	8,898	11/06/2026
Director's fees	Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union Queensland (Services and Northern Administrative Services) Branch	890	30/06/2026
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	31/07/2025
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	31/08/2025
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	30/09/2025
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	31/10/2025
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	30/11/2025
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	31/12/2025
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	31/01/2026
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	28/02/2026
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	31/03/2026
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	18,288	23/04/2026
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	30/04/2026
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	31/05/2026
Membership training & development	Queensland Futures Institute Pty Limited	2,288	30/06/2026
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	31/07/2025
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	31/08/2025
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	30/09/2025
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	31/10/2025
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	30/11/2025
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	31/12/2025
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	31/01/2026
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	28/02/2026
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	31/03/2026
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	30/04/2026
Premiums	WorkCover Queensland	3,284	30/06/2026
Director's fees	My Recruitment Agency Pty Ltd	25,975	27/11/2025

Payment	Related Party	Amount	Date
Director's fees	My Recruitment Agency Pty Ltd	26,139	21/01/2026
Director's fees	My Recruitment Agency Pty Ltd	26,139	13/04/2026
Director's fees	My Recruitment Agency Pty Ltd	25,484	16/06/2026
Director's fees	My Recruitment Agency Pty Ltd	-1,037	30/06/2026
Total		4,164,761	



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