

INSPECTOR NOTE

Building:
Street: 31 BRICKFIELD ROAD
Suburb: SALT RIVER
Postal Code: 7925
Date: 2026-03-05
Time: 10:37
Inspector: DUSTIN BENDING

Type: CASE DISCUSSION NOTE
Follow-Up Date: 2026-03-05
Comments: NEW COMPLAINT RECEIVED FROM A DIFFERENT COMPLAINANT. CASE RE-OPENED:

REFER TO DUPLICATE CASE - 229034

Good afternoon,

I hope this finds you well.

My apologies for contacting you via this email address, but I was hoping you could point me in the right direction or provide the contact details for the correct person or department at the SPCA to whom I can report a concern about a neighbour's dog and the conditions it appears to be living in .

My boyfriend and I live in Unit 611 at Upper Eastside, an apartment building at 31 Brickfield Road in Woodstock. The apartment is owned by my parents (copied here). The owner / tenant in question, lives in the ground floor apartment which falls directly below our balcony. Via confirmation from our building manager, we believe the relevant unit is 119.

Over the past 3 months we have become increasingly concerned about the welfare of the dog belonging to the ground floor tenant. I have attached a few photographs taken on different days which show the amount of trash and dog feces in the area where the dog appears to be kept.

You will also notice the blankets and dog bed next to the hosepipe on the left . As far as we can tell, these blankets have not been cleaned or moved since around the end of November / beginning of December 2025. If you zoom in on the photos, you will also be able to see the excessive amount of feces and general mess around the area.

I have already brought this to the attention of our building manager & the agents. They informed me they have actually tried to address the dog with the owner previously (because animals are not actually allowed in our building) but have had no luck. They are aware (and are in agreement) with me submitting this complaint to the SPCA.

We are concerned that the dog may be living in unhygienic conditions for extended periods of time and wanted to report this so that the situation can be assessed by someone qualified to do so.

Please can you let me know if there is a formal process I should go through or who I should be in contact with.

Kind regards,
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