



RSPCA NSW Inspectorate Annual Report 2022-2023

**Submitted in accordance with clause 34
*Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Regulation 2012 (NSW)***

(a) a statement of the number of, and a summary of the substance of, complaints relating to animal cruelty or mistreatment received by the organisation:

Between 1 July 2022 and 30 June 2023, RSPCA NSW received a total of 14,420 complaints alleging cruelty to animals contrary to the *Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1979 (NSW)* (hereafter the Act). These complaints often involved more than one animal and multiple complaint types.

A breakdown of the species of animal and type of complaint can be found in Appendix 1 - "Complaint Codes – 2022-2023".

(b) a statement of the number of visits or investigations made by officers of the organisation as a result of those complaints:

Of the 14,420 complaints received, RSPCA NSW investigated 13,883 complaints (an average of 53.3 jobs per day). The investigation of these complaints involved 13,883 initial inspections and a further 4,797 revisits. Revisits were generally conducted to inspect subject animals and assess compliance with either written or verbal directions.

RSPCA NSW referred 129 (0.9%) complaints to the NSW Police Force for investigation in the first instance. The referrals were made based on the urgent nature of the animal welfare concern and proximity of the nearest RSPCA Inspector. In relation to the complaints attended by NSW Police, a proportion were referred back to the RSPCA for revisit or follow up inspection.

RSPCA NSW referred 53 complaints to the Animal Welfare League NSW during 2022-2023.

RSPCA NSW referred 24 complaints to other agencies as the allegation fell outside RSPCA NSW jurisdiction.

A total of 331 complaints were logged for intelligence purposes only as there was information alleging one or more offence within RSPCA NSW jurisdiction, but insufficient information to determine or identify a person of interest.

- (c) a statement of the number of visits or investigations made by officers of the organisation that were unrelated to those complaints (such as routine inspections of abattoirs, veterinary practices, pet shops or saleyards):

RSPCA NSW's AnimalOS database does not have the capacity to distinguish between cruelty complaints and 'routine' (proactive) inspections conducted on animal trades under the provisions of section 24G of the Act.

Data is captured separately to record the number of 'routine' inspections conducted by the RSPCA NSW Inspectorate. A summary of the 272 'routine' inspections conducted during 2022/2023 is tabled below. These figures for 'routine' inspections are not included in *Appendix 1 - "Complaint Codes – 2022-2023"*.

Please note that the capacity to conduct 'routine' inspections is dependent on available resources, with the investigation of animal cruelty complaints taking priority.

ROUTINE INSPECTIONS CONDUCTED 2022/2023		
Animal Trade	Routine Inspections Conducted 2022/2023	Cruelty Complaints (as recorded in Appendix 1)
Agricultural Show	13	
Boarding Facility	12	
Breeding Facility	210	1583
Dog Grooming	1	
Horse Riding Facility	1	4
Pet Shop	225	165
Zoo	1	8
Poultry Farm	1	
Pound	1	
Rodeo	1	
Saleyard	9	9
Total	272	1769

A statement of the number of persons counselled or advised by officers of the organisation:

Unfortunately, it is not possible to identify the number people that were either counselled or provided advice or educational material by officers of RSPCA NSW. These specific details could only be obtained by reviewing the visit reports associated with each of the 13,883 investigated complaints. In practice, RSPCA Inspectors provide verbal advice as part of the investigation of the majority of complaints. In addition, Inspectors regularly provide educational materials to animal trade operators in the form of NSW DPI resources, printed copies of relevant Codes of Practice, and verbal guidance in respect of animal welfare.



(d) a statement of the number of persons cautioned by officers of the organisation:

Official Cautions issued by RSPCA NSW in accordance with the *Fines Act 1996 (NSW)* are issued by the Chief Inspector or Deputy Chief Inspector. During the reporting period, RSPCA NSW issued 18 Official Cautions.

(e) a statement of the number of notices issued by officers of the organisation under section 24N of the Act:

During the reporting period, RSPCA NSW issued 799 written directions pursuant to section 24N of the Act.

(f) a statement of the number of penalty notices issued by officers of the organisation:

During the reporting period, RSPCA NSW issued a total of 111 Penalty Infringement Notices.

(g) a statement of the number of proceedings for offences under the Act or the regulations that were instituted by officers of the organisation, together with details of the defendants and the charges:

RSPCA NSW initiated 107 criminal prosecutions during the period 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023. A total of 107 defendants were charged with 420 offences, involving 517 animals.

Details of the matters, charges and outcomes can be found in *Appendix 2 – “Prosecution Results 2022-2023”*.

(h) details of the outcome of such of those proceedings as had been finally determined as at the date of the report:

Of the 107 prosecutions initiated during the reporting period, the following outcomes were recorded as at 30 June 2023:

- 59 prosecutions had been finalised; and
- 48 prosecutions had not been finalised.

Of the 59 prosecutions finalised, 38 were resolved on the basis of a plea of guilty, 12 were determined in the accused's absence pursuant to section 196 of the *Criminal Procedure Act 1986*, 4 were withdrawn, and 2 was dealt with under section 14 of the *Mental Health and Cognitive Impairment Forensic Provisions Act 2020*.

A detailed report outlining the defendant, species, charges laid and Court results can be found in *Appendix 2 – “Prosecution Results 2022-2023”*.



(i) details of the outcome of such proceedings for offences as were referred to in the immediately previous report but not finally determined as at the date of that report:

Prosecutions can take several years to finalise. Of those finalised during the reporting period 2022/2023, 49 matters from previous financial years were concluded:

- Initiated in 2017/2018 – 1 x matters finalised
- Initiated in 2019/2020 – 4 x matters finalised
- Initiated in 2020/2021 – 9 x matters finalised
- Initiated in 2021/2022 – 35 x matters finalised

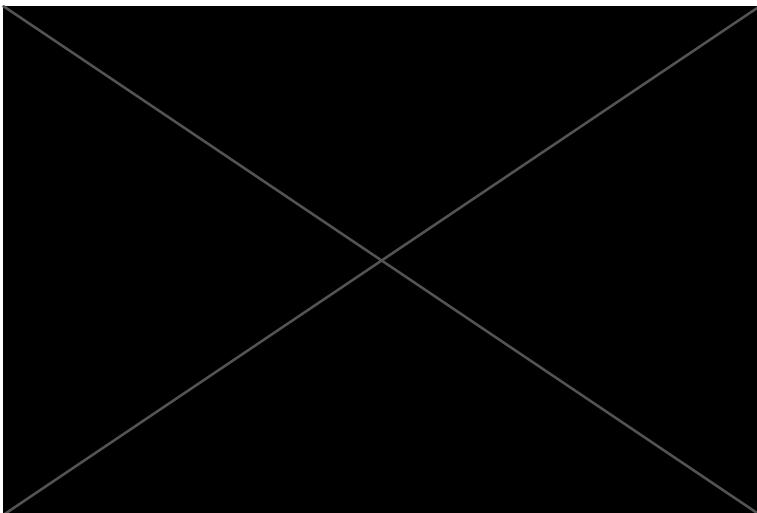
Several proceedings initiated prior to the reporting period were still before the Courts as at 30 June 2023:

- Initiated in 2017/2018 – 1 x matter
- Initiated in 2020/2021 – 1 x matter
- Initiated in 2021/2022 – 8 x matters

A detailed report outlining the defendant, species, charges laid and court results can be found in Appendix 2 – “*Prosecution Results 2022-2023*”.

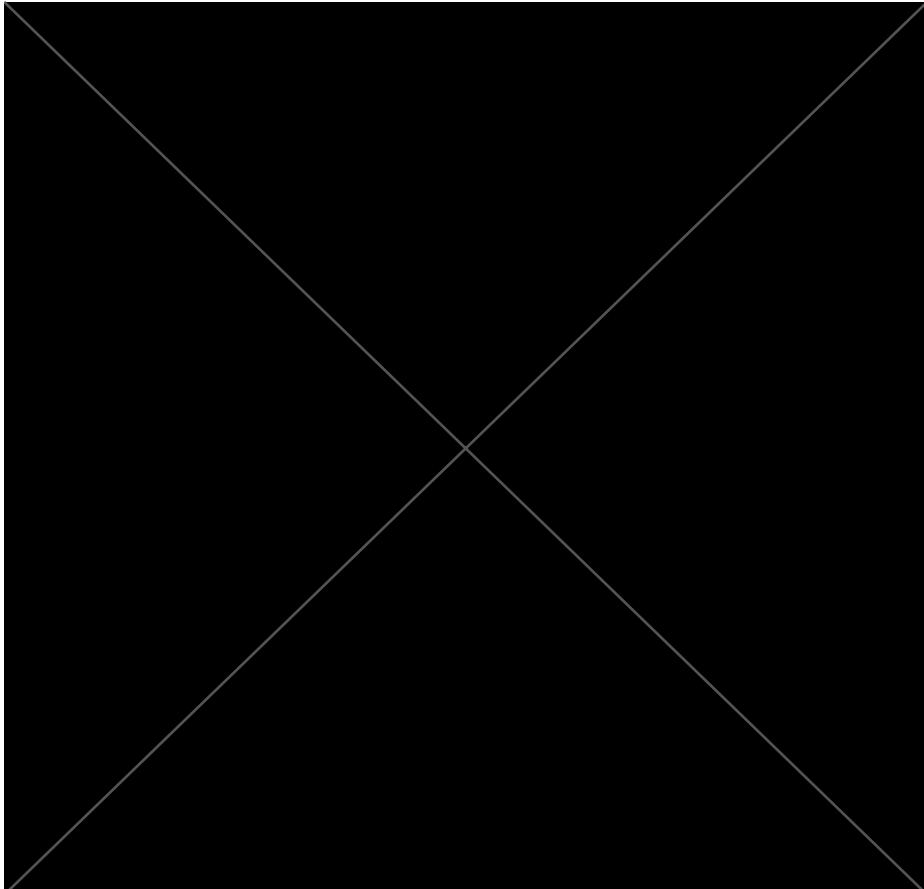
(j) a list, current as at the date of the report, of the officers of the organisation, together with any changes made to that list since the immediately previous report:

As at 30 June 2023, RSPCA NSW had a total of 38 officers. Of those 38 officers, 38 are holders of a prescribed authority under the provisions of Part 2A of the Act, issued with the approval of the Minister for the Department of Primary Industries.

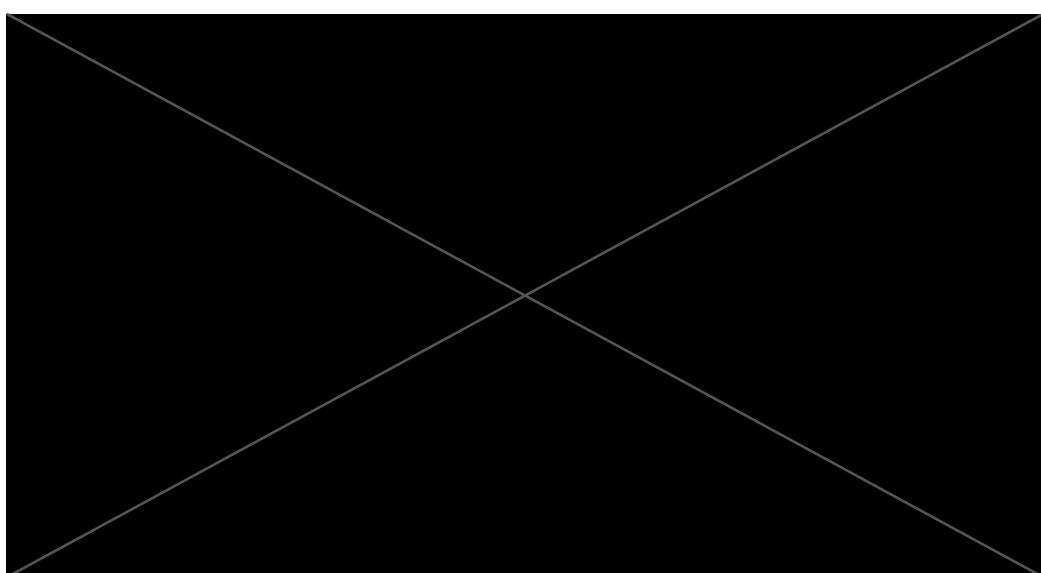


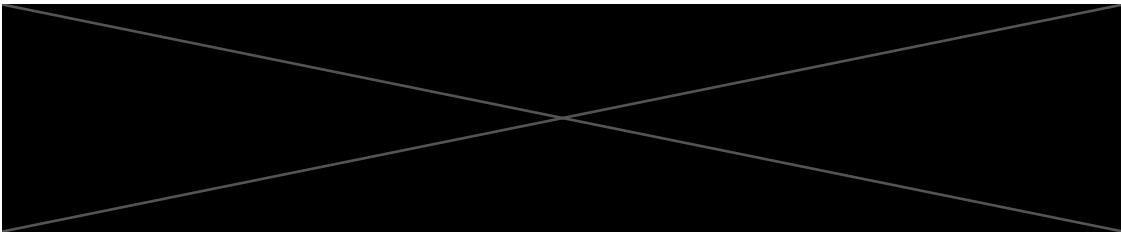


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Changes in Authorised Officers since last report:





(k) details of any complaints received by the organisation in relation to its activities (or those of its officers) under the Act, including details as to the resolution of those complaints and of the disciplinary action (if any) taken against any person as a result of those complaints:

1.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a person of interest (POI) in regard to the lack of contact from an Inspector to advise the state of their animal in RSPCA NSW care.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, and considering the circumstances of the matter, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated and the Inspector followed RSPCA NSW standard operating procedures.
2.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a MOP in regard to the conduct of an Inspector whilst investigating a cruelty complaint, specifically that the Inspector did not investigate the complaint properly and alleging the Inspector gave details of the informant and had a friendship with the POI.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, including review of body worn camera footage, photos and notebook entries, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated.
3.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a MOP in regard to the conduct of an Inspector whilst investigating a cruelty complaint, specifically that the Inspector did not investigate the complaint properly and alleging the Inspector was acting biased towards the POI.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, including review of body worn camera footage, photos and notebook entries, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated.
4.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI in regard to an Inspector allegedly speaking aggressively and using bullying and threatening behaviour.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, including review of body worn camera footage, photos and notebook entries, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated.
6.	Complaint	A complaint was received from POI alleging an Inspector was harassing them in regard to their animals.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, including review of body worn camera footage, photos and notebook entries, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated.
7.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI alleging an Inspector had seized their animals for no reason.

	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, including review of body worn camera footage, photos and notebook entries, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated.
8.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI in regard to an Inspector allegedly speaking aggressively and using bullying and threatening behaviour.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, including review of body worn camera footage, photos and notebook entries, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated.
9.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI alleging an Inspector had seized their animal for no reason and alleging the Inspector was corrupt.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, including review of body worn camera footage, photos and notebook entries, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated.
10.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI alleging an Inspector had directed them to groom their animals coat for no reason.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, including photos and notebook entries, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated.
11.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI in regard to an Inspector seizing their animals, specifically that the Inspector brought undue stress and fear to their animals.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, including review of the Inspector's notes, enforcement documents and body worn camera footage, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated. The Inspector had followed all RSPCA NSW Policies and Procedures.
12.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI in regard to the seizure of their animals, alleging the Inspector was rude and did not give correct information on animal enclosures when issuing a Section 24N Written Direction.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, including review of the Inspector's notes, enforcement documents and body worn camera footage, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated. The Inspector had followed all RSPCA NSW Policies and Procedures.
13.	Complaint	A complaint was received from an informant that Inspector had showed bias and collusions by making an appointment to view a property instead of attending un-announced.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, a review of the Inspector's notes and body worn footage it was found that these claims were unsubstantiated.
14.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI in regard to the conduct of an Inspector whilst investigating a cruelty complaint, specifically that the Inspector did not provide their name and details on arrival and was verbally abusive.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint and body worn footage, it was found that these claims were unsubstantiated.



15.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI alleging an Inspector was not of sound mind to possess a firearm.
	Outcome	RSPCA NSW would never permit an authorised officer to retain their authority and / or access to firearms where there were concerns for their capacity or mental health. In respect of this particular complaint, RSPCA NSW reviewed the complaint and determined it was unmeritorious and ill-founded. No further action was taken.
16.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI in regard to the conduct of an Inspector whilst investigating a cruelty complaint, specifically that the Inspector was vindictive, harassing and intimidating.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint and body worn footage, notes, texts, and records it was found that these claims were unsubstantiated.
17.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI in regard to an Inspector conducting a breeding inspection and issuing PINs.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint and body worn footage/photos, notes, and records it was found that these claims were unsubstantiated.
18.	Complaint	A complaint was received through the NSW ombudsman in regard to an Inspector allegedly backdating S24N notices and entering a property without permission.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint and body worn footage/photos, notes, and records it was found that these claims were unsubstantiated.
19.	Complaint	A complaint was received from a POI's carer in regard to an Inspector not returning their phone calls or emails.
	Outcome	After an investigation into this complaint, and considering the circumstances of the matter, the complaint was found to be unsubstantiated, and the Inspector followed RSPCA NSW standard operating procedures.



(I) details of the training provided by the organisation for its officers:

The following table details the training provided by RSPCA NSW for its officers over the period from 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023.

Date	Course	Attendees
18 November 2022	Animal First Aid Training	2
November 2022	AnimalOS – Cruelty Complaint System - Training	38
December 2022	Firearms Training	38
31 January 2023	Media Training	10
21 February 2023	Swift Water Training	36
28 April 2023	Rostering & Workplace Training	6
5 May 2023	Animal Emergency Incident Management Training	4
26 June 2023	Defence Tactics	18
27 June 2023	Defence Tactics	19
Various Dates	First Aid Training	36

This report has been completed and submitted by Scott Meyers, Chief Inspector, RSPCA NSW, in accordance with clause 34 of the *Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Regulation 2012 (NSW)*.



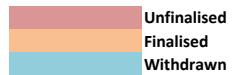
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APPENDIX 1 - RSPCA NSW INSPECTORATE - Cruelty Complaints by Animal Types and Complaint Codes - 2022 - 2023

Total number of cruelty complaints received was 14,420. This table analyses complaints by Complaint Code (may be multiple codes in a single complaint) and animal type (may be multiple animal types in a single complaint) - this method results in a total of 29,945 complaints and 33,342 species.

Animal Type ►	Bird	Cat	Cattle	Crab & Fish	Dog	Exotic Species	Fowl	Goat	Horse	Native	Other Farm	Other Mammals	Pig	Reptile & Amphibian	Sheep	Small Pet	Total species per Code	Total complaints per Code
Complaint Code ▼																		
Abandoned	20	263	4	2	434	1	14	5	21	9	1		1	3	10	21	809	744
Animal Park Insp	3		1	1	4	5	2	4	2	4	1		2	1	4	2	36	21
AWIR			20							2			1		13		36	36
Breeder	36	210	7	1	1414		17	8	15	4	2		2	3	7	39	1,765	1,618
Bushfire					1												1	1
Cock Fighting					1		3									1	5	5
Concern For Welfare	350	1009	219	38	4649	11	161	101	463	96	38	3	33	10	185	250	7,616	6,844
Dead	55	89	79	2	161	1	28	28	27	34	10	1	5		95	37	652	545
Dog Fighting		1			17												18	17
Exercise Inadequate	2	13	1		290		5	2	13	1						4	331	310
Exposed To Heat	6	2	1		41			2	3	1					1	5	62	57
Feedlot Insp		2			1												3	3
Film Notification	3	6	1	9	23		2		8	11	1	1		2		9	76	63
Food & Water	179	884	287	13	4422	9	126	103	664	53	25	2	22	6	176	172	7,143	6,388
Greyhound Complaint		1			9												10	10
Hoarding	8	54		1	31		2		2	2	1	1		1	1	5	109	74
Illtreatment	58	202	16	9	1335	2	26	8	27	42	4	1	12	3	16	35	1,796	1,674
Kennel Inspection	2	10			68		1						1			1	83	73
Killed	12	17	3		19		9	3	1	15	1	1	3		2	4	90	75
Locked In Car		4			44												48	47
Locked In House	8	85		2	147		3	1	4	1						4	255	210
Locked In Laundry		2			10												12	10
Locked In Shed	4	18			100		4		5	1	1		2		3	4	142	120
Locked In Shop		1			3		1										5	4
Locked In Small Pen	128	133	32	20	838	4	69	22	52	35	8	1	8	5	19	85	1,459	1,217
Organised Cruelty		3			5												8	7
Other	18	36	7	2	118	2	9	2	11	24	3	1	2		9	8	252	243
Overcrowded	36	62	7	9	71		17	4	6	7	2		1		9	24	255	175
Pet Shop Inspection	59	24		19	66		8			4				1		39	220	165
Poisoning	7	14	1		30		1			2						2	57	51
Poultry Inspection							8								1		9	8
Premises Inspection	7	14	2	7	59	1	4	3	1	3			3		4	6	114	104
Req Rescue	23	22	11	1	6	10	5	2	2	24	8				4	2	120	129
Riding School Insp									5								5	5
Sale Yard Insp	1		6								1				2	1	11	9
Shelter Inadequate	77	114	79		1782	2	42	59	245	16	7	1	5		71	61	2,561	2,376
Stable Insp		1			1				3								5	4
Tied Continually	7	36	9	1	1162		13	34	34	1	1		4		21	13	1,336	1,238
Transport Unsatisfactory	1	2	43		5		1		1	3	2		2		23	1	84	82
Unattended 24hrs	26	279	4	4	967	1	31	7	11	12	1		5		8	24	1,380	1,244
Vet Treatment	152	774	181	19	2202	19	65	69	418	50	37	3	14	5	258	97	4,363	3,939
Total	1,288	4,385	1,023	160	20,536	68	677	467	2,044	457	155	16	128	40	942	956	33,342	29,945

APPENDIX 2 - RSPCA INSPECTORATE - PROSECUTION RESULTS SUMMARY - 2022/2023



Approval Number	Date Approved	Date Finalised	Outcome	Court	Species	Total # of Animals	Charges	Summary
PROSECUTIONS COMMENCED 2017/2018								
17-1286	12-Oct-17	Ongoing	Appeal	Supreme Court	Dog	1	1 x act of cruelty - torture, beat and seriously injure an animal (1 dog) 1 x act of cruelty - torture, beat and cause death of an animal (1 dog)	Appeal ongoing. NSW SC hearing listed 13 December 2023
18-1324	20-Feb-18	23-Sep-22	Appeal dismissed	Sydney DC	Dog	1	1 x commit an act of aggravated cruelty 7 x fail to provide veterinary treatment	Conviction appeal dismissed. Orders of the Local Court confirmed: Intensive Corrections Order (ICO) - 12 months tdf 23.09.2022, subject to standard conditions s31(1)(a) Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1979 (NSW) (POCTAA) - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 Criminal Procedure Act 1986 (NSW) (CPA) - Local Court costs: \$34,641.75 s215 CPA - Appeal costs: \$14,000.00
PROSECUTIONS COMMENCED 2019/2020								
20-1441	26-Jul-19	27-Apr-23	Finalised	Newcastle LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Substantive proceedings: 28.04.2022 2019 offences: /001 1: 18-month Community Corrections Order (CCO) /003A: 12-month CCO 2020 offences: /001: 15-month CCO /003A: 15-month CCO /005: 17-month CCO CCOs concurrent and subject to standard conditions: s30A(1) POCTAA - costs (for dogs and horses): \$13,849.91 total Disqualification proceedings: 22.04.2023
20-1449	27-Aug-19	10-Feb-23	Appeal Dismissed	Nowra DC	Cattle	700	6 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted and fined: /001: \$1,500 /002: \$1,500 /004: \$750 /005: \$750 /006: \$750 /007: \$750 /008: \$1,500 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 5 years s215 CPA - professional costs: \$12,947.38
20-1450	27-Aug-19	10-Feb-23	Appeal Dismissed	Nowra DC	Cattle	700	6 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted and fined: /001: \$1,500 /002: \$1,500 /004: \$750 /005: \$750 /006: \$750 /007: \$750 /008: \$1,500 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 5 years s215 CPA - professional costs: \$12,947.38
20-1458	11-Sep-19	21-Oct-22	Charges Dismissed	Goulburn LC	Cattle	247	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 3 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Charges dismissed

PROSECUTIONS COMMENCED 2020/2021								
21-1546	12-Aug-20	15-Feb-23	Annulment Application Refused	Parramatta LC	Dog	19	6 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Annulment Application Refused Convicted and fined: /001: \$1,000 /002: \$500 /003: \$200 /004: \$500 /005: \$200 /006: \$1,000 /007: \$3,000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$27,259.03 each s31(1)(a) POCTAA: disposal order granted excluding two desexed microchipped, registered dogs s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years, excluding the two dogs (above) s215 CPA - costs: \$10,021.89 each
21-1547	12-Aug-20	15-Feb-23	Annulment Application Refused	Parramatta LC	Dog	19	6 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Annulment Application Refused Convicted and fined: /001: \$1,000 /002: \$500 /003: \$200 /004: \$500 /005: \$200 /006: \$1,000 /007: \$3,000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$27,259.03 each s31(1)(a) POCTAA: disposal order granted excluding two desexed microchipped, registered dogs s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years, excluding the two dogs (above) s215 CPA - costs: \$10,021.89 each
21-1562	09-Oct-20	28-Apr-23	Finalised	Newcastle LC	Horse	7	5 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Substantive proceedings: 28.04.2022 2019 offences: /001 1: 18-month Community Correction Order /003A: 12-month CCO 2020 offences: /001: 15-month CCO /003A: 15-month CCO /005: 17-month CCO CCOs concurrent and subject to standard conditions: s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: (for dogs and horses): \$13,849.91 total Disqualification proceedings: 22.04.2023
21-1570	29-Oct-20	03-Aug-22	Pleaded guilty	Grafton LC	Dog	4	1 x Tether animal with unreasonably short tether 1 x Hinder other person exercising power under act	Convicted and fined: /001 - \$2500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$10 000.00 (portion of costs only) s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order <small>c172 Fine Act - moiety</small>
21-1576	19-Nov-20	22-Feb-23	Pleaded guilty	Wollongong LC	Cat Python Skink Turtle	10	3 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 6 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted, fined and CCO 12 months /001a - \$500 /002 - \$500 /004 - \$250 <small>c172 Fine Act - moiety</small>
21-1617	07-Apr-21		Ongoing	Wollongong LC	Cat	60	1 x Commit an act of cruelty 6 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 6 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - bench warrant issued for defendant's arrest 16 June 2023
21-1620	14-Apr-21	24-Mar-23	Section 14 application granted	Dubbo DC	Dog	54	1 x Commit an act of cruelty 2 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 17 x Fail to provide vet treatment 2 x Management not comply with requirements of clause	Appeal allowed s14 Mental Health and Cognitive Impairment Forensic Provisions Act 2020 (NSW) (MHCFPA) application granted Charges (CANS 1-22) dismissed s14(1)(b): Appellant discharged into the care of GP (redacted) and psychologist (redacted) on condition that she attend for ongoing treatment as directed by each practitioner and for as long as recommended s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$55,000 (representing a portion of the vet treatment costs incurred) s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 5 years excluding 2 desexed microchipped
21-1624	18-May-21	09-Aug-22	Severity Appeal	Parramatta DC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Appeal dismissed, orders varied as below: Conditional Release Order (CRO) - 12 months in addition: /001: \$2,200 /003: \$1,100 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$352.78 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$193.41 <small>c172 Fine Act - moiety</small>

21-1627	31-May-21	19-Aug-22	Pleaded Not Guilty	Windsor LC	Horse	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted and fined: /001: \$1000 /002: \$1000 /003: \$1000 /004: \$1000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$4923.84 s122 Fines Act - moiety
PROSECUTIONS COMMENCED 2021/2022								
21-1635	12/07/2021	19/08/2022	Pleaded not guilty	Picton LC	Dog Donkey Pony Parrott Hen Deer Guinea Pig Rabbit	57	9 x Fail to provide vet treatment 5 x fail to provide proper and sufficient shelter 3 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Convicted and fined /005: \$300 /003, /008 & /015: CRO 12-months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$587.60 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99 s122 Fines Act - moiety
21-1643	25/08/2021	30/08/2022	Section 14 Application	Hornsby LC	Dog	1	15 x Commit an act of cruelty 4 x Confine in cage dimensions insufficient	Convicted /001, /004 & /005 CCO: 6 months /007 - CCO: 14 months /015 - CCO: 10 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$4,640.58 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99 s122 Fines Act - moiety
21-1645	11/08/2021	3/11/2022	Pleaded Not Guilty	Picton LC	Horse	2	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted CCO: 12 months /001: \$1500 s122 Fines Act - moiety
21-1659	28/09/2021	6/02/2023	Found Guilty	Campbelltown LC	Dog	2	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined \$1,500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$26,515.77 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order: all animals within 28 days s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$236.20 s122 Fines Act - moiety
21-1665	19/11/2021	17/10/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Coonamble LC	Sheep	250	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 2 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient drink 3 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Convicted CCO: 3 years /001: \$5500 /007: \$5500 /008: \$5500 s122 Fines Act - moiety
21-1671	29/11/2021	21/10/2022	Withdrawn	Wyong LC	Dog	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Surrender of dog obtained, charges withdrawn
21-1672	29/11/2021		Ongoing	Manly LC	Horse	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Mention 20 July 2023
21-1675	7/12/2021		Ongoing	Campbelltown LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Ongoing - Hearing 3 November 2023
21-1679	20/12/2021	13/01/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Hornsby LC	Dog	1	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Convicted /002: \$5000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1462.98 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99 s122 Fines Act - moiety
21-1680	20/12/2021	17/01/2023	Section 14 Application	Cessnock LC	Horse	3	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Discharged pursuant to s 14 MHCIFPA (in each matter) – Charges dismissed. Defendant discharged into the care of GP (redacted) on the following conditions: Continue to engage in ongoing mental health care treatment and monitoring by GP and follow all reasonable recommendations for treatment made by him, including re: attendance at appointments, medication, and participation in individual or group therapy. Continue to engage in mental health treatment with Dr (redacted) as directed by her. Accept and follow through with any recommendations or referrals for further treatment made by either GP or Psychologist (redacted). s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: 2021 matter: \$26,155.23; 2022 matter: \$5,411.91 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 5 years, except 2 horses s215 CPA - costs: \$99
21-1685	18/01/2022		Ongoing	Liverpool LC	Cat Kitten Dog	35	3 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 2 x Commit an act of cruelty 12 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient drink	Ongoing - Adjourned to 18 October 2023 for Section 14 application

21-1686	18/01/2022	14/06/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Liverpool LC	Puppy	7	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined: /001: \$1,500 /003: \$500 /004: \$500 /006: \$500 /007: \$500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$2,000 s215 CPA - professional costs: \$99
21-1688	21/01/2022	14/06/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Liverpool LC	Puppy	7	8 x Proprietor/Management not comply with requirement of clause	Convicted CCO: 12 months /001: \$1,500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$5,000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order: excluding two dogs s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102
21-1689	28/01/2022	15/06/2023	Conviction Appeal Dismissed - Orders varied	Bega DC	Horse	45	1 x Fail to comply with court order 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 4 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Conviction appeal dismissed Decision of Magistrate confirmed but sentence varied: /001 and /002 sentence commence on 15 March 2023 But in lieu, vary the indicative sentences and NPP periods /001 – ind 3 months /002 – ind 6 months total sentence: 9 months and NPP of 3.5 months imprisonment exp 30 June 2023 release subject to probation and parole all other orders confirmed /003 - /006 – 3 year CCO quashed and in lieu 12 month CCO condition per Local Court, fine for each sequence (\$2000) confirmed Ancillary orders confirmed s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$452 623.36 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal: 21.02.23 order forfeiting horses and ponies to RSPCA s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal: horses and ponies to be disposed of within 28 days of release s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 10 years (horses only) s215 CPA - costs: \$23 288.50
21-1690	28/01/2022	12/10/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Downing Centre LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Convicted ICO: 6 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$2,383.85 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification Order: 3 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99.00
21-1691	28/01/2022		Ongoing	Manly LC	Horse	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Mention 20 July 2023
21-1695	1/02/2022		Withdrawn	Liverpool LC	Pony	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Matter withdrawn due to death of co-defendant
21-1696	7/02/2022	12/08/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Newcastle LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted s30A(1) POCTAA costs: \$1556.59
21-1697	23/02/2022	5/08/2022	Pleaded Not Guilty	Parramatta LC	Dog	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted and fined /001: \$1,500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$3,792.68 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal: Tag No 075 0520 Bull Arab X dog (Bella) forfeited to RSPCA NSW s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99.00
21-1698	23/02/2022	5/08/2022	Pleaded Not Guilty	Parramatta LC	Dog	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted and fined /001: \$1,500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$3,792.68 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal: Tag No 075 0520 Bull Arab X dog (Bella) forfeited to RSPCA NSW s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99.00
21-1700	23/02/2022	21/10/2022	Pleaded Not Guilty	Muswellbrook LC	Dog	5	5 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to exercise control 3 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Convicted and fined /002: \$1,000 /003: \$1,000 /005: \$500 /006: \$2,000 /007: \$500 /008: \$500 /009: \$500 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal: 28 days to comply s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$1,570.93

21-1701	23/02/2022		Ongoing	Katoomba LC	Kangaroo	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Ongoing - Hearing part heard 4 & 11 July 2023
21-1707	14/03/2022	12/07/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Toronto LC	Dog	1	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted and fined /001: \$500 /002: \$500 /003: \$500 /004: \$500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$500.00
21-1710	14/03/2022	8/08/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Wagga Wagga LC	Rabbit Dog	4	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted /001: CCO 2 years /002: s10A /003: s10A s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$11,401.44 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s31(1)(b) CPA - costs: \$99
21-1717	20/04/2022	25/08/2022	Section 14 Application	Yass LC	Horse	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Section 14 application granted CANs /001 - /004 dismissed, defendant discharged pursuant to s 14(1)(a) into the care of (redacted), psychologist, subject to conditions that she comply with treatment plan. s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$23,493.50
21-1719	27/04/2022	28/09/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Albury LC	Horse	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted s 31(1)(b) disqualification: 5 years - Horses only
21-1720	27/04/2022		Ongoing	Newtown LC	Cat	5	6 x Proprietor/Management not comply with requirement of clause 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - hearing part heard 8 September 2023
21-1721	9/05/2022	4/08/2022	Severity Appeal	Parramatta DC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Appeal dismissed Aggregate sentence confirmed 10 months, NPP 5 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$3,528.06 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99
21-1723	9/05/2022	27/07/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Griffith LC	Sheep	2	2 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient drink 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient shelter	Convicted CCO: 12 months /001: \$1000 /002: \$500 /003: \$500 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99
21-1724	9/05/2022	17/08/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Griffith LC	Dog	5	1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient drink 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient shelter 2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted and fined /001: \$500 /002: \$500 /005: \$250 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal: current animals within 28 days. s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 1 year s215 CPA - costs: \$99 s31(1)(b) CPA - costs: \$99
21-1725	9/05/2022	17/08/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Liverpool LC	Sheep Duck Goat	11	1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient shelter 4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted /001 to /004 - CCO 2 years /005 - \$500 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s31(1)(b) CPA - costs: \$99
21-1726	23/05/2022	13/06/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Bankstown LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Convicted CRO: 2-years s30A(1) POCTAA costs: \$218.18 s31(1)(a) disposal order: current animals within 28 days. s31(1)(b) disqualification order: 5 years, sub-s (a)-(d). s215 costs: \$99.00
21-1727	23/05/2022	20/07/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Hornsby LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CRO - 12 months
21-1729	23/05/2022	21/07/2022	Ex-parte	Blacktown LC	Horse	2	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Authorise carriage of animal unjustifiably inflict pain	Convicted and fined /001: \$900 /002: \$600 /003: \$600 /004: \$600 /005: \$600 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99
21-1730	23/05/2022	16/08/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Muswellbrook LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted CCO - 12 months

21-1731	23/05/2022	3/08/2022	Ex parte	Liverpool LC	Dog	1	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$1200 /002: \$1000 /003: \$800 /004: \$1000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$4511.85 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years s215 CPA costs: \$99
21-1732	2/06/2022	6/12/2022	Ex parte	Mount Druitt LC	Horse	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted and fined /001: \$3000 /002: \$4400 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$10,264.79 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years s215 CPA - costs: \$3469.35
21-1733	2/06/2022	7/07/2022	Ex parte	Parkes LC	Chicken	5	1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient drink	Convicted and fined /001: \$900 /002: \$900 s30A(1) POCTAA costs - \$4650 s31(1)(a) POCTAA disposal order s 215 professional costs: \$99
21-1734	2/06/2022		Ongoing	Liverpool LC	Chicken Dog	15	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient drink 1 x Tether animal unreasonably short	Ongoing - part heard hearing listed 6 February 2024
21-1735	21/06/2022		Finalised	Hornsby LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Withdrawn - defendant deceased
21-1736	21/06/2022	4/08/2022	PleaD Guilty	Parkes LC	Cat	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Convicted s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$479 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99
21-1737	21/06/2022	18/08/2022	Ex parte	Orange LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted and fined /001: \$220 /002: \$220 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$2204.72 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 10 years s215 CPA - costs: \$99
21-1738	21/06/2022	21/07/2022	PleaD Guilty	Hornsby LC	Dog	3	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to exercise reasonable supervision to prevent an act of cruelty	Convicted and fined /001: \$1000 /002: \$1000 /003: Dismissed pursuant to s10A s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$3,890.82 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal: 28 days to comply s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years 6 months s215 CPA - costs: \$99.00
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23-1739	6/07/2022	8/09/2022	PleaD Guilty	Parkes LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Convicted CCO: 12 months /001: \$800 /002: \$1000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$5569.80 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 10 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1740	6/07/2022	20/10/2022	PleaD Guilty	Sutherland LC	Cat	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Convicted and fined /001: \$1500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$799.04 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1741	6/07/2022	27/09/2022	Ex parte	Muswellbrook LC	Dog	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted /001: \$1000 /002: \$1000 /003: \$1000 /004 to /006 - CCO 12 months s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 7 years

23-1742	6/07/2022	27/09/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Sutherland LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO: 3 years /001 & /002: CCO 3 years plus 70 hours Community Service Work s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$653.07 s215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1743	6/07/2022	15/05/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Campbelltown LC	Cat Bird	9	1 x Commit an act of cruelty 4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO: 15 months /001: \$978.37 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$2000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years <small>s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1744	25/07/2022	26/08/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Downing Centre LC	Cat	7	1 x Commit an act of cruelty 2 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO: 2 years s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$5607.17 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years <small>s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1745	25/07/2022	12/10/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Bankstown LC	Cat	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$300 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102 <small>s122 Fines Act+ majority</small>
23-1746	25/07/2022	24/08/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Picton LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO: 12 months /001: \$1000 /003: \$1000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$2496.63 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1747	25/07/2022		Ongoing	Parramatta LC	Dog	1	4 x Fail to provide reasonable supervision 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Ongoing - hearing 24 July 2023
23-1748	11/08/2023	16/11/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Belmont LC	Dog	2	1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted ICO: 6 months with 350 hrs Community Service work s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$4812.36 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years <small>s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1749	11/08/2023	16/12/2022	Ex-parte	Yass LC	Horse	7	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$1000 /002: \$1000 /003: \$1000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$45,652.82 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years <small>s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1750	11/08/2023	22/02/2023	Pleaded not Guilty	Goulburn LC	Sheep Alpaca Horse	82	2 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 2 x Fail to comply with court order	Convicted /001 and /003: 9 month ICO /002, /004 and /005: 5 month ICO /006 and /007: 2 year CCO s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal (28 days to comply) <small>s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years</small>
23-1751	11/08/2023	14/09/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Bankstown LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$300 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$5377.19 <small>s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1752	11/08/2023	27/04/2023	Withdrawn	Hornsby LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Withdrawn - defendant deceased
23-1753	15/08/2022	13/03/2023	Withdrawn	Blacktown LC	Dog	2	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Withdrawn
23-1754	15/08/2022	5/10/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Liverpool LC	Goat	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Convicted /001: 2 year CRO s215 CPA - costs: \$99
23-1755	15/08/2022	14/09/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Bankstown LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$200 /002: \$200 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$2787.22 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102

23-1756	24/08/2022	6/06/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Taree LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 2 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted /002A: CCO - 18 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$3,519.50 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102.00
23-1757	24/08/2022		Ongoing	Byron Bay LC	Snake	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Ongoing - Hearing 30 January 2024
23-1758	24/08/2022	13/04/2023	Pleaded not Guilty	Bankstown LC	Cat	6	9 x Fail to provide vet treatment 3 x Management not comply with requirement of clause	Convicted CCO: 18months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$16 391.00 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order: immediate compliance s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years
23-1759	25/08/2022		Ongoing	Broken Hill LC	Dog	11	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Commit an act of cruelty 9 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Section 14 MHCIFPA application 10 August 2023
23-1760	20/09/2022	21/10/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Bankstown LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of cruelty 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted /001: CCO - 18 months /002: CCO - 12 Months /003: CCO - 12 Months /004: CCO - 12 Months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1472.85 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years
23-1761	21/09/2022	4/05/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Windsor LC	Horse	10	1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 2 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO: 6 months s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years
23-1762	21/09/2022	17/11/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Mt Druitt LC	Dog	2	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO: 18 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$4420.84 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1763	21/09/2022	9/11/2022	Ex-parte	Campbelltown LC	Dog	2	1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 6 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$800 /002: \$800 /003: \$800 /004: \$800 /005: \$800 /006: \$800 /007: \$800 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1889.97 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 10 years
23-1764	21/09/2022		Ongoing	Sutherland LC	Dog Cat	3	1 x Fail to comply with court order prohibiting keeping or involvement with animals	Ongoing - Hearing 13 September 2023
23-1765	21/09/2022	17/01/2023	Pleaded Not Guilty/Section 14 Application	Cessnock LC	Horse	4	1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted Dismissed pursuant to s 14(1)(a) MHCIFP Defendant discharged into the care of GP (redacted) on the following conditions: Continue to engage in ongoing mental health care treatment and monitoring by GP and follow all reasonable recommendations for treatment made by him, including re: attendance at appointments, medication, and participation in individual or group therapy. Continue to engage in mental health treatment with Dr (redacted) as directed by her. Accept and follow through with any recommendations or referrals for further treatment made s30A(1) POCTAA costs: 2021 matter: \$26,155.23 2022 matter: \$5,411.91 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years, except 2 horses s215 CPA - costs: \$99
23-1766	21/09/2022	1/11/2022	Ex-parte		Dog	2	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$1000 /002: \$1000 /003: \$1000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$9505.71 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years

23-1767	21/09/2022	1/11/2022	Ex parte		Dog	2	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$1000 /002: \$1000 /003: \$1000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$9505.71 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years
23-1768	6/10/2022		Ongoing	Mt Druitt LC	Dog	2	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 2 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Hearing 24 August 2023
23-1769	6/10/2022	19/12/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Wollongong LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted ICO: 8 months with 100 hours community service work /001: \$500 /002: \$500 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102 <small>s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1770	6/10/2022	19/12/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Wollongong LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted ICO: 8 months with 100 hours community service work /001: \$500 /002: \$500 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102 <small>s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1771	6/10/2022	9/11/2022	Ex parte	Campbelltown LC	Horse	8		Convicted and fined /001: \$1000 /002: \$1000 /003: \$1000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$4211.60 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102 <small>s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1772	6/10/2022	16/11/2022	Pleaded Guilty	Bankstown LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Convicted and fined /001: \$3000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$5078.60 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102 <small>s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$3000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1773	6/10/2022	2/03/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Campbelltown LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Convicted CRO: 18 months s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years <small>s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1774	6/10/2022		Ongoing	Campbelltown LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Ongoing - Hearing 16 October 2023
23-1775	7/11/2022	13/04/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Bankstown LC	Dog Cat Bird		1 x Commit an act of cruelty 6 x Fail to provide vet treatment 2 x Fail to comply with disqualification order	Convicted and fined /001A: \$500 /003: \$2000 /004A: \$2000 /007: \$2000 /009: \$2000 CCO: 18 months s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102 <small>s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification order: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1776	7/11/2022	11/01/2023	Pleaded guilty	Forster LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 2 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted /002: 12 month CCO /003: 18 month CRO s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order <small>s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>
23-1777	7/11/2022	19/01/2023	Ex parte	Tamworth LC	Dog	2	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$1100 /002: 15 month CRO /003: 15 month CRO s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$4595.00 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102 <small>s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1100 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102</small>

23-1778	7/11/2022	1/06/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Wollongong DC	Dog	2	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Severity appeal allowed in part. Orders of Local Court varied as follows: Conviction confirmed Fine: \$3000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification reduced from 5 years to 3 years. s215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1779	7/11/2022	16/12/2022	Ex parte	Maitland LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$750 /002: \$1500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$3382.22 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years <small>s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years</small>
23-1780	7/11/2022		Ongoing	Fairfield LC	Dog	6	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 9 x Management not comply with requirement of clause 1 x Possess non-prescribed electrical device	Ongoing - Hearing 14 September 2023 <small>s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years</small>
23-1781	25/11/2022		Ongoing	Wollongong LC	Cat		2 x Commit an act of cruelty	Ongoing - Section 14 MHCIFPA application 21 September 2023
23-1782	25/11/2022	6/04/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Wollongong LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Convicted and fined /001 - \$2000 In addition, 12 month CCO imposed s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 10 years <small>s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 10 years</small>
23-1783	25/11/2022	11/01/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Campbelltown LC	Dog	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO: 12 months /001: \$2000 /002: \$2000 /003: \$2000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$3646.23 s215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1784	25/11/2022	1/02/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Liverpool LC	Dog	1	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO - 12 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$6852.37 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s 31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years <small>s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years</small>
23-1785	25/11/2022		Ongoing	Waverely LC	Cat	2	6 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Hearing 25 January 2024
23-1786	25/11/2022		Ongoing	Waverely LC	Cat	2	6 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Hearing 25 January 2024
23-1787	25/11/2022	13/04/2023	Pleaded not Guilty	Bankstown LC	Cat	6	1 x Commit an act of cruelty 3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 3 x Management not comply with requirement of clause	Convicted CCO: 18 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$16,391.00 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order: immediate compliance <small>s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years</small>
23-1788	25/11/2022	28/02/2023	Pleaded guilty	Sutherland LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of cruelty 4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted /001 to /004: s10A conviction no penalty imposed /005: \$5000 fine s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$6,151.31 s215 CPA - costs: \$102.00 <small>s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years</small>
23-1789	25/11/2022	15/06/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Liverpool LC	Dog	15	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined: /001A: \$1500 CCO: 12 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$5,000 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order: excluding two dogs s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1790	6/12/2022	15/05/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Penrith LC	Horse	2	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted ICO: 14 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$250 <small>s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years</small>
23-1791	6/12/2022		Ongoing	Dungog LC	Horse	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Ongoing - Sentence 7 August 2023
23-1792	6/12/2022		Ongoing	Windsor LC	Horse	2	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Ongoing - Hearing 10 October 2023
23-1793	13/01/2023	19/01/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Campbelltown LC	Dog	2	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CRO: 12 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$3,675.62
23-1794	13/01/2023	2/02/2023	Ex parte	Campbelltown LC	Dog	2	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO: 12 months /001: \$978.37 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years <small>s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years</small>

23-1795	13/01/2023	Ongoing	Mt Druitt LC	Dog	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Hearing 7 November 2023
23-1796	13/01/2023	Plea d Guilty	Parramatta LC	Cat	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 2 x Fail to provide vet treatment	2 year non-conviction bond (s9(1)(b) s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years \$215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1797	13/01/2023	Ongoing	Wollongong LC	Cat	48	5 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Section 14MHCIFPA application 21 September 2023
23-1798	13/01/2023	Plea d Guilty	Hornsby LC	Dog	1	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted and fined /001: \$2200 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$5391.97 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years \$215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1799	13/01/2023	Ex-parte	Waverley LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of cruelty 2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to comply with requirement of officer 1 x Hinder/obstruct person exercising power	Convicted and fined /001: \$500 /002: \$500 /003: \$500 /004: \$500 /005: \$500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$19,136.70 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years \$215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1800	13/01/2023	Withdrawn	Sutherland LC	Dog	1	2 x Commit an act of cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Withdrawn
23-1801	13/01/2023	Withdrawn	Sutherland LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Withdrawn
23-1802	13/01/2023	Plea d Guilty	Cowra LC	Dog	1	5 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Convicted and fined /001: \$400 /002 - /004: s10A convicted no further penalty /005: \$500 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$1000 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 10 years \$215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1803	13/01/2023	Plea d Guilty	Campbelltown LC	Cat	1	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO: 15 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$727 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years \$215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1804	13/01/2023	Ex-parte	Moree LC	Dog	3	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 2 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 1 x Commit an act of cruelty 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient shelter	Convicted and fined /001A: \$1200 /004A: \$1200 /006: \$600 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$6776.23 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years \$215 CPA - costs: \$102.00
23-1805	13/01/2023	Section 14 - Dismissed	Campbelltown LC	Dog	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Convicted CRO: 18 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$700 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years \$215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1806	7/02/2023	Ex-parte	Yass LC	Dog	2	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient shelter 1 x Tether animal with unreasonably short tether	Convicted and fined /001: \$6000 /002: \$4000 /003: \$2000 /004: \$3000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$3979.90 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years \$215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1807	7/02/2023	Plea d Guilty	Parramatta LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Convicted CCO: 12 months s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$700 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years \$215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1808	14/03/2023	Plea d Guilty	Cooma LC	Pony	1	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Abandon Animal	Convicted CCO: 12 months /002: \$2000 /003: \$2000 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$4218.45 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 5 years

23-1809	22/03/2023	1/05/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Downing Centre LC	Dog	1	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient drink	Convicted and fined /001: \$750 /002: \$500 /003: \$500 /004: \$750 s30A(1) POCTAA - costs: \$4373.66 s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order
23-1810	22/03/2023		Ongoing	Singleton LC	Pony	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Ongoing - Hearing 22 September 2023
23-1811	22/03/2023		Ongoing	Sutherland LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Hearing 20 December 2023
23-1812	22/03/2023		Ongoing	Sutherland LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Hearing 20 December 2023
23-1813	22/03/2023		Ongoing	Burwood LC	Dog	1	2 x Commit an act of cruelty	Ongoing - Hearing 4 December 2023
23-1814	22/03/2023		Ongoing	Parramatta LC	Dog	1	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Sentence on 19 July 2023
23-1815	22/03/2023		Ongoing	Moree LC	Dog	1	6 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to comply with requirement under sub 1	Ongoing - Hearing 5 December 2023
23-1816	22/03/2023		Ongoing	Moree LC	Dog	1	6 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to comply with requirement under sub 1 1 x Hinder/obstruct person exercising authority	Ongoing - Hearing 5 December 2023
23-1817	22/03/2023		Ongoing	Manly LC	Cat	6	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Ongoing - Hearing 23 November 2023
23-1818	20/02/2023		Ongoing	Parramatta LC	Dog	5	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food 4 x Tether animal with unreasonably short tether 4 x Proprietor not comply with requirements of clause	Ongoing - Sentence 9 August 2023
23-1819	20/02/2023		Ongoing	Windsor LC	Horse	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Hearing 26 March 2024
23-1820	18/04/2023		Ongoing	Taree LC	Horse	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Ongoing - Hearing 12 December 2023
23-1821	19/04/2023		Ongoing	Burwood LC	Cat Dog Bird	35	6 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Hinder/obstruct person exercising authority 2 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 2 x Commit an act of cruelty 1 x Fail to provide exercise to confined animal	Ongoing - Hearing 8 February 2024
23-1822	19/04/2023		Ongoing	Parramatta DC	Cat	4	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to comply with disqualification order	Ongoing - Severity appeal 17 August 2023
23-1823	19/04/2023	31/05/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Bankstown LC	Cat	17	5 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted CCO: 12 months /001: \$500 /002: \$200 /003: \$200 s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 2 years s215 CPA - costs: \$102
23-1824	19/04/2023		Ongoing		Cat	32	7 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Reply to Brief 30 August 2023
23-1825	19/04/2023		Ongoing		Cat	32	7 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Reply to Brief 30 August 2023
23-1826	4/05/2023		Ongoing	Wyong LC	Horse	2	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Ongoing - Mention 16 August 2023
23-1827	4/05/2023		Ongoing	Wyong LC	Horse	2	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Ongoing - Mention 16 August 2023
23-1828	4/05/2023		Ongoing	Campbelltown LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Hearing 11 August 2023
23-1829	4/05/2023	8/06/2023	Pleaded Guilty	Campbelltown CC	Cat	2	2 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Convicted s33(1)(b) Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987 (NSW): 9 months s31(1)(a) POCTAA - disposal order s31(1)(b) POCTAA - disqualification: 3 years
23-1830	4/05/2023		Ongoing	Campbelltown LC	Cat	5	6 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Hearing 11 August 2023
23-1831	4/05/2023		Ongoing	Campbelltown LC	Dog	1	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty	Ongoing - Hearing 3 April 2024
23-1832	11/05/2023		Ongoing	Parramatta LC	Dog Cat Bird Fish	12	6 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 2 x Commit an act of cruelty	Ongoing - Mention 24 August 2023
23-1833	11/05/2023		Ongoing	Mt Druitt LC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Ongoing - Hearing 16 August 2023
23-1834	24/05/2023		Ongoing	Newtown LC	Dog	9	3 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Advertise dog for sale, not include required information 1 x Give false or misleading microchipping identification number	Ongoing - Hearing 4 April 2024
23-1835	24/05/2023		Ongoing	Fairfield LC	Dog	3	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 2 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Mention 29 August 2023
23-1836	24/05/2023		Ongoing	Downing Centre DC	Dog	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Severity Appeal 19 September 2023
23-1837	24/05/2023		Ongoing	Penrith LC	Dog Cat	20	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Fail to provide proper and sufficient food	Ongoing - Mention 10 August 2023

23-1838	24/05/2023		Ongoing	Parramatta LC	Cat	9	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment 2 x Commit an act of cruelty 1 x Confine animal in cage dimensions inadequate for exercise 1 x Give false or misleading microchip identification number	Ongoing - Mention 10 August 2023
23-1839	6/06/2023		Ongoing	Cessnock LC	Dog	1	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of cruelty	Ongoing - Mention 27 July 2023
23-1840	6/06/2023		Ongoing	Penrith LC	Dog	7	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 4 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Sentence 24 August 2023
23-1841	6/06/2023		Ongoing	Windsor LC	Dog	1	3 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Sentence 10 August 2023
23-1842	21/06/2023		Ongoing	Penrith LC	Horse	1	1 x Commit an act of aggravated cruelty 1 x Fail to provide vet treatment	Ongoing - Mention 27 July 2023
23-1843	21/06/2023		Ongoing	Penrith LC	Dog	3	1 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Commit an act of cruelty 1 x Tether animal for unreasonable length of time	Ongoing - Mention 20 July 2023
23-1844	21/06/2023		Ongoing	Armidale LC	Dog	1	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Tether animal for unreasonable length of time 1 x Tether unreasonably short	Ongoing - Mention 14 August 2023
23-1845	21/06/2023		Ongoing	Armidale LC	Dog	1	4 x Fail to provide vet treatment 1 x Tether animal for unreasonable length of time 1 x Tether unreasonably short	Ongoing - Mention 14 August 2023