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MRS SUZANNE WHITE 3 / 2A REDMAN RD DEE WHY NSW 2099

RE: DA2023/0877 - 665 Pittwater Road DEE WHY NSW 2099

HI

I own & manage Spangles Dancewear which is the shop next door to the proposed Dog Groomers. I am greatly concerned about the proposition of a groomers moving into there. The noise of dogs barking & crying which is always inevitable at a groomers is going be very loud & disruptive to my business. The same applies for the large hair dryers they use on the animals, they are very noisy. The walls are so thin that when the dress shop & the hair salon before that were next door we could hear each others music & conversations.

My business deals with children 99% of the time & there are numerous kids who have a genuine fear of dogs and so this will definitely impact my customers in a negative way. I used to bring my own dog to work with me but had to stop this due to the increased number of scared children.

I also have huge concerns as to where these dogs are going to be able to go to the bathroom. I personally have 2 dogs and when I take them to the groomers at Brookvale they always urinate at the park across the road first. The only place for dogs to do that here is in the garden bed outside my shops front door so the smell that will develop will be revolting. They will also trample & destroy the garden beds that the council has spent a lot of money & time on to maintain and make very appealing.

As stated I have 2 dogs so personally love dogs of all types and it could be helpful to have a groomer as a neighbour but my business and customers take priority over that and in these tough economic times I really don't need a dog groomers next door that is going to affect my income & livelihood negatively.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Suzie White

Spangles Dancewear

Owner/Director