Noticeboard Privacy Policy

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We collect only what we need to run the Noticeboard: your account details, the notices you post, alert preferences, and basic technical data for abuse prevention. We don't sell your data, and we use a small set of trusted service providers to host the site and send email. You can ask for your data at any time.

1. Who we are

Burnett Ledger (burnettledger.com.au) operates the Noticeboard. We comply with the Australian Privacy Principles (APPs) under the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth).

2. What we collect

Account data: name, organisation, email, phone, role. Notice content: the text, images, AI-imagery disclosure flag, location, tags and contact details you submit with each notice. Subscription data: the tier you hold, payment status (we do not store full card details - payments are processed by Stripe), and renewal dates. Age attestations: a timestamp each time you confirm you are 18+ or supervised by a guardian. Alert preferences: the email and filter/tag selections you choose. Technical data: IP address, browser/user-agent and minimal log data for security, debugging and abuse prevention.

3. How we use it

To display your notices to the public; to send operational emails (posting confirmations, approvals, renewals, breach notices); to send the tag-matched alerts you opted into; to detect and prevent abuse; and to meet our legal obligations.

4. Who we share it with

We use a small number of trusted processors who act on our instructions: Replit (application hosting and API), Neon (database), Resend (transactional email), and Stripe (subscription payments). These providers may process data outside Australia (typically in the United States and European Union). We do not sell or rent your personal information.

5. Cookies and local storage

We use first-party cookies and local storage to keep you signed in, remember your preferences, and (for wizard forms) autosave your in-progress notice locally on your device. We do not use third-party advertising trackers.

6. Retention

Active notices remain visible while current. After expiry, notices are archived for two months and then removed. Account records are kept while your account is active and for a reasonable period afterwards to meet record-keeping, tax and dispute obligations. Alert subscriptions are kept until you unsubscribe.

7. Your rights

You may request access to your personal information, correction of inaccurate information, or deletion (subject to legal record-keeping requirements). Email curator@burnettledger.com.au - we respond within 30 days.

8. Security

Passwords are hashed and never stored in plain text. Connections to the site are encrypted in transit (HTTPS). Access to administrative tools is limited to the Curator team and protected by individual logins.

9. Children

The Noticeboard is intended for users aged 18 and over. Under-18s may use the Noticeboard only with the express permission and active supervision of a parent or guardian, who is treated as the responsible account holder. We capture a timestamped attestation each time a user subscribes, applies for access, and each time a notice is posted. We do not knowingly collect personal information from a child without that attestation; if we become aware that we have, we will delete it.

10. Complaints

If you believe we have mishandled your personal information, contact the Curator first at curator@burnettledger.com.au. If you are not satisfied with our response, you may contact the Office of the Australian Information Commissioner (OAIC) at oaic.gov.au.

11. Changes

We may update this Policy. Material changes will be notified by email to active account holders at least 14 days before they take effect.