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## Cannabis factory found in house

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Several hundred cannabis plants have been discovered in a house in Northampton.

The discovery was made by Northamptonshire Police yesterday morning after people living nearby raised concerns about the property.

The electricity supply to the house had been tampered with, and the electricity supply company had to be called out to make the electricity safe before the house in Essex Street, Semilong, Northampton, could be cleared.

A spokesman for the police's Castle Ward Safer Community Team said: "Drugs are a cause of enormous concern to people in every community and we need people to continue to pass information about any suspicions they have about drug dealing or use.

"We will act on it and information given to us enables us to tackle criminality and seize drugs as we have today."

No-one was at the property at the time and no-one has been arrested. Police will be returning to the scene today to finish searching for evidence and clearing the house.

Anyone with information about drugs can contact police on 08453 700700 or fill in the form on the police website [www.northants.police.uk](http://www.northants.police.uk). Crimestoppers can also be contacted anonymously on 0800 555111.

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A cannabis factory has been found in Northampton

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