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## Toby Crockford

A pilot has walked away uninjured after a problem with the landing gear on his light plane forced him to make an emergency landing at Archerfield Airport on Saturday morning.

The Queensland Police Service were called about 9am after witnesses saw the landing gear hadn't retracted properly after take-off.



A pilot made a successful emergency landing at Archerfield Airport on Saturday after experiencing landing gear problems. *Photo: 7 News Queensland* 

The pilot, reportedly a student, circled before making a successful emergency landing about 10.45am.

Emergency services were on standby, but were more spectators after the plane landed safely.

A QPS spokeswoman said there were no passengers on board and police were not investigating the incident.

Archerfield Airport released a statement on Saturday afternoon saying the pilot landed safely on one of the airport's unsealed runways.

"Staff from Archerfield Airport and Airservices Australia worked together with emergency service personnel to help bring about the safe outcome."

"The circumstances that led to the incident will be investigated by aviation authorities."

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