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**MEDIA ADVISORY**

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OPCC 2015-11048  
OPCC 2015-11048-03  
OPCC 2015-11048-05

**Discipline Authority Grants Request from Former Chief Constable Elsner  
for Adjournment of Discipline Proceedings**

**Victoria** - The Office of the Police Complaint Commissioner wishes to advise the media that Discipline Authority Carol Baird Ellan and Discipline Authority Ian Pitfield have granted a request from former Chief Constable Elsner to adjourn the discipline proceedings pursuant to section 123(10) of the *Police Act*.

Former Chief Constable Elsner is in the process of retaining new counsel after his counsel was recently appointed to the BC Supreme Court Bench. The Discipline Authorities determined that an adjournment was justified in the circumstances.

The proceedings before Discipline Authority Baird Ellan (OPCC files 2015-11048 and 2015-11048-05) were scheduled to proceed on September 25, 2017, but have been adjourned until October 16, 2017. The proceedings before Discipline Authority Pitfield (OPCC file 2015-11048-03) were scheduled to proceed on October 2, 2017, but have been adjourned until October 30, 2017.

Details may be found on the Media Releases page of the OPCC's webpage, located at [www.opcc.bc.ca](http://www.opcc.bc.ca).

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