



OFFICE OF THE
POLICE COMPLAINT COMMISSIONER

British Columbia, Canada

NOTICE

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RR 2022-03

Date for oral submissions in Review on the Record

Victoria - The Office of the Police Complaint Commissioner wishes to advise that oral submissions for the review into the findings of a discipline proceeding relating to an allegation of *Abuse of Authority* against Constable Lance Fraser of the Vancouver Police Department, will be held on Thursday, April 6, 2023, beginning at 9:30 am.

Location: 605 Robson Street #1200, Vancouver, BC.

The full notice of review is available here:

<https://opcc.bc.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/11/19722-2022-11-09-Notice-of-Review-on-the-Record.pdf>

About the OPCC and Reviews on the Record:

- The Police Complaint commissioner is a civilian, independent Officer of the Legislature overseeing complaints, investigations and discipline involving municipal police in British Columbia. For more on the OPCC, visit <https://opcc.bc.ca/about-us/>
- Discipline Authorities are generally senior ranking police officers who are required under the *Police Act* to make determinations regarding the investigation and discipline of police officers alleged to have committed misconduct.
- A Review on the Record is a form of adjudicative review in which the adjudicator, a Retired Judge, conducts a “paper review” of all evidence and materials from the investigation and discipline hearing. The adjudicator may also receive submissions from the respondent member’s counsel, the Police Complaint Commissioner’s counsel, the complainant and the Discipline Authority before rendering his/her decision. More on

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the OPCC's involvement in and processes for complaints involving police and misconduct allegations: <https://opcc.bc.ca/police-faq/>

- An adjudicator must determine whether there is misconduct and, if so, determine the corrective or disciplinary measures to be imposed. The adjudicator's decision at a Review on the Record is final and conclusive. In some cases, reviews can be focused solely on the issue of the discipline imposed.

Note to media: The OPCC is unable to comment on this review while it is underway. For general queries related to the OPCC's role and processes, please contact:

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