November 27, 2018

National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls
PO Box 500, Station A
Vancouver, B.C

Attention: Registrar, Mr. Bryan Zandberg

Dear Sir:

Re: Rule 33 Submission

Pursuant to Rule 33 and the Practice Direction on Public Submission of Information to the Record Outside of Witnesses, I am submitting documents on behalf of the Saskatchewan Association of Chiefs of Police.

The SACP wishes to provide two documents in relation to the testimony of Clive Weighill in Regina, during the Part II Hearing on Policing Policies and Procedures, and two documents in relation to the testimony of Ms. Farida Deif in Toronto, during the Part III Hearing on Racism.

We submit the following:

a) During the testimony of Chief Weighill, Exhibit 75 was the Board of Police Commissioners Reports filed in relation to the Representative Workforce Initiatives on behalf of the Regina and Saskatoon Police Service. In July, the Regina Police Service tabled their 2017 Representative Workforce Report, a copy of which is attached.

b) During the testimony of Chief Weighill, Exhibit 62 was the Board of Police Commissioners report filed in relation to the number of missing persons identified in Saskatoon. An updated report considered by the Saskatoon Board of Police Commissioners on November 15, 2018 is attached.

c) During the cross examination of Ms. Farida Deif, Transcript Part III, Volume IX on page 280, line 6, Ms. Deif was asked if the Chiefs of Police in Saskatchewan had sent correspondence expressing concerns about the allegations being made against the police services, and asking for additional information. Ms. Deif acknowledged receipt of these letters. The September 9, 2016, letter from the Saskatoon Police Service, and the September 19, 2016 letter from the Regina Police Service, are attached.
I ask that each of these documents be submitted into evidence, and form part of the record of the National Inquiry.

In addition, I am attaching several sections of the Saskatchewan Police Commission's Policy Manual For Police Services. This document is a public document, published by the Saskatchewan Police Commission. Although it is a very comprehensive, two volume document, in particular I wish to place the following policies before the Commission, as they are relevant to the mandate and work of the National Inquiry: Policy OB 40 (Intimate Partner Violence), Policy OB 70 (Missing Persons), Policy OC 120 (Child Exploitation), Policy OF 40 (Use of Force), and Policy OC 150 (Contact Interviews with the Public). These policies are implemented by the Saskatchewan Police Commission, pursuant to their Statutory Powers found in section 19 of The Police Act, 1990. I would ask that these policies be submitted into evidence, to form part of the record of the National Inquiry.

I thank you in advance, for considering these documents for submission. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours truly,

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