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DE-IDENTIFIED SUMMARY UNDER SECTION 167(2) OF THE CSPA

Original Police Service:

Date of Complaint: 04/07/2025

Type of Investigation:

Referred to Same Service: ◉ Referred to Other Service: ○ Retained by LECA: ○

Service Investigations Referred to:

De-identified Summary of Complaint

On November 28, 2024, The Complainant contacted The (Redacted) Police Service to report an incident of sexual assault. On February 28, 2025 The Complainant reported a further incident of sexual assault, this time where her child was the victim.

The Complainant alleges and these investigations were closed without her being updated as to why. The Complainant believes this occurred because the assigned investigators failed to properly investigate the matters and thereby neglected their duties.

The Complainant further alleges that when she attended the Police Station in person she was harassed by one of the involved officers. She alleges that one of the officer yelled at her in the hallway of the station and used obscene hand gestures.

Unsubstantiated Code of Conduct Allegations

Section 12 - Interactions with the Public
Section 19 - Performance of Duties

Decision and Reasons

Section 12 - Interaction with the Public - Unsubstantiated

The Complainant alleges that one of the (Redacted) Police Service members yelled at her and showed her offensive hand gestures. The incident was not captured on video and the description of the gestures provided by The Complainant do not make out details of a gesture that is known to be obviously offensive. The Respondent Officer describes that as the interaction with The Complainant became adversarial he, on multiple occasions, removed himself from the interaction in order to deescalate.

Further, The Complainant accuses officers of harassing her by repeated communication while at the same time accusing officers of not communicating with her enough regarding updates on her case. It was also noted that The Complainant attended the Police Station multiple times, unannounced and demanded to speak with officers. This actions of The Complainant are not consistent with her being subject to harassment by the involved officers.

Section 19 - Performance of Duties - Unsubstantiated

The Complainant alleges that the officers failed to properly execute their duties by not fully investigating her reports and not communicating with her the outcomes of these investigations. The reports she calls into question were fully investigated and even include the use of specialized investigative units. Further, the involved reports detail multiple contacts with The Complainant where she was continuously updated on the direction and outcome of the investigation. The reasons for concluding each investigation are compliant with (Redacted) Police Service Procedure as well as with The Criminal Code of Canada.