THUNDER BAY POLICE SERVICE

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September 9, 2016

Mr. Julian Falconer 10 Alcorn Avenue, Suite 204 Toronto, ON M4V 3A9

Dear Mr. Falconer:

Re:

Public Complaint:

OIPRD Complaint No:

Thunder Bay Police Service

E-201603181148379843 - Brad DeBungee

E-201693181117037812 - Chief Jim Leonard

Further to my response dated September 1, 2016, I have met in person with Commissioner Hawkes of the Ontario Provincial Police (O.P.P.) regarding the investigation of Mr. DeBungee's death.

Although it is not unusual for a Municipal Police Service to make such a request of the O.P.P., Commissioner Hawkes clearly expressed to me that he would not entertain such a request during the course of an outstanding O.I.P.R.D. investigation. As such, I will not be making a request of the O.P.P. for investigative assistance into this matter at this time.

I will review the situation at the completion of the O.I.P.R.D. investigation.

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Sincerely,

J.P. Levesque

Chief of Police, M.O.M., C.M.M. III

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