



STRATFORD POLICE SERVICE

BOARD POLICY

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LE-019SPSB Stolen or Smuggled Firearms

It is the policy of the Stratford Police Service Board with respect to stolen or smuggled firearms that the Chief of Police will develop and maintain written procedures:

- a) That require that every firearm that comes into the possession of the Police Service will be checked to determine whether the firearm:
 - I. Has been reported stolen or lost;
 - II. Is legally registered in Canada; or
 - III. Is smuggled.
- b) On the investigation of stolen or smuggled firearms in accordance with the Police Service's Criminal Investigation Management & Procedures;
- c) The Chief of Police shall ensure that members comply with section 260 of the *Community Safety and Policing Act (CSPA)*; and
- d) That address the sharing of crime analysis, criminal intelligence, and other information on stolen or smuggled firearms with relevant law enforcement agencies pursuant to the *CSPA* and its *Regulations*.

"Steve Cousins"

Chair

Approved January 15, 2025

Date