



Serious Incident Response Team

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Investigation into the November 27, 2018 Fatal Officer-Involved Shooting in Corner Brook Concluded; OPP Finds No Criminal Conduct.

The OPP investigation into the November 27, 2018 fatal officer-involved shooting in Corner Brook has concluded. Mike King, Director of the Serious Incident Response Team, Newfoundland and Labrador (SIRT-NL), advised today that the OPP have provided him with the results of their investigation, which revealed no criminal conduct on the part of the involved RNC officer.

The Department of Justice and Public Safety initially requested the OPP conduct an investigation into the November 27, 2018 fatal officer-involved shooting. After the appointment of the SIRT-NL director, in September 2019, SIRT-NL agreed to review that investigation.

SIRT-NL found the OPP investigators conducted the investigation properly, using best practices and that investigators took all investigative steps appropriate in the circumstances. There was no evidence of bias, tunnel vision or lack of objectivity on the part of the investigating agency.

A copy of the SIRT-NL Director's Report can be found at sirtnl.ca.

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