



VANCOUVER POLICE DEPARTMENT Youth Services Section

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To: Duty Officers
From: Inspector Scott Thompson- Youth Services Section
Subject: **Serious School and Youth Related Incidents- Youth Services Section Advisement**

The following procedure has been approved by the VPD executive.

- 1) The Duty Officer should consider contacting the Youth Services Section (YSS) Inspector or designate in major crime incidents where young people are either the suspects or victims, and the units from the Investigation Division (Homicide, SOS, Robbery/Assault) have been called out. The Duty Officer will consult with the YSS Inspector or designate and determine whether the YSS can be of assistance. Consultation should then take place between the NCO of the assigned investigative unit and the YSS Inspector.
- 2) The Duty Officer shall contact the Youth Services Section (YSS) Inspector or designate in an incident involving young persons where there is an identified threat to a school (e.g. weapons seizure with threats to school community).

Attached is a contact list for the YSS. Please ensure this is placed in the Duty Officer book.

Inspector Scott Thompson
Youth Services Section

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Inspector Scott Thompson	22(1)	_____	_____
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Sergeant Bill Pake-PCRT			

