



## **Referral to Crown Counsel**

### **Disposition**

#### **IIO Investigation: 2016-039**

On March 6, 2019, Cst. Ken Stanworth of the Vancouver Police Department (VPD) was acquitted of the offence of assault causing bodily harm, contrary to section 267(b) of the *Criminal Code*.

On March 1, 2016, a man suffered serious injuries during his arrest by Cst. Stanworth and other members of the VPD in the 700-block of Burrard Street in Vancouver. The IIO referred the matter to Crown Counsel with the BC Prosecution Service for consideration of charges on January 9, 2018.

The BC Prosecution Service initially charged Cst. Stanworth on June 29, 2018.