

Referral to Crown Counsel

Disposition

IIO Investigation: 2017-051

On February 19, 2019, the IIO <u>filed a report to Crown Counsel</u> with the BC Prosecution Service (BCPS) for consideration of charges. On September 24, 2021, <u>BCPS announced that charges were approved</u>.

Cst. Brandon Blue was charged with assault causing bodily harm, and Csts. Beau Spencer and Gregory Jackson were charged with assault.

On January 12, 2024, all three officers were acquitted of their respective charges.

Incident Summary

At about 10:10 p.m. on May 24, 2017, officers attempted to stop and arrest a man for riding a bike with no helmet, lights, or suitable reflectors. The man fled from police and was subsequently arrested at the Commercial-Broadway SkyTrain Station. The man sustained serious injuries during his arrest.