



## Referral to Crown Counsel

### Disposition

#### **IIO Investigation: 2018-004**

On December 3, 2019, Cst. Andrew Peters of the Vancouver Police Department pled guilty to the offence of driving a motor vehicle without due care and attention, contrary to section 144(1)(a) of the *Motor Vehicle Act*, and was sentenced to a \$1,500 fine, \$225 victim surcharge, and 12-month driving prohibition.

On January 6, 2018, Cst. Peters' police vehicle collided with a pedestrian near Knight Street and 20<sup>th</sup> Avenue in Vancouver. The affected person sustained serious but not life-threatening injuries in the incident. The IIO referred the matter to Crown Counsel with the BC Prosecution Service for consideration of charges on November 14, 2018.

The BC Prosecution Service initially charged Cst. Peters with one count of dangerous driving causing bodily harm, contrary to section 249(3) of the *Criminal Code*, on January 25, 2019.