

June 30, 2020

## IIU investigating off-duty discharge of firearm by RCMP officer

The Independent Investigation Unit (IIU) is investigating the discharge of a firearm by an off-duty RCMP officer.

On June 27, 2020, the RCMP notified the IIU of an incident that occurred that same day, where an off-duty officer discharged his service firearm within his personal residence. There were no injuries reported as a result of the incident.

Following a review of the circumstances in this matter, the civilian director has determined it is in the public interest for the IIU to investigate.

The investigation is ongoing so no further details will be provided at this time.

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