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## RCMP officer charged with driving offence following IIU investigation

The Independent Investigation Unit (IIU) has concluded its investigation into an allegation of a driving offence against an on-duty member of the RCMP between Niverville and St. Pierre-Jolys. The civilian director of the IIU has determined there are reasonable grounds to believe an offence occurred under the Highway Traffic Act (HTA).

As a result of the investigation, an officer has been issued a summons for July 27, 2021 in St. Pierre-Jolys Provincial Court for driving carelessly contrary to s.188(2) of the HTA.

The IIU issued a news release on January 15, 2021 advising that it had launched an investigation into the incident.

As this matter is now before the courts, the IIU will not comment further.

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