

MEDIA ADVISORY

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Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General Coroners Service

CORONER'S INQUEST INTO THE DEATH OF DANIEL SERBEH

BURNABY – The inquest into the death of Daniel Serbeh has been scheduled. Mr. Serbeh died in police custody in cells at the Vancouver Police Department Jail on Dec. 7, 2007.

The inquest is scheduled for Sept. 15-16, 2009. Presiding coroner Scott Fleming and a jury will publicly hear evidence from subpoenaed witnesses in order to determine the facts surrounding the death. The jury will have the opportunity to make recommendations aimed at preventing deaths under similar circumstances in the future.

Date: Tuesday, Sept. 15, 2009

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Location: Coroners Courtroom

20th Floor, Metrotower 2

4720 Kingsway

Burnaby

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An inquest is a formal court proceeding that allows for public presentation of all evidence relating to a death. The BC Coroners Service is an independent fact-finding agency that may not make any finding of legal responsibility.

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