



REPORT TO THE CHIEF CORONER OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Findings and Recommendations of the Domestic Violence Death Review Panel

May 2010

PANEL MEMBERS

The Domestic Violence Death Review Panel was convened at the Office of the Chief Coroner in Burnaby, March 9 to 11, 2010. The panel was comprised of the following members who have consented in writing to the release of their names and professional affiliations:

- Jocelyn Coupal, Crown Counsel
- Maurizio Dattilo, Deputy Regional Crown Counsel
- Tracey Porteous, Executive Director, Ending Violence Association of BC
- Inspector Richard Konarski, Langley RCMP
- Inspector Clark Russell, Victoria City Police Department
- Inspector Bob Usui, Vancouver Police Department
- Tom Weber, Director, Vancouver Island, MCFD
- Robert Watts, Provincial Director, Community Corrections BC
- John Greschner, Chief Investigator, Representative for Children and Youth
- Taryn Walsh, Director, Policy and Legislation, Victim Services, Ministry of PSSG
- Heather Hildred, Victim Services Program Director, RCMP
- Dr. Stephen Hart, Forensic Psychologist, SFU
- Panel Administrator - Matt Brown, BC Coroners Service
- Chair - Jeff Dolan, BC Coroners Service

The subject matter discussed by the panel is protected by statute. Panel members have agreed to abide strictly by all of the terms of confidentiality and not reveal to any person any detail of the discussions held by panel. The conclusions from panel discussions are reflected in the recommendations made in the chair's Report to the Chief Coroner of BC.

Chief Coroner Dr. Diane A. Rethon wishes to thank the panel members for their participation and ongoing commitment to the prevention of domestic violence.