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Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General
BC Coroners Service

MEDIA ADVISORY – UPDATE

KAMLOOPS – The BC Coroners Service will hold a public inquest into the death of Wilbert Douglas Ross Bartley.

Mr. Bartley died in Kamloops on July 30, 2010, after he was shot by a member of the RCMP.

The inquest will be held May 14-18, 2012. Presiding coroner Mark Coleman and a jury will hear evidence from subpoenaed witnesses to determine the facts surrounding this death. The jury will have the opportunity to make recommendations aimed at preventing deaths under similar circumstances in the future.

Dates: Monday, May 14 to Friday, May 18, 2012

Time: 9.30 a.m.

Location:
Kamloops Law Courts
455 Columbia St.
Kamloops

An inquest is a formal court process 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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