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Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General
BC Coroners Service

MEDIA ADVISORY - UPDATE

BURNABY – The BC Coroners Service will hold a public inquest into the death of Mr. Eugene Knight.

Mr. Knight was shot by the Vancouver Police Department and died on Sept. 18, 2009.

The inquest is scheduled for March 5-9, 2012.

Presiding coroner Kate Corcoran 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.

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

Event Date: Monday, March 5, 2012

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Location:
BC Coroner's Court
2035 – 4720 Kingsway
Burnaby

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