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## BC Prosecution Service approves multiple charges against Surrey RCMP Officer

**Victoria** – The BC Prosecution Service (BCPS) announced today that several charges of breach of trust and fraud have been approved against Surrey RCMP Cpl. Peter Leckie in connection with allegations of misconduct involving three individuals between January 2014 and October 2020 at or near Surrey.

An information charging Cpl. Leckie with seven counts of breach of trust in connection with the duties of their office contrary to section 122 of the *Criminal Code* and two counts of obtaining computer service by fraud contrary to section 342.1(1)(a) of the *Criminal Code* were sworn on June 29, 2022, under Provincial Court file number 249366. A first appearance date has been set for July 27, 2022 in Surrey Provincial Court.

The charges were approved by an experienced Crown Counsel with no prior or current connection with the officer. The charge assessment guidelines applied by the BC Prosecution Service in reviewing all Reports to Crown Counsel are established in the BC Prosecution Service Crown Counsel Policy Manual and are available online at:

[www.gov.bc.ca/charge-assessment-guidelines](http://www.gov.bc.ca/charge-assessment-guidelines)

BCPS guidelines for assessing allegations against Peace Officers are also established in policy and are available at:

[www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/law-crime-and-justice/criminal-justice/prosecution-service/crown-counsel-policy-manual/pol-1.pdf](http://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/law-crime-and-justice/criminal-justice/prosecution-service/crown-counsel-policy-manual/pol-1.pdf)

As this matter is now before the court the BCPS will not be releasing additional information or commenting further at this time.

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