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**Supplementary Occurrence Report**

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Occurrence: **2015376186 Pointing a firearm 87(2) CC (FIP) @2015/04/05 14:28**Author: #000129874 COX, A.  
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2015-04-05 hours

On the above noted date and time the Holyrood RCMP received a call from Sgt. Joe SMYTH of the RNC in St. John's reporting that he had fired multiple shots at a suspect in a residence in Mount Carmel, NL. He was requesting immediate assistance at the scene.

Please note that prior to Sgt. SMYTH attending this residence he called the Holyrood Detachment and spoke to Cst. COX. He informed Cst. COX that he was going to the residence of Donald DUNPHY (DOB: 1956-07-26) of #270 Main Road, Mitchells Brook, NL. He asked Cst. COX if the RCMP had any files on their system relating to DUNPHY as he had to speak to him about threats that he made against the Premier. Cst. COX checked PROS and noted that there were 3 files associated to DUNPHY none of which were in relation to violence. Cst. COX informed Sgt. SMYTH of this and then asked Sgt. SMYTH if he wanted Cst. COX to attend the residence with him. Sgt. SMYTH stated that he didn't think that he needed Cst. COX to attend and stated that he thought that the marked police car and police uniform might set DUNPHY off. Cst. COX told Sgt. SMYTH to call if he needed anything.

Immediate patrol made to the scene by Cst. COX, Cpl. O'KEEFE, Cst. DOWNEY, [REDACTED] and Cst. WILLIAMS. While en route to the scene members determined through OCC that Sgt. SMYTH was not injured and that DUNPHY was deceased as a result of gunshots sustained to his person from Sgt. SMYTH's service pistol. IDENT was contacted en route and requested at the scene as this was an officer involved shooting in the RCMP's jurisdiction.

At 1455 hours Cst. COX arrived on scene and was the first member to arrive. Cst. COX immediately noted that Sgt. SMYTH was standing in the driveway of the residence next to the black Yukon that he had previously told Cst. COX that he was driving. Cst. COX noted that Sgt. SMYTH was dressed in plain clothes. When Cst. COX approached Sgt. SMYTH he pulled the right bottom of his leather jacket to the side and showed Cst. COX his RNC badge that was attached to his belt. Cst. COX spoke to Sgt. SMYTH and asked him if he was injured and he stated that he was not injured however, DUNPHY was deceased inside the residence. Cst. COX approached the front window of the residence and looked through the living room picture window. Cst. COX did observe a male sitting in a recliner style chair on the left hand side of the living room window inside the living room. The male who was identified to Cst. COX as DUNPHY by Sgt. SMYTH had one visible wound to the right front part of his forehead that Cst. COX could see from the window.

Cst. COX returned to speak to Sgt. SMYTH and asked him what happened. He informed Cst. COX that he was standing in the living room speaking to DUNPHY and DUNPHY was becoming increasingly agitated while speaking to him. He said that then DUNPHY reached down along side of his chair and picked up a firearm and started to point it at Sgt. SMYTH. He said that he kept saying to DUNPHY, "NO NO NO". Sgt. SMYTH proceeded to move and while doing so discharged his service pistol at DUNPHY as he moved because DUNPHY was following Cst. SMYTH with his firearm.

Cst. COX took Sgt. SMYTH to his police vehicle and had him wait inside the vehicle until Cpl. O'KEEFE arrived. Sgt. SMYTH informed Cst. COX that the residence wasn't completely cleared after the shooting.

At 1501 hours Cst. DOWNEY arrived on scene.

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At 1502 hours Cpl. O'KEEFE arrived on scene and met with Cst. COX and Cst. SMYTH.

At 1507 hours Cst. COX and Cpl. O'KEEFE made entry into the residence via that front door for the purpose of clearing the residence of further persons. Upon entry into the residence Cst. COX noted that the the living room where DUNPHY was located was on the right hand side of the front hallway. Cst. COX made his way to the left and cleared each room of the residence starting with the washroom and continuing back to the front hallway again. While clearing the residence Cst. COX noted that there was a closed door on the left hand side of the hallway at the end of the hallway. Cst. COX opened the door and noted that there was an active marihuana grow inside that room and the lights were still on for the grow. Cst. COX then proceeded into the kitchen area in the rear of the residence and found a second marihuana grow in the little room off the rear right of the kitchen. No other persons were located inside the residence.

At 1510 hours DUNPHY was checked by paramedics while he sat in the chair in the living room where he was when Cst. COX arrived on scene. Paramedics were Nancy LINEHAN and Kevin BISHOP. No vital signs were noted for DUNPHY.

At 1513 hours Cst. COX, Cpl. O'KEEFE and both paramedics exited the residence. No one left inside the residence other then DUNPHY.

Cst COX and Cst. DOWNEY secured the property and scene with yellow police line.

Once the scene was secure with the police line no persons entered the scene.

Cst. COX spoke to S/Sgt. TILLER and updated him on the situation.

At 1649 hours Cpl. FOOTE arrived on scene.

At 1651 hours Cpl. FOOTE and Cpl. O'KEEFE crossed the scene tape and proceeded up the driveway. Cpl. FOOTE proceeded further into the scene out of sight.

At 1707 hours Cpl. O'KEEFE exited the scene.

At 1907 hours Cpl. Steve BURKE and Cpl. Monty HENSTRIDGE into the scene and S/Sgt. CONOHAN. Cpl. O'KEEFE cross scene tape as well.

At 1909 hours Cpl. O'KEEFE bck out of scene across scnene tape.

At 1919 hours Cpl. BURKE and Cpl. HENSTRIDGE out of the scene and past the scene tape.

At 1921 hours S/Sgt. CONOHAN outside the scene tape.

At 2037 hours Ident arrived on scene. Cpl. SEWARD and Cst. GALWAY also on scene.

At 2051 hours Cst. GALWAY entered the scene crossing the scene tape.

At 2053 hours Cst. GALWAY back outside scene again.

At 2053 hours Sgt. SAUNDERS and Cpl. LEE entered scene crossing scene tape.

At 2054 hours Cpl. LEE exited scene then went right back in seconds later.

At 2057 hours Sgt. SAUNDERS and Cpl. LEE exited the scene.

At 2105 hours Sgt. SAUNDERS and Cpl. LEE entered the scene.

At 2107 hours Cpl. FOOTE exited the scene.

At 2136 hours Sgt. SAUNDERS out of the scene past the scene tape. Spoke to Sgt. SAUNDERS and he asked to have the RNC Yukon remain inside the scene until they are able to process it in the daylight tomorrow.

At 2142 hours Sgt. SAUNDERS re entered the scene.

At 2214 hours Cpl. LEE exited the scene.

At 2222 hours Cpl. LEE re entered the scene.

At 2229 hours Sgt. SAUNDERS exited scene.

At 2229 hours [REDACTED] on scene to relieve Cst. COX.

At 2230 hours Cst. COX turned this scene log over to [REDACTED].

At 2230 Cst. COX departed scene.

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