

SiRT

SERIOUS INCIDENT
RESPONSE TEAM

Summary of Investigation Oversight

SiRT File # 2025-0103

Referral from

RCMP “H” Division regarding

Halifax Regional Police

August 28, 2025

Erin E. Nauss

Director

September 22, 2025

MANDATE OF THE SiRT

The Serious Incident Response Team (“SiRT”) has a mandate under the Nova Scotia *Police Act* and through agreement under the New Brunswick *Police Act* to investigate all matters that involve death, serious injury, sexual assault, and intimate partner violence or other matters of a public interest to be investigated that may have arisen from the actions of any police officer, in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. This mandate encompasses incidents that occur on or off-duty, to avoid the real or perceived bias of police investigating police. SiRT may also assist, review, or provide oversight of investigations led by another police agency.

INCIDENT SUMMARY

On the evening of August 28th, 2025, two members of the Lower Sackville RCMP attended the scene of a motor vehicle collision involving two pedestrians in Lower Sackville.

RCMP identified the driver of the vehicle as an off-duty Halifax Regional Police Officer. Due to the circumstances and the need for an immediate response, the RCMP initiated and completed the investigation. Pursuant to the *Police Act*, SiRT reviewed the RCMP’s investigation. As Director, I am satisfied the RCMP conducted a thorough and impartial investigation.

Cst. Sukhvinder Singh was issued two summary offence tickets: one for failing to yield to a pedestrian and one for careless and imprudent driving.