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Mr. Eli El-Chantiry, Chair
Ottawa Police Services Board
110 Laurier Avenue West
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Dear Eli,

Thank you for your letter of July 31st, 2012, regarding:

- Justice Morden's report on the G20 and the Toronto Police Services Board,
- your request for Government of Ontario clarification as to the role of police services boards, particularly their expected level of involvement in planning for and directing police operations, and
- your call for OAPSB leadership in addressing these matters on behalf of all police services boards in Ontario.

As per our letter of July 12th, 2012, some of Justice Morden's recommendations, if universally applied, could have wide-reaching implications. As such, we are currently analyzing the contents of Justice Morden's report.

The OAPSB Board of Directors will consider the matter at its next board meeting on September 12th, 2012, and will subsequently advise members of its intentions.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Henry Jensen', written in a cursive style.

Henry Jensen
President

cc: Chairs, Big 12 Police Services Boards
Ms. Wendy Fedec, Executive Director, Ottawa Police Services Board