

Request for CACP Intervention

Applicant Information

Name of Police

Organization

submitting request:

Information of contact person:

Follow these steps to apply

Please complete this form thoroughly and in as much detail as possible to ensure we have all the necessary information for an efficient review. The information you provide will play a crucial role in helping assess your request. To ensure that we can effectively assess your request, we will evaluate it against the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police (“CACP”) priorities. This assessment helps us determine how your request aligns with our mission, objectives, and available resources.

Once completed, please this form submit via e-mail to the Executive Director of the CACP, Aviva Rotenberg, at arotenberg@cacp.ca. **Please be advised that it may take up to six (6) weeks to thoroughly review and process your request.** This timeframe allows the CACP to carefully evaluate the details you have provided and discuss with relevant parties. You may provide updated information during this period if additional information becomes available.

Questions for the Proposed Intervener

1. Provide a summary of the case:

2. Provide a summary of the legal issues:

What is the policing function, responsibility, or power being challenged? Is the case of sufficient importance that it could set a precedent or impact broader legal and/or policy issues relevant to policing? Are the legal issues of national importance or distinct to a regional problem?

3. Identify the current parties to the litigation and indicate any other parties you anticipate may seek intervener status:

4. Describe the unique perspective and expertise of the Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police on this case, explaining how it could inform or impact the Court's decision:

5. Have you canvassed other police services to determine whether they support an Application for Intervenor Status? If so, which one?

6. Describe the legal and financial capacity of your police service to support and advance the Application for Intervenor Status:

In the event your service does not have, or loses, the capacity to support and advance the Application, is there another police service who is able to assume carriage of the Application in your place?

7. Describe the risks, if any, presented by intervening to your organization:

Potential backlash, reputational damage, etc.

8. Provide a brief outline of any procedural deadlines for seeking intervenor status:

9. Indicate any alternative means by which to advance police interests in this case without intervenor status:

10. Additional comments or information that will assist with the assessment of this request:

Please attach to your submission email a summary or chronology of decisions from various levels of courts as well as a copy of any decision relied upon under appeal to this form, highlighting any relevant passages.

If you require more room than provided to answer the above questions, please attach any additional response to your submission email, identifying clearly which question is being answered.

Upon receipt of the completed form, the CACP will conduct a thorough review of the information and supporting decisions provided, and make a determination with respect to pursuing intervenor status, in consultation with legal counsel