

INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE 2012/2013 ANNUAL REPORT

1. Committee Membership

Chief Charles Bordeleau – Ottawa Police Service – Co-Chair

Lieutenant-Colonel JV (John) Pumphrey – DND – C-Chair

Chief Jean Michel Blais – Halifax

Deputy Chief Bob Morin – Regina

Superintendent Bob Ritchie – Calgary

Chief Brad Duncan – London

Chief Frank Elsner – Sudbury

Chief Jennifer Evans – Peel

Chief Supt Eric Slinn – RCMP

Superintendent George Stephenson – RCMP

Marcel Savard – Sureté du Québec

Superintendent Gary Askin – Waterloo

Norm Taylor – CACP – Consultant - ISIS

2. Summary

The International Committee has a mandate, in part, to raise police and public awareness about the impact and realities of international issues. We are committed to making progressive changes in policing and community safety and look for opportunities for enhanced quality, coordination, advocacy, research and knowledge exchange to inform, guide and influence police and policy leaders at home and abroad.

We have had 2 meetings this past year, one of them via teleconference. The International Committee was a regular and active advisor with the CACP Institute for Strategic International Studies (ISIS) and their 2012 cohort and we await the development and launch of the next cohort. The relationship with ISIS is a good fit with the mandate of the Committee and we are now formally part of the ISIS Executive Advisory Group for the future. Additionally, we have received approval to launch the International Policing Award to recognise the important contributions made by Canadian police services in global matters. We have not been successful in securing corporate sponsorship but we will continue to explore opportunities. Advertising for the Award has been prepared for distribution during the Annual CACP 2013 Conference (attached).

The Committee continues its work to develop an Annual National Symposium that will consider global experience in Canadian policing contexts, and the reverse lens of projecting Canadian policing in the world. A continued relationship with ISIS and the exploration of new associations with similar police research entities will be a focus area

during the coming year, which will result in a 'What Happens There, Matters Here' symposium in 2014 that promises to provide new perspectives on global policing.

Co-Chairs

Charles Bordeleau

John Pumphrey