

**From:** [Byers, Lindsay GCPE:EX](#)  
**To:** [Panton, Ryan GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** Re: CTV inquiry - Jinny Sims investigation  
**Date:** October 4, 2019 7:46:44 PM

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Thanks so much I appreciate it

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On Oct 4, 2019, at 7:46 PM, Panton, Ryan GCPE:EX <[Ryan.Panton@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Ryan.Panton@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Sounds good. I will let you know if and when things change.

RP

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 4, 2019, at 7:45 PM, Byers, Lindsay GCPE:EX  
<[Lindsay.Byers@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Lindsay.Byers@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Don Z told me to send to PO. But if you've been told something different then I will defer to your direction as they won't comment anyways.

I'll send any further requests to BCPS as well.

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On Oct 4, 2019, at 7:44 PM, Panton, Ryan GCPE:EX  
<[Ryan.Panton@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Ryan.Panton@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hi Lindsay,

George Smith in PO told my CD, Tim, to refer inquiries to BCPS, which is what I have been doing. Who gave you your instructions? We should probably try and get our ducks in a row...

Ryan

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 4, 2019, at 7:37 PM, Byers, Lindsay GCPE:EX  
<[Lindsay.Byers@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Lindsay.Byers@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hi Ryan,

I passed his request on to the POs office as I was directed to do. Were you given different direction?

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On Oct 4, 2019, at 7:36 PM, Panton, Ryan  
GCPE:EX <[Ryan.Panton@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Ryan.Panton@gov.bc.ca)>  
wrote:

Hi Ian,

We are referring all inquiries regarding this matter to Dan McLaughlin with the BC Prosecution Service. You can reach him at 250-387-5169.

Thanks,  
Ryan

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 4, 2019, at 7:34 PM,  
Holliday, Ian  
<[Ian.Holliday@bellmedia.ca](mailto:Ian.Holliday@bellmedia.ca)>  
wrote:

Hi Lindsay,

Thanks for taking my call. Below is the email I sent to the regular contacts. My colleague Allison

Hurst is the reporter working on this story tonight. She's copied here as well.

Best,  
Ian

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**From:** Holliday, Ian  
**Sent:** October-04-19 7:30 PM  
**To:** '[Ryan.Panton@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Ryan.Panton@gov.bc.ca)'; '[Robert.Duffus@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Robert.Duffus@gov.bc.ca)'  
**Cc:** Hurst, Allison  
**Subject:** CTV inquiry - Jinny Sims investigation

Hi Ryan and Robert,

I'm hoping someone from the Attorney General's office can provide some more information tonight about the appointment of the special prosecutor in the Jinny Sims investigation. I'll also try the 24-hour media line.

My colleague Allison Hurst is working on this story for our late newscast tonight and is copied on this email. You can reach our news desk at 604-609-5800.

Thanks for your time,

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