

Hunt, Charlotte PSSG:EX

From: Maartman, William PSSG:EX
Sent: July 21, 2022 8:23 PM
To: s.22
Subject: Fwd: NFPC - Code RED - 1943hrs

Details below on escaped inmate:

From: Anderson, Lisa R PSSG:EX <Lisa.R.Anderson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: Thursday, July 21, 2022 8:06 PM
To: Scott, Douglas S PSSG:EX <Douglas.S.Scott@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Haslam, David GCPE:EX <David.Haslam@gov.bc.ca>; Rose, Cindy PSSG:EX <Cindy.Rose@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: NFPC - Code RED - 1943hrs

Hi Doug,

Further to my text and voicemail the client profile below is the subject of the code red that occurred approximately 20 mins ago. I don't have much for details yet but do know this is a high profile gang involved inmate s.15
s.15 I will provide further details as soon as I receive them. RCMP have been notified and I have also contacted Wayne. s.15 This inmate is on remand status for charges of murder and attempt to commit murder.

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From: Maartman, William PSSG:EX
Sent: July 22, 2022 11:32 AM
To: Maher, Melissa PSSG:EX; s.22
Cc: Karimi, Nina PSSG:EX; Barrett, Andrew PSSG:EX; Farnworth, Mike PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: EMBC Media Request: Interview - heat and escaped prisoner

One more thing to add. The inmate was expected at trial this morning:

- Order - Canada wide warrant for Alkhalil
- Absconded from north Fraser
- Waived right to be Present at trial
- Trial will continue
- Jury - you may have heard accused absconded, reminder presumption of innocence
- **Pay no attention to the media reports and must ignore**
- **Jury adjourned until July 27**

From: Maher, Melissa PSSG:EX <Melissa.Maher@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: July 22, 2022 11:23 AM

To: s.22

Cc: Maartman, William PSSG:EX <William.Maartman@gov.bc.ca>; Karimi, Nina PSSG:EX <Nina.Karimi@gov.bc.ca>; Barrett, Andrew PSSG:EX <Andrew.Barrett@gov.bc.ca>; Farnworth, Mike PSSG:EX <Mike.Farnworth@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: EMBC Media Request: Interview - heat and escaped prisoner

Here are the KM's for the Escaped Prisoner and the QA for more info.

Key Messages

- We take public safety very seriously. This is a dangerous individual, and the public should call 911 immediately should they see this man.
- BC Corrections immediately advised the RCMP and are working closely with the police to assist in the investigation.
- We take any escape or attempted escape extremely seriously and BC Corrections will be conducting a comprehensive review into this incident.
- This is an active police matter and I can't provide any additional details at this time.
- All additional inquiries should be directed to the RCMP.

Thank you,

Melissa Maher (*she/her*)

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From: Maartman, William PSSG:EX
Sent: July 21, 2022 10:08 PM
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Subject: Fwd: IHIT Media Release 22-906: IHIT investigating double homicide in Chilliwack, BC
Attachments: SUSPECT JEEP BACK.png; SUSPECT JEEP FRONT.png; SUSPECT.PNG

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To: Maartman, William PSSG:EX <William.Maartman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: IHIT Media Release 22-906: IHIT investigating double homicide in Chilliwack, BC

FYI

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Government of British Columbia

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To: Scott, Douglas S PSSG:EX <Douglas.S.Scott@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: IHIT Media Release 22-906: IHIT investigating double homicide in Chilliwack, BC

Wayne Rideout

Assistant Deputy Minister & Director of Police Services, Policing and Security Branch
Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General

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2nd victim has died.

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Subject: IHIT Media Release 22-906: IHIT investigating double homicide in Chilliwack, BC

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Media Release

For Immediate Release

July 21, 2022

IHIT File: 2022-906

UFVRD File: 2022-26634

IHIT investigating double homicide in Chilliwack, BC

The Integrated Homicide Investigation Team (IHIT) has taken conduct of an investigation after three people were shot inside a residence in Chilliwack, BC.

Background: On July 21, 2022 at 11:00 a.m., the Upper Fraser Valley Regional Detachment RCMP (UFVRD) responded to a report of two women and a man suffering from gunshot wounds at a residence in the 9700 block of McNaught Avenue, Chilliwack, BC. Upon arrival, officers located one woman already deceased and a second woman suffering life threatening injuries. The second woman was airlifted to Royal Columbian Hospital, where she later succumbed to her injuries. The man suffered non-life threatening injuries and was treated by paramedics on scene. IHIT has taken conduct of the investigation and is working closely in partnership with the UFVRD Chilliwack RCMP, the BC Coroners Service and the RCMP Integrated Forensic Identification Section (IFIS).

IHIT is releasing the name of the suspect as 50-years-old Eric John Shestalo, as he is still at large and considered armed and dangerous. IHIT is urging the public to use caution and not approach Shestalo and to contact 9-1-1 immediately. Shestalo is described as Caucasian, 5'9", 176 pounds, last seen wearing black pants, black jacket and a black hat with orange rim.

Shestalo was last observed driving a red 1990 Jeep YJ, which appears to have a yellow painted front end and may be bearing BC licence plate MT981W.

At this time, it is believed Shestalo was known to the victims and the shooting was targeted.

"Officers are working to locate Mr. Shestalo as well as any witnesses to this devastating incident." says Sergeant Timothy Pierotti of IHIT. "We are urging anyone with information, dashcam footage, or residential security footage, to come forward and speak with police as soon as possible."

IHIT is asking that any witnesses or anyone traveling in the 9700 block of McNaught Avenue, Chilliwack, between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. with dash cameras or who have any information regarding the homicide to contact the IHIT Information Line at 1-877-551-IHIT (4448) or by email at ihitinfo@rcmp-grc.gc.ca.

Media availability July 22, 2022 by phone between 8:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. at 236-334-3081.

Released by

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Integrated Homicide Investigation Team (IHIT)
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