HALTON REGIONAL POLICE SERVICES BOARD

ADEQUACY STANDARDS POLICY DOCUMENT

Policy No. & Subject: B-CT-002 - Terrorism Preparedness/Planning

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1. <u>Terrorism Preparedness/Planning (CT-002)</u>

- 1.1 It is the policy of Halton Regional Police Services Board that procedures with respect to terrorism preparedness/planning be developed by the Service
- 1.2 To support this policy, the Chief of Police shall:
 - a) develop and maintain procedures that are consistent with the most recent version of the Ministry of Public Safety and Security's *Provincial Counter-Terrorism Plan*;
 - b) establish priorities and procedures for terrorism preparedness/planning that address:
 - establishing a protocol for notification in relation to actual or potential acts of terrorism, or credible threats thereof that is disseminated to all levels of the organization;
 - ii) communicating, networking and sharing of information;
 - iii) identifying potential targets in the community;
 - iv) developing an Incident Management/Response Plan to address local, multijurisdictional and contiguous provinces/States protocol for response;
 - v) the provision of training;
 - vi) managing voice and data communications;
 - vii) identifying the role of the media:
 - viii) identifying and accessing the necessary equipment;
 - ix) crime victim and witness assistance;
 - c) ensure that the counter-terrorism plan is clearly linked to the municipal emergency plan.