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MEMORANDUM TO: All Chiefs of Police and

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SUBJECT: Proposed Regulations under the Community Safety

and Policing Act, 2019

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As you know, to bring the *Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019* (CSPA) into force, the Ministry of the Solicitor General (ministry) has been working on developing regulations, and engaging with policing, community and Indigenous partners, on a number of matters under the CSPA.

At this time, the ministry is requesting public and stakeholder input on proposed regulations related to:

- 1. Oaths and affirmations for police officers, First Nation Officers, special constables, auxiliaries and police service board members,
- 2. Composition of the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) Governance Advisory,
- 3. A review and revision period for community safety and well-being (CSWB) plans,
- 4. Suspension without pay, and
- 5. Chief's referral to the Law Enforcement Complaints Agency.

The ministry welcomes your comments and feedback, which can be provided by visiting Ontario's Regulatory Registry at the above hyperlinks. Comments can be submitted from April 23 to June 7, 2021. If it is preferred, the ministry is happy to meet with any member separately to discuss their feedback on the above.

Additional regulations will be posted in the future. As they become available for comment, we will continue to notify you.

We appreciate your continued support, advice and guidance to help us modernize policing in Ontario.

Thank you, as always, for your continued efforts to help keep our communities safe and healthy.

Sincerely,

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