



WATERLOO REGIONAL
POLICE SERVICE
BOARD

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FIREARMS - STOLEN OR SMUGGLED

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Policy of the Board

1. It is the policy of the Waterloo Regional Police Service Board with respect to stolen or smuggled firearms that the Chief of Police will develop and maintain procedures:
 - a. which require every firearm that comes into the possession of the Service to be checked to determine whether the firearm:
 - i. has been reported stolen or lost;
 - ii. is legally registered in Canada; or
 - iii. is smuggled.
 - b. on the investigation of stolen or smuggled firearms in accordance with the Service's Criminal Investigation Management Plan; and
 - c. that address the sharing of crime analysis, criminal intelligence and other information on stolen or smuggled firearms with the relevant law enforcement agencies and as required by section 260(9) of the *Community Safety and Policing Act*.