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Item No. 10.3.1

Request for Board of Police Commissioners Consideration					
(: C le	Agenda Item Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon at east 5 working days prior o the meeting)	Clerk's Offic	to Municipal ce by Noon at orking day prior		Request from the Floor
Date of Meeting: November 15, 2023					
Subject: Mental health and policing					
Motion for Board of Police Commissioners to Consider:					
 That the Chair of the Board of Police Commissioners write a letter to the Provincial Ministers of Justice and Health requesting that regulations be drafted pursuant to section 83(1)(i) of the <i>Involuntary Psychiatric Treatment Act</i>, SNS 2005, c 42 to define "other authorized individual" under section 16(2) of the <i>Act</i>, so as to permit someone other than a peace officer to remain at the place of a medical examination and retain custody of a person undergoing a medical examination until such examination is completed. 					
2.	. That the Chair of the Board of Police Commissioners write a letter to the Acting CEO of Nova Scotia Health requesting that funds be designated to hire additional clinicians for the Mental Health Mobile Crisis Team (MHMCT).				
Outcome Sought:					
Noted above					
Commissioner Harry Critchley			November 7, 2023		