

SOUTH ASIANS IN LAW ENFORCEMENT

"SERVING OUR MEMBERS AND STRENGTHENING OUR COMMUNITIES"

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Hamilton Police Service 155 King William Street, Hamilton, ON L8R 1A7

To: Chief of Police, Frank Bergen

Re: South Asian Police Gala: Friday, November 15, 2024

The South Asians in Law Enforcement - Internal Support Network (SAIL-ISN) of the Toronto Police Service is hosting our fifteen-year gala celebrating **South Asians in Policing**.

The purpose of this letter is to request the presence and pleasure of your company, together with your friends and/or sponsor a table. **Tickets are \$70 each and/or \$560 for a table of eight seats**. The program for the evening will include **CAO Svina Dhaliwal**, a keynote speaker from the Toronto Police Service and will showcase elements of the South Asian culture followed by a South Asian cuisine dinner.

This event will attract an attendance of several hundred guests comprised of police personnel, business, and community members across Ontario. The gala will be held at the **Woodbine Banquet Hall, located at 30 Vice Regent Blvd, Etobicoke.**

This year we will be donating part of the proceeds from the gala to the South Asian Women's Centre (<u>www.sawc.org</u>); a non-profit women's organization that strives to empower women to develop their social and cultural potential.

I have enclosed a copy of the poster publicizing the event for your information.

We hope that you will join us for this year's South Asian in Policing Gala. Tickets are \$70 each and can be purchased by email at <u>sail-isn@tps.ca</u>. Payment by e-transfer is preferred, but cheques are welcome. If you plan to attend, please RSVP by **Friday November 1, 2024**.



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If you require further information about our gala, please do not hesitate to contact me by email at <u>sail-isn@tps.ca</u>.

Thank you in advance for all your help and support.

Respectfully,

Ross Fernandes Staff Sergeant (90069) Toronto Police Service <u>Sail-isn@tps.ca</u>