25-052 – APPENDIX A – BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Interprovincial Policing Act 2009 came into force on July 5, 2010. The *Act* establishes a system for temporarily appointing police officers from other Canadian provinces and territories as police officers in Ontario. The Minister has designated the Chief and the two (2) Deputy Chiefs as appointing officials under this *Act*.

Appointing officials are responsible for reviewing requests for appointment under the *Act*, and approving, denying or terminating the appointments of extra-provincial police officers.

The Deputy Chief of Operations is also responsible for maintaining all records as prescribed by the *Act* and is required to report to the Ministry of the Solicitor General, as required, on the appointments pursuant to the legislation. The *Act* also states that appointing officials will be required to notify the Board of appointments made or terminated within the police service.