September 3, 2020

Aboriginal Legal Services, the Black Legal Action Centre, the
Canadian Civil Liberties Association, and the HIV & AIDS Legal Clinic Ontario regarding the
Cornwall Police Service’s access to and use of COVID-19 personal health data.

The Cornwall Police Service (CPS) accessed database to protect the health of front line First Responders when
responding to calls for service and was only used to verify information provided to the call taker before an
officer attended the location.

We can confirm that CPS access the database 112 times between April 18 and June 22, 2020 when access ceased.

In response to your specific questions:

1. Where individual’s COVID-19 status is being locally stored: **COVID-19 status was not saved nor stored locally.**
2. Who currently has access to the locally stored data: **No member of CPS has access to this information.**
3. Whether individuals’ data has been accessed since the revocation of the provincial regulation: **No access to personal information since the revocation of the program.**
4. The process by which information downloaded from the COVID-19 database will be deleted: **No information has been saved locally therefore, nothing to be deleted.**

Should you require any further information please feel free to contact Secretary Carmen Cousineau.

Sincerely,

Glen Grant
Chair

cc: Chief D. Aikman