

**POLICY NO. ER-001
PRELIMINARY PERIMETER CONTROL
AND CONTAINMENT**

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1.0 Preamble

1.1 WHEREAS subsection 31(1) of the ***Police Services Act*** provides that a Board is responsible for the provision of Police Services and for Law Enforcement and Crime Prevention in the Municipality and shall:

- 1.1.1 Generally determine after consultation with the Chief of Police, objectives and priorities with respect to the Police Service in the Municipality;
- 1.1.2 Establish priorities for the effective management of the Police Service, and
- 1.1.3 Direct the Chief of Police and monitor their performance.

1.2 AND whereas ***O. Reg. 3/99*** prescribes standards for adequacy and effectiveness of Police Services.

2.0 Definitions

2.1 **Board** – shall mean the Barrie Police Services Board.

2.2 **BPS** – the acronym for the Barrie Police Service.

2.3 **Chief** – shall mean the Chief of Police.

2.4 **TSU** – the acronym for the Tactical Support Unit.

3.0 Policy

3.1 It is the policy of the Board with respect to Preliminary Perimeter Control and Containment, that the Chief will:

3.1.1 Ensure that containment is provided by the BPS TSU.

3.1.2 Establish procedures that address:

3.1.2.1 The circumstances in which Preliminary Perimeter Control Containment will be established.

3.1.2.2 Operational responsibility for an incident where Preliminary Perimeter Control and Containment is being established.

3.1.2.3 The deployment of other emergency response services, including receiving assistance from other agencies.

3.1.2.4 The duties of an Officer involved in the establishment of Preliminary Perimeter Control and Containment, including compliance with the requirement of Section 22(3) of the **Adequacy Standards Regulation**, pending the deployment of the BPS Tactical Unit, and

3.1.2.5 The training of Officers in Preliminary Perimeter Control and Containment.

3.1.3 Develop and maintain a manual on containment team services that addresses:

3.1.3.1 The selection process for TSU Members, including ensuring that Members who provide this service meet the requirements of the **Adequacy Standards Regulation**.

3.1.3.2 The equipment to be used and available to TSU Members in accordance with the Ministry's designated equipment and facilities list, and

3.1.3.3 The ongoing training of TSU Members.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Board Chair

Board Administrator