

**POLICY NO. LE-030
PROPERTY OFFENCES**

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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.

3.0 Policy

3.1 It is the policy of the Board with respect to Property Offences, including break and enter, that the Chief will:

3.1.1 Develop and maintain procedures that require that investigations be undertaken and managed in accordance with the BPS Criminal Investigation Management Plan, and

3.1.2 Identify the need for the implementation of crime prevention initiatives for property crime based on:

3.1.2.1 Crime, Call and Public Disorder Analysis.

3.1.2.2 Criminal Intelligence, and

3.1.2.3 Community needs.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Board Chair

Board Administrator