



TRANSIT POLICE

HEALTH & WELLNESS

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POLICY

Definitions

Transit Police – The South Coast British Columbia Transportation Authority Police Service.

Transit Police Personnel – Sworn police officers and civilians who work for the Transit Police.

TSML – The TransLink Security Management Limited, a subsidiary of the South Coast British Columbia Transportation Authority and legal entity/employer for the Transit Police.

Authority

1. The Transit Police is a Designated Policing Unit in British Columbia established pursuant to s. 4.1 of the *Police Act* upon application made by the SCBCTA. Pursuant to the application approval, the Transit Police is a part of the TSML and all Transit Police Personnel are employees of the TSML. The Transit Police is governed by the Police Board.

General

2. The Transit Police will provide Transit Police Personnel with access to a health and physical fitness program in the promotion of a satisfactory level of physical fitness and wellness.
3. Transit Police Personnel will be provided with access to a fitness area for independent fitness programming.
4. Transit Police Personnel will be provided with access to a fitness training consultant for consultation on the development of an independent fitness program.
5. Information will be made available to Transit Police Personnel identifying programs, facilities and resources and how to obtain them.

Key References

BC Police Act [RSBC 1996, Chapter 367]

BC Policing Standards (1994)

South Coast British Columbia Transportation Authority Police Service Policies and Procedures Manual