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Case Number: 2023-0048

## RCMP officer charged with driving offence following IIU investigation in Dauphin

The Independent Investigation Unit (IIU) has concluded its investigation into a incident involving a traffic stop.

On Aug. 29, 2023, an RCMP member observed a male driving dangerously and at a high rate of speed on Provincial Trunk Highway 5 near Dauphin. Attempts to conduct a traffic stop were unsuccessful. After several near collisions, additional police units arrived and were able to contain the motocycle.

As a result of the investigation, RCMP Cpl. Kevin Challoner has been charged with failure to drive with due regard to safety contrary to Sec. 106(4) of the Highway Traffic Act.

The IIU issued a news release on Aug. 31, 2023, advising that it had launched an investigation into the incident.

As this matter is now before the courts, the IIU will not comment further.

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