

	<b>Abbotsford Police Department Policy and Procedure</b>	
	<b>Operations</b>	<b>Investigation</b>
	<b>II.D.290</b>	<b>Profit-Oriented Crime Investigations</b>

## **POLICY**

- (1) The Abbotsford Police Department (AbbyPD) recognizes the importance of considering proceeds of crime and money laundering issues during investigations into profit-oriented crime. When investigating such crimes, consideration will be given to employing criminal or civil asset forfeiture mechanisms as a means of limiting the profitability of crime.
  
- (2) As proceeds of crime investigations can be lengthy, complex and can require significant resources and specialized expertise, AbbyPD will consider collaborating with, or referring such investigations to, external specialty investigative units or regulatory and oversight bodies as needed.