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Incident: Police Investigate Homicide on Inter Provincial Highway

Abbotsford – July 7, 2009.

At 9:47 pm on July 7 the Abbotsford Police received a 911 call from a residence in the 3800 block of Inter Provincial Highway. Preliminary information was that there was a dispute taking place in the residence and there was a firearm present. When the Abbotsford Police Patrol Division and Municipal Integrated Emergency Response Team members attended the residence they located several occupants including a deceased 32 year old man from Abbotsford. The man had died as the apparent result of gunshot wounds.

Police removed all persons from the residence and secured the scene. Abbotsford Police have a male in custody that they believe is responsible for the shooting. This incident was not a random act and it was not gang related.

Inter Provincial Highway between No. 4 and No. 5 Roads in Abbotsford is closed as the Abbotsford Police Major Crime Unit, Forensic Investigation Section and the Integrated Homicide Investigation Team continue to gather information and evidence.

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