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My Dear Colleagues:

It is my sad duty to inform you that on Thursday, January 12th, Assistant Crown Attorney Fred Duprey passed away.

To his core, Fred Duprey was a decent human being. He was kind. He was thoughtful. Fred had a quick wit. His threshold for laughter was so low I am uncertain how he survived appearing in Court through the lighter moments.

Fred Duprey was dedicated to justice both in the courtroom and for his colleagues. He worked in several offices around the GTA. He was excited to ultimately secure a regular position at the Guns and Gangs Office. In that office, he set about turning colleagues into friends with considerable ease.

He did the same at the Association. Fred Duprey was the Treasurer of the Ontario Crown Attorneys' Association. He was part of the negotiation team and bargained in your interest night and day during the sessions of 2009. He was our Numbers Man. He was our Humour Man, extinguishing, to a degree, what the circumstances would have otherwise rendered a chuckle drought. My goodness, we will miss him. I miss him.

Fred is survived by his wife and six children whom he loved deeply. This is an overwhelming tragedy for this beautiful family. The Association is exploring the creation of a Trust Account to assist the family. More on this later.

Be well.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Rogers', with a horizontal line extending to the right.

Scott Rogers
Assistant Crown Attorney
President