Writing Assignment

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Imposing law and orders on the citizens by legal means is ethical, and excessive use of power is the police officers may grab more attention from the media. Excessive use of power by the officers includes arresting individuals without informing them, takedowns with handcuffing, and verbal commands. Police forces are expected to protect the citizens because they are legally justifiable to use their power in certain situations where force is required.

According to my analysis of the video, this shows force by a police officer over a young individual. The officer forcefully makes the person sit into the care, and at the same time, eyewitness makes the video. In the beginning, the witness was worried about that person, and he kept shouting at the police officer about his misbehavior, but he later regrets yelling at the police officer (*Montreal police accused of excessive force*, n.d.). The police officer in an interview replied that they arrested the member because they received a complaint about his unusual behavior. The arrested person was not able to answer and provide his identity; that is why a complaint was filed against him. However, the police did not give any official stance regarding the arrest of the public member. It is observable that police in Canada are expected to maintain peace in their regions, and they are empowered. Imposing force is not meant to disturb and start fighting with people, but this force should aim to control violent behaviors and unlawful acts by the people (Wolf et al., 2009). In the context of Canada, people are not able to understand the intervention techniques of these police departments, and the same is the case with the video makes in the video. The use of force model is intended to guide police officials, policymakers, and administrators. This also aimed to make the public understand the use of force by police officials. According to Canadian Law, frameworks of situational use of forces are consistent. In Canada, to avoid any threat to public officers and the public, the National Use of Force Framework was initiated (Butler, 2009). This guides officers to assess the levels of risks and uncertain situations that may harm officers and public members. However, if people are arrested without informing them as police officers did with the public member will fail the situational model. To alter such situations of excessive use of force strategies by the state organizations and policymakers is important (Kiedrowski et al.,.2015). Federal or provincial policing policies can be revised by the Canadian state to avoid any unjust arrest of the members. Based on the interview by the racial profiling officer suggested that excessive use of force is implemented based on racial identities. Therefore, it is important to propose strategies by the state organizations so that excessive use of force by the police officers may be limited. It is studied that the use of force in Canada is not experienced by the police officers; however, based on the video, it can be analyzed that racial profiling exists, and excessive use of force by police officers is imposed. Base on the statistics, 10 percent of physical injuries were caused due to the use of force by the police (Butler, 2009). While preceding the discussion about the video police department did not give any particular reason for arresting the public member, according to the constitution and law, individuals should be informed before their arrest. Police officers have to understand the threatening situations, and they should not use their force excessively as their force may harm individuals. There has to be a standardized criterion and condition to use force by police officers, whereas the public also accepts this use of force.

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