



# Cambridgeshire Police & Crime Commissioner

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*Dear Alex*

*JDH* April 2013

I am writing to you as an officer of the Police and Crime Panel to inform you of four decisions that Sir Graham Bright has recently taken, in his capacity as Police and Crime Commissioner for Cambridgeshire.

## **1. Collaboration Agreements – Section 22A (CPCC 2013-006)**

To approve the signature of three Section 22A Agreements to create three further collaborated units across Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire and Hertfordshire which will undertake the principal functions of an Operational Planning & Support Unit, Dog Unit and Roads Policing Unit on behalf of the three Chief Constable and the three collaborating policing bodies.

The Business Cases for each of these units were previously considered by Cambridgeshire Police Authority which instructed that the work be taken to bring the units about and that signature of the formal Section 22A Agreements be delegated to the Chief Executive prior to the commencement of operations.

This decision therefore simply confirms the previously agreed approach. The Police and Crime Plan confirmed the Commissioner's approach to the Strategic Alliance and the commitment to cover all aspects of protective services.

**2. New Lease of Building (CPCC 2013-007)**

To approve the surrender of an existing lease and relocation under a new lease. Given the sensitive nature of the use of these premises, the relevant decision notice is a restricted document. We look forward to working with you to establish a suitable protocol for handling protectively marked material of this nature in future.

**3. Issuing of the Police and Crime Plan (CPCC 2013-008)**

To issue the Police and Crime Plan following review by the Police and Crime Panel.

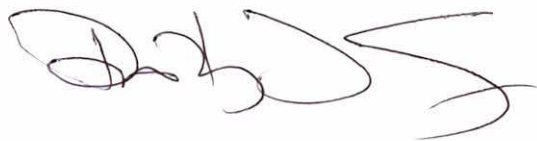
**4. Extension to Chief Constable contract (CPCC 2013 – 009)**

To extend Chief Constable Simon Parr's contract until 31<sup>st</sup> December 2016. Sir Graham asked the Chief Constable to agree to an extension of his original five year contract by 15 months to continue to provide effective leadership to Cambridgeshire Constabulary until December 2016. The extension allows for a six month recruitment period for a new Chief Constable following the next Police and Crime Commissioner elections in December 2016. Further details relating to the costs and benefits of this decision accompany the relevant decision notice.

Please find enclosed the relevant decision making notices. These documents have been published on my website [www.cambridgeshire-pcc.gov.uk](http://www.cambridgeshire-pcc.gov.uk).

I am aware that under Section 28 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011, any decision taken by the Commissioner in exercising his functions can be reviewed or scrutinised by the Police and Crime Panel.

Yours sincerely,



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