

CAMBRIDGESHIRE POLICE AND CRIME PANEL	Agenda Item No. 11
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Report of Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Commissioner

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DECISIONS BY CAMBRIDGESHIRE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER

1. PURPOSE

- 1.1 This report is being presented to the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Panel (“the Panel”) to enable it to review or scrutinise decisions taken by the Police and Crime Commissioner (“the Commissioner”) under Section 28 of The Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 (“the Act”).

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1 The Panel is recommended to indicate whether it would wish to further review and scrutinise the decisions taken by the Commissioner. In these circumstances further information would be provided for a future meeting.
- 2.2 The Panel is asked to note the key decisions to be taken by the Commissioner during the forthcoming period and the context for these decisions.

3. TERMS OF REFERENCE

- 3.1 Item 6 - To review or scrutinise decisions made, or other action taken, by the Commissioner in connection with the discharge of the Commissioner’s functions.

4. BACKGROUND

- 4.1 This report is presented to enable the Panel to carry out its functions as noted in paragraph 3. The Panel is required to review or scrutinise decisions made, it is also required to support the effective exercise of the functions of the Commissioner.

5. KEY ISSUES

- 5.1 The decisions taken by the Commissioner which have been notified to the Panel is attached at Appendix 1.
- 5.2 The relevant decision records are attached at Appendix 2.
- 5.3 If the Panel wishes to scrutinise these decisions, further details can be provided for the next meeting.

6. IMPLICATIONS

- 6.1 Subject to the Panel's need for further information or scrutiny on any of the decisions, it may be required that further information is submitted to a future meeting of the Panel.

7. CONSULTATION

- 7.1 The decisions are in line with the direction set in the Commissioner's Police and Crime Plan. These decision records have been placed on the Commissioner's website.

8. NEXT STEPS

- 8.1 The Panel members may request further information about the decisions detailed in Appendices 1 and 2.

- 8.2 Future decisions taken by the Commissioner will continue to be notified to the Panel. The Act introduced a number of statutory decisions to be taken by the Commissioner. Key decisions to be taken in the near future will include:

- Section 22A Agreements under the Police Act 1996 (as amended) for the collaboration across Bedfordshire Police, Cambridgeshire Constabulary and Hertfordshire Constabulary for :
 - National Ballistics Intelligence Service
 - Criminal Justice
 - Custody
 - Information Management
 - Human Resource and Finance ITC system
- Community Safety and Victims Support Services Grant
- Precept 2016/17
- Police and Crime Plan – Appendix 1 – Finances Update

- 8.3 These decisions will be taken against a challenging financial background, for the Commissioner and Cambridgeshire Constabulary, but also for key partners. All parties are faced with considering how the budget gaps can be bridged to make best use of available resources.

9. BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

- 9.1 Decisions records notified to the Panel.

10. APPENDICES

- 10.1 Appendix 1 - Decision records notified to the Panel.

Appendix 2 - Decision records and background papers

Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Commissioner's Decision Records notified to the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Panel

Date	Decision Record	Decision	Decision Summary
27 th October 2015	CPCC 2015-036	Removal from the capital funding budget for the purchasing of the dog kennel unit	To approve the removal of the commitment from the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Commissioner's capital funding budget for the contribution towards the funding of the dog kennel units.
2 nd November 2015	CPCC 2015-037	S22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996 (as amended) - Civil Nuclear Constabulary	For the Police and Crime Commissioner and Cambridgeshire Constabulary to become a party to the Section 22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996 (as amended) with the Civil Nuclear Constabulary.
26 th November 2015	CPCC 2015-038	Bretton Police Station – surrender of lease	To approve the surrender of the lease at Bretton Police Station, Peterborough, to Peterborough City Council.
26 th November 2015	CPCC 2015-039	Melbourn Police Office – termination of lease	To approve the termination of the lease by serving notice on the Landlord, Melbourn Village College, in accordance with the lease terms.
26 th November 2015	CPCC 2015-040	Developing a Restorative Justice Approach in Cambridgeshire – Extension of Delivery Partnership	To extend the delivery partnership with Restorative Solutions Community Interest Company for a further year (December 2015 – December 2016) to further develop the Restorative Justice Service for victims in Cambridgeshire.
26 th November 2015	CPCC 2015-041	Independent Custody Visiting Association Eastern Region Management Board	Extending the appointment of Hannah Watson, Volunteer Co-ordinator at the Office of the Cambridgeshire Police and Crime Commissioner, to continue to act as the Eastern Region Director on the Independent Custody Visiting Association) Management Board for 2015/16.
27 th November 2015	CPCC 2015-042	S22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996 (as amended) for the collaboration of the Firearms and Explosives Licensing function between Bedfordshire Police, Cambridgeshire Constabulary and Hertfordshire Constabulary	To sign the Section 22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996 (as amended) for Cambridgeshire Constabulary to share the Firearms and Explosive Licensing function with Bedfordshire Police and Hertfordshire Constabulary.

Date	Decision Record	Decision	Decision Summary
27 th November 2015	CPCC 2015-043	S22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996 (as amended) for the collaboration of the Human Resources and Learning and Development function between Bedfordshire Police, Cambridgeshire and Hertfordshire Constabulary.	To sign the Section 22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996 (as amended) for Cambridgeshire Constabulary to share the Human Resources and Learning and Development function with Bedfordshire Police and Hertfordshire Constabulary.
27 th November 2015	CPCC 2015-044	S22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996 (as amended) for the collaboration of the Public Contact function between Bedfordshire Police, Cambridgeshire Constabulary and Hertfordshire Constabulary	To sign the Section 22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996 (as amended) for Cambridgeshire Constabulary to share the Public Contact function with Bedfordshire Police and Hertfordshire Constabulary.
16 th December 2015	CPCC 2015-045	Road Casualty Reduction and Support Fund	To utilise the first tranche of funds from the Road Casualty Reduction and Support Fund.
16 th December 2015	CPCC 2015-046	Nomination of appointment of Chairs for Police Misconduct Hearings	Approve the 17 nominations of appointment for Chairs of Police Misconduct Hearings under The Police (Conduct) Regulations 2012 (as amended) and for Cambridgeshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner to maintain the list of Chairs on behalf of the Eastern Region Police and Crime Commissioners.
16 th December 2015	CPCC 2015-047	Approval of Innovation Fund Bids	The Police and Crime Commissioner approve the Innovation Fund Bids.