



**To: Acting Police & Crime Commissioner**

**From: Howard Thackray, Business Manager**

**Date: 7<sup>th</sup> July 2020**

**Briefing Note – BCH Criminal Justice Section 22**

### **1.0 Purpose**

1.1 To update the Acting Police and Crime Commissioner (the Commissioner) on the existing Criminal Justice Sec 22A agreement .

### **2.0 Recommendation**

2.1 The Acting Police and Crime Commissioner should sign the Decision Notice to approve the amendments to the existing Sec 22 agreement.

### **3.0 Background**

3.1 The existing Sec 22A agreement was last updated in 2017 to reflect the two phased approach to the Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire and Hertfordshire collaboration of Criminal Justice. A report was taken to the Business Coordination Board in June 2017 which reflected the latest phase 2 and dealt with those functions which are directly affected by Athena. Phase 2 was implemented in June -2017. A Decision Notice was signed and published to reflect the amendments.

3.2 The content of the Sec 22 has not changed other than the updated position operationally and reflecting Custody and Senior Management Team/Policy and Performance team being collaborated just between Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire forces.

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<b>Background Paper</b>	<a href="#">17-06-22-BCB-Agenda-Item-12.0-Section-22A-Collaboration-Agreement-for-Criminal-Justice-and-Custody.pdf</a>

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