

## POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER

DATE: 8<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2020

TITLE: DELEGATED DECISIONS

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## **Executive Summary**

The Commissioner will recall that the Scheme of Corporate Governance for the Police and Crime Commissioner and the Constabulary were adopted on the 11 August 2016.

The Police and Crime Commissioner's Scheme of Delegation forms part of the Governance framework and provides officers of the PCC with the authority to deliver the services for which they are responsible.

This report sets out the decisions and actions undertaken or proposed to be undertaken by those officers in accordance with the Scheme of Delegation

## Recommendations

To note the decisions and actions undertaken or proposed to be undertaken by officers of the PCC in accordance with the Scheme of Delegation.

Signature

Police and Crime Commissioner

Date 8 September 2020

## **DECISIONS MADE UNDER DELEGATED AUTHORITY**

1. The Director or senior officer, in accordance with the Director's authority, has approved the following Press Releases under 4.2.8 of the Scheme of delegation:

6 <sup>th</sup> July	Press release regarding announcement on Chief Constables retirement in
	2021
7 <sup>th</sup> July	Press release on the relaunch of the Community Action Fund
8 <sup>th</sup> July	Press release as support for victims of sexual violence expanded
10 <sup>th</sup> July	Press release on fair funding
14 <sup>th</sup> July	Press statement highlighting support available for young people
3 <sup>rd</sup> August	Press release launching survey
18 <sup>th</sup> August	Comment regarding charities covid-19 funding
20 <sup>th</sup> August	Press release on publication of the 2019/20 annual report
21st August	Press release on Community Action Fund project
27 <sup>th</sup> August	Comment regarding drugs seizure
28 <sup>th</sup> August	Press release on SPAR stores partnership to tackle Domestic Abuse
3 <sup>rd</sup> September	Comment on crime statistics around online child abuse
4th September	Comment regarding knife crime campaign

- 2. Under paragraph 4.3.2 of the Scheme of Delegation and in accordance with the Director's authority, the Governance and Policing Lead entered into an agreement with the College of Policing for the use of the College's Products.
- 3. Under paragraph 4.3.2 of the Scheme of Delegation and in accordance with the Director's authority, the Chief Finance Officer entered into a grant agreement with the Secretary of State for Justice for the provision of Covid-19 extraordinary grant funding in relation to local commissioning of domestic abuse and sexual violence victims' support services.
- 4. Under paragraph 4.3.2 of the Scheme of Delegation and in accordance with the Director's authority, the Chief Finance Officer entered into a grant agreement with the Secretary of State for Justice, accepting funds to build upon the existing Violence Reduction Unit.
- 5. Under paragraph 4.3.2 of the Scheme of Delegation and in accordance with the Director's authority, the Chief Finance Officer entered into a grant agreement with the Secretary of State for Justice, accepting grant funding for the provision of local commissioning of victims' support services.
- 6. Under paragraph 4.3.2 of the Scheme of Delegation and in accordance with the Director's authority, the Chief Finance Officer entered into a grant agreement with the Secretary of State for Justice, accepting funds for Covid-19 support for vulnerable children's charities (Violence Reduction Units)

The following matters are not for publication – they contain exempt information as defined in the Freedom of Information Act 2000 – as they contain information which relates to or includes personal interests of the Police and Crime Commissioner or any other person or company.

7. Under paragraph 4.5.4 of the scheme of delegation the Director has agreed to appoint two temporary roles (grade LC 7 – 9) with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> July 2020 and one temporary role (grade LC 5 – 6) with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2020 for the office

- 8. Under paragraph 4.5.6 of the scheme of delegation the Director has agreed to the settlement of costs
- 9. Under paragraph 4.5.5 of the scheme of delegation the Director has authorised the payment of fees to Legally Qualified Chairs in relation to a police misconduct hearings.