



POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER

DATE: 1ST DECEMBER 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

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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:

17 th September	Press release on launch of Chief Constable recruitment process
21 st September	press release regarding Community Action Fund grants
28 th September	Press release promoting modern slavery awareness project
1 st October	Press release on Community Action Fund visit
8 th October	Press release launching the Youth Commission
9 th October	Press release highlighting hate crime campaign
20 th October	Press release on Blackpool Illuminations Domestic Abuse collaboration
21 st October	Press release after Lancashire Victim Service gain prestigious accreditation for sexual violence support
27 th October	comment on DIVERT project
6 th November	Press release marking anniversary of local taskforces
6 th November	comment on potential Pendle briefing base
9 th November	Op Sceptre comment
10 th November	further comment for clarification regarding Accrington Police Station in relation to potential Pendle briefing base
13 th November	Press release regarding annual survey for policing priorities
13 th November	comment on Covid 19 infections in officers
16 th November	Press release on anniversary of drones team and new vehicle
16 th November	comment re: chop shop operation in East Lancashire
17 th November	Press release on start of Safer Streets project in Skelmersdale
18 th November	Press release on funding secured by Commissioner to combat domestic abuse

2. Under paragraph 4.5.4 of the Scheme of Delegation, and in accordance with the Director's authority, the Deputy Director has agreed to change the job titles of two business support staff. They will become Communications and Engagement Support Officer and Governance Support Officer.

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.

3. Under paragraph 4.5.5 of the Scheme of Delegation the Director has approved the payment of expenses claims for Legally Qualified Chairs.
4. Under paragraph 4.3.6 of the Scheme of Delegation the Director has sought legal advice to give effect to decisions of the Commissioner.
5. Under paragraph 4.5.6 of the Scheme of Delegation the Director has agreed to the final settlement of a claim.
6. Under paragraph 4.3.2 of the Scheme of Delegation the Director has signed the North West Legal Consortium Contract.
7. Under paragraph 4.6.2 of the Scheme of Delegation and in accordance with the Director's authority, the Governance and Policing Lead in consultation with the Director has considered 3 complaints against the Chief Constable.