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Cambridgeshire



Police and Crime Commissioner
CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND PETERBOROUGH

To: Business Coordination Board

From: Chief Constable and Chief Executive

Date: 12 April 2018

MODERN SLAVERY POLICE TRANSFORMATION FUND PROGRAMME – SECTION 22A AGREEMENT

1. Purpose

1.1 The purpose of this report is to update the Business Coordination Board (the “Board”) on the collaboration agreement for the Modern Slavery Police Transformation Fund Programme. This enables the police service and other law enforcement agencies to improve their response to modern slavery.

2. Recommendation

2.1 The Board is recommended to note the signing of the Modern Slavery Police Transformation Fund Section 22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996 (as amended).

2.2 The Police and Crime Commissioner (“the Commissioner”) signs the Decision Notice to sign the S22A Agreement to approve the Section 22A Agreement for the collaboration agreement for the Modern Day Slavery Police Transformation Fund.

3. Background

3.1 The Modern Slavery Transformation Programme is a national project funded by a Police Transformation Fund grant made to the PCC for Devon and Cornwall. The purpose of the programme is to enable the Police Service and other law enforcement agencies to develop an improved response to Modern Slavery.

3.2 The programme was developed to address the recommendations to policing made within the independent report to the Home Office on “Modern Slavery Act 2015 review – one year”. The project objectives have subsequently updated so that they also

address the recommendations of the HMICFRS report on the policing response to modern slavery and human trafficking.

3.3 The programme is in its second year of operating and, in order to continue, a Collaboration Agreement under S22A of the Police Act 1996 is required.

4. Section 22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996

4.1 A Section 22A Agreement enables police forces and local policing bodies as defined in the Police Act 1996 (as amended) and other parties to make an agreement about the discharge of functions by officers and staff where it is in the interests of the efficiency or effectiveness of their own and other police force areas.

5. Recommendation

5.1 The Board is recommended to note the signing of the Modern Slavery Police Transformation Fund Section 22A Agreement under the Police Act 1996 (as amended).

5.2 The Police and Crime Commissioner (“the Commissioner”) signs the Decision Notice to sign the S22A Agreement to approve the Section 22A Agreement for the collaboration agreement for the Modern Day Slavery Police Transformation Fund.

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