



To: Business Coordination Board

From: Chief Executive

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THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER'S DECISION MAKING POLICY

1. Purpose

1.1 The purpose of this report is to ask the Business Coordination Board ("the Board") to approve the revised Police and Crime Commissioner's (the Commissioner) Decision Making Policy

2. Recommendation

2.1 The Board is recommended to approve the Decision Making Policy at appendix 1

3. Background

3.1 This Decision Making Policy establishes the approach and principles for decision making by the Commissioner. It outlines the decision making process together with providing information on how decisions will be recorded and published. The policy has been converged across Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire and Hertfordshire Office of Police and Crime Commissioners and constabulary's.

4. Decision Making Framework

4.1 Decisions taken by the Commissioner arise from his statutory duties; the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011, the Elected Local Policing Bodies (Specified Information) Order 2011 and the Elected Local Policing Bodies (Specified Information) (Amendment) Order 2012 and the Financial Management Code of Practice for the Police Service. The Commissioner is required to record and publish those decisions.

4.2 The Commissioner is committed to a robust decision making process and will adopt rigorous standards of probity, regularity and transparency in his decision making and all decisions will be taken in the public interest.

5. Recommendation

5.1 The Board is recommended to approve the Decision Making Policy at appendix 1

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Source Document(s)	
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