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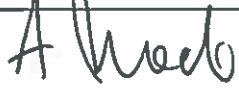
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| DECISION: 2018/02 | DATE: 17 APRIL 2018 |
| TITLE: SECTION 22A COLLABORATION AGREEMENT IN RELATION TO THE MODERN SLAVERY POLICE TRANSFORMATION FUND. | |
| REPORT BY: IAN DICKINSON | |

Executive Summary

The Police & Crime Commissioner and Chief Constable are asked to sign a Section 22A Collaboration Agreement in relation to the Modern Slavery Police Transformation Fund. The purpose of the agreement is to create a national team led by a Lead Force which shall be responsible for supporting the NPCC Modern Slavery Lead to improve the police response across England and Wales to Modern Slavery. The agreement is made pursuant to Section 22A of the Police Act 1996 (as amended) and is made between the Chief Constables and Police and Crime Commissioners of the forces named therein.

Recommendation

The Police and Crime Commissioner and Chief Constable are recommended to sign the Section 22 Collaboration Agreement in relation to the Modern Slavery Police Transformation Fund.

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| Signature  | Signature  |
| Police and Crime Commissioner | Chief Constable |
| Date 17th April 2018 | Date 17/4/18 |

PART I

1. Background and Advice

The key objectives of the S22A agreement are to set up and define the functions and responsibilities of a national team to be set up to assist in delivering national work in tackling Modern Slavery. The team has its own designated budget with freedom to operate within the boundaries of the Agreement. The team is led by a host force. The S22A agreement describes the governance of the team, accountability and direction and control arrangements, funding arrangements and matters relating to assets.

2. Links to the Police and Crime Plan

The S.22 agreement will improve the policing response across England and Wales to Modern Slavery by providing a more consistent, coordinated and informed response to reduce vulnerability, threat and risk.

3. Consultations

The agreement has been subject to extensive consultation between Chief Constables and Police and Crime Commissioners and to legal review.

4. Implications:

a. Legal

None

b. Financial

There are no financial implications for the PCC arising from this decision

c. Equality Impact Assessment

None

d. Data Protection Impact Assessment

None

5 Risk Management


6. Background Papers

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7. Public access to information

Chief Executive Officer (Monitoring Officer)

I have been informed about the proposal and confirm that financial, legal and equalities advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner for Lancashire.

Signature..........Date.....17.4.18.....