



REPORT TO: JOINT AUDIT & ETHICS COMMITTEE
DATE: 11 September 2017

SUBJECT: OPCC – Appointment of external auditors 2018/19
Appendix A refers

1 Issue for Consideration

The appointment of the Commissioner and Chief Constable's external auditors for 5 years commencing April 2018.

2 Recommendation

The committee is asked to note the report.

3 Information

The PCC and Chief Constable signed up to the national, sector led, procurement of external audit services led by Public Sector Audit Appointments (PSAA) Ltd for a 5 year period commencing April 2018.

PSAA have conducted the procurement exercise and recommended Grant Thornton as the external audit company for the Commissioner and the Chief Constable for this period (proposal attached at Appendix A).

The Commissioner and Chief Constable have duly agreed to this proposal.

4 Implications

Financial:	Costs contained within the existing revenue budget
Legal:	
Equality Impact Assessment:	
Risks and Impact:	
Link to Police and Crime Plan:	Provide the public with confidence in the performance of his duties by the Commissioner and his office

Background Papers

None

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