

<b>Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent Decision</b>	
<b>PCCG-2013-122</b>	<b>Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent Decision Session</b>
<b>Subject</b>	<b>Strategic Policing Requirement (SPR)</b>
<b>Summary</b>	<b>To confirm that the Commissioner has considered the SPR requirements and monitored current position in preparation for budget and strategic planning considerations for 2014/15.</b>

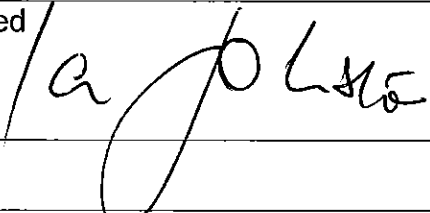
## **DECISION**

1. On 14<sup>th</sup> February I received a more detailed briefing regarding the outcome of that assessment. I am aware of the areas of compliance and those areas identified for further development. I am aware of the links between local, regional and national and how these have been considered in developing the draft police and crime plan. Following that briefing I issued a decision log reflecting my position on consideration of the SPR.
2. I have received a copy of the force highlight report relating to the gaps and the actions that have been taken since February.
3. The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) has also received a detailed presentation on the current position of preparedness from the Force (14<sup>th</sup> October). The OPCC has also had the benefit of the hot de brief following a recent HMIC inspection of SPR which was very positive and provides me with assurance. In broad terms I am satisfied that Gwent Police are compliant with the requirements of the SPR and that in those areas where there are known gaps these are either under development or being risk managed. The Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner also sits on the force SPR governance group.
4. I have agreed that the force will monitor compliance with the SPR and any revisions to it on a quarterly basis via the SPR governance group chaired by ACC Bottomley and I will be briefed six monthly. There will also be an annual review to link revisions to the Police and Crime plan.

**Ian Johnston QPM, Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent**

My decision is as I have recorded in this paper

Signed



Date 12/11/13

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**Background papers**

Highlight report July 2013