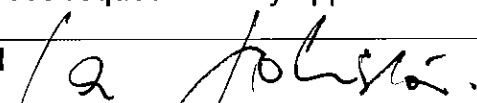


<b>Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent Decision</b>	
PCCG-2015-071	Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent Decision
Subject	Collaborative Police Procurement Strategy 2015-2020
Summary	To record the decision of the Police and Crime Commissioner regarding the adoption of the Procurement Collaboration Strategy.

## DECISION

1. An effective procurement function is essential to demonstrate value for money for the public purse and maximise use of resources available to frontline policing. The climate of ever reducing resources demands a strategic and medium term perspective on procurement with standardisation, aggregation, commitment and collaboration as key enablers in driving out greater value from goods and services consumed in the delivery of policing services.
2. I, together with my fellow Commissioners in Dyfed Powys and South Wales, have therefore come together to agree a collaborative approach to procurement activity across the Southern Forces in Wales.
3. The attached Procurement Strategy will ensure that procurement activities are aligned to the corporate objectives of the three Southern Wales forces and support the delivery of the objectives of the Police and Crime Commissioners in Gwent, Dyfed Powys and South Wales.
4. I therefore support and endorse the attached Collaborative Police Procurement Strategy 2015-2020.

<b>Ian Johnston QPM, Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent</b>	
I confirm I have considered whether or not I have any personal or prejudicial interest in this matter and take the proposed decision in compliance with my code of conduct. Any such interests are recorded below.	
The above request has my approval.	
Signed	Date
	18.11.15.



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