

# Subject: Action Taken Under Delegated Authority

Report to: Police and Crime Committee

Report of: Executive Director of Secretariat

Date: 23 February 2017

This report will be considered in public

## 1. Summary

- 1.1 This report outlines recent actions taken by the Chairman of the Police and Crime Committee in accordance with the delegated authority to take decisions granted to them by the Police and Crime Committee at its meeting on 26 January 2017.

## 2. Recommendation

- 2.1 **That the Committee notes the recent action taken by the Chairman of the Police and Crime Committee, Steve O'Connell AM, under delegated authority, following consultation with the party Group Lead Members and Caroline Pidgeon MBE AM, namely to write to the Government to urge that the National, International and Capital City (NICC) grant allocated to the Metropolitan Police Service and the review of the way funding is allocated to the police properly reflects the responsibilities that the Metropolitan Police Service has to keep London safe.**

## 3. Background

- 3.1 At its meeting on 26 January 2017, the Committee agreed to delegate authority to the Chairman, in consultation with the party Group Lead Members and Caroline Pidgeon MBE AM, to write to the Government to urge that the National, International and Capital City (NICC) grant allocated to the Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) and the review of the way funding is allocated to the police properly reflects the responsibilities that the Metropolitan Police has to keep London safe.

#### **4. Issues for Consideration**

- 4.1 The Committee is recommended to note the action taken by the Chairman under delegated authority, following consultation with the party Group Lead Members and Caroline Pidgeon MBE AM, namely to write to Brandon Lewis MP, Minister of State for Policing and the Fire Service, regarding the NICC grant allocated to the MPS.
- 4.2 The letter sent to the Minister of State for Policing and the Fire Services is attached at **Appendix 1**.

#### **5. Legal Implications**

- 5.1 The Committee has the power to do what is recommended in the report.

#### **6. Financial Implications**

- 6.1 There are no financial implications arising from this report.

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#### **List of appendices to this report:**

Appendix 1 – Letter sent to the Minister of State for Policing and the Fire Services.

<b>Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985</b>
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