Budget Related Motion – 20 February 2017

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This Assembly recognises the unique set of challenges faced by the Metropolitan Police Service when maintaining safety in a city of international importance.

The Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police Service has expressed concern that a shortfall in the National, International and Capital City Grant, along with changes to the police funding formula, could undermine public safety in the capital.

This Assembly shares these concerns. It calls on the Mayor and Commissioner to continue to seek a fair deal from the Government so that London receives the funding its needs to keep its residents and visitors safe.