



Susan Hall AM
Chairman of the Police and Crime Committee

Michael Lockwood
Director General
Independent Office for Police Complaints

(Sent by email)

15 March 2022

Dear Michael,

I trust you and your family are well.

I am writing to you on behalf of the London Assembly's Police and Crime Committee to urge you to act swiftly in investigating any possible issues of conduct in relation to Dame Cressida Dick, the Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police, following the publication of the Report of the Daniel Morgan Independent Panel (DMIP).

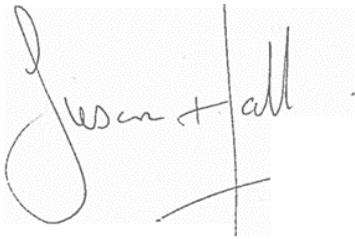
As you will be aware, following the publication of the DMIP Report in 2021, the Committee held two meetings to explore the report's findings and recommendations. At the Committee's meeting on 22 July 2021, the Commissioner told us that she was unable to answer questions on her relationship with the DMIP, as that material was being assessed by MOPAC and your office. The Deputy Mayor for Policing and Crime, Sophie Linden, also stated that it would have been inappropriate for the Commissioner to answer questions at that stage because of those assessments.

The issues contained in the DMIP Report raise serious questions about the conduct of the Commissioner. However, at the time of the report's publication, the Committee chose not to write to you about these concerns, as it learned that MOPAC was considering referring the Commissioner to your office.

The Committee now understands that MOPAC concluded that the actions of the Commissioner do not meet the threshold for referral to your office. The Committee requests that your office concludes its investigation as a matter of urgency.

We would be grateful if you could provide a response to this letter by Tuesday 12 April 2022. Please copy your response to Janette Roker and Philippa Goffe, the Committee's Senior Policy Advisers (janette.roker@london.gov.uk) (philippa.goffe@london.gov.uk).

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Susan Hall". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'S' and a vertical line through the 'H'.

Susan Hall AM
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