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Dear Mr O'Connell

Re: Respecting others: tackling antisocial behaviour in London

We are grateful for the opportunity to review and respond to the London Assembly Police and Crime Committee report, Respecting others: tackling antisocial behaviour in London. We welcome the report's findings that acknowledge the excellent work already taking place and the recommendations that promote effective collaboration among partners.

The Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) welcomes Recommendation 5, which advises that the MPS should evaluate the benefits of rolling out Antisocial Behaviour Warning Notices in all London boroughs following the report's favourable comments on the London Borough of Tower Hamlets Antisocial Behaviour Warning Notice scheme. The Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) Data Insight Team has been commissioned to review the scheme to assess how the process mitigates ASB related risk. We are now in a position to test, in detail, the impact of implementing the scheme across the MPS. The scheme will be further piloted in the Central North Area, led by Superintendent Nick Davies, to evaluate the impact in a different demographic and structural context. The ASB warning scheme is a process of partnership and, if this is not managed effectively, it may have an adverse impact.

We further welcome the wider recommendations to MOPAC and partners regarding an ASB performance framework, information sharing, dissemination of best practice, and use of

Community Remedy and Community Trigger. As the MPS move to the BCU model across London we will be developing and strengthening the MPS Neighbourhood Board leadership structure and appointing Lead Responsible Officers (LROs) to contribute to the development of these areas. As the senior officer responsible for neighbourhood policing I will lead this engagement and look forward to working with partners to take this work forward.

Yours sincerely

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