



Nottinghamshire

**POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER**

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**PART ONE**

**EXECUTIVE DECISION MAKING REPORT**

**NOTTINGHAMSHIRE OFFICE OF THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER**

**TITLE OF SCHEME OR SERVICE**  
Appointment of Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner

**CLEARED BY** Kevin Dennis

**DECISION:**  
To appoint a Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**  
Domestic Abuse and preventing violence against women and girls are key priorities along side ensuring that victims of crime are treated as people and not as cases. A Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner with vast experience in these areas will help deliver this priority and assist the Commissioner with delivering the wider responsibilities.

**Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner**  
The above request has my approval.

**Signature:**  **Date:** 16/1/13

**1. How does the proposal address the Police and Crime Plan priorities?**

The Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner will support the Police and Crime Commissioner to deliver the policing and crime plan priorities.

**2. What local needs are you expecting to meet?**

Delivery of local priorities in particular Domestic Abuse and preventing violence against women and girls.

**3. What outcomes are expected to be achieved?**

Improved outcomes for the following areas:

- Violence against women and girls
- Community Engagement and Volunteering
- Public Protection and Safeguarding

**4. What consultations have taken place with those affected by the proposal?  
What did they say?**

The Police and Crime Panel were consulted.

**5. Have you considered all reasonable courses of action and options?**

Part 1, Chapter 3 Section 18 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 states that the Police and Crime Commissioner may appoint a person as the deputy police and crime commissioner.

**6. What will be the impact be on performance and risk?**

The appointment will support the continued improvement of performance and risk.

**7. What are the resource implications and will the proposal achieve greater efficiency and value for money?**

The salary will be £36,000 per annum.

**8. Provide any supplementary information to support your proposal**

I have appointed Chris Cutland as the Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner for Nottinghamshire.

I have set out below Chris' professional experience for her new role:

- She has received public recognition for her work last year. She was one of a 100 women of substance in Nottingham City and runner up for the enterprise women of the year awarded by Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire Chamber of Commerce.
- Chief Executive of Women's Aid Integrated Services for over seven years. This involved the management of a large service and budgets.
- Previous working of working with senior elected officials, including MPs and other key decision makers
- Long history of partnership working with Nottinghamshire Police for over 20 years.

The Police and Crime Panel unanimously supported the appointment of Chris Cutland as the Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner.

**9. Public Access to Information**

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Is the publication of this approval to be deferred? No

**10. Any Further Action Required:**

None.

**ORIGINATING OFFICER'S NAME AND CONTACT DETAILS**

Kevin Dennis, 101 Ext 2002

## PART TWO EXECUTIVE DECISION MAKING REPORT

<b>Specialist Advice Consultation</b> Y/N <i>To be completed for all Nottinghamshire Police proposals. If consultation has not taken place you need to say why.</i>		<b>Date Consulted</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Chief Officer (ACPO)</b>	No		
<b>Head of Legal Services</b>	No		
<b>Assistant Chief Officer Resources :</b>	No		
<b>Departmental Head</b>	No		
<b>Other (Chief Finance Officer (OPCC), Head of ICT or Estates. Divisional Commander) Optional as appropriate.</b>	Yes	November 12	The Chief Finance Officer has accounted for the Deputy Police and Crime Commissioner's post within the budget.

### Officer Approval (Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner)

#### Chief Executive

I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that the appropriate financial and legal advice have been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner.

**Signature:** 

**Date:** 11/1/13

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