

**Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner**  
**Notice of Decision**



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<b>For Decision or Information</b>	Decision
<b>Date received*:</b>	16 March 2015
<b>Ref*:</b>	2015.15

\*to be inserted by Office of PCC

**TITLE:** Atlas Upgrade

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

Authority is sought to spend £137,500 (excluding VAT) from the equipment reserve in East Midlands Special Operations Unit (EMSOU) to keep the ATLAS platform operating effectively (upgrade to keep up with developments in mobile telephony).

This expenditure on the ATLAS platform will ensure EMSOU remains effective in some of our most sensitive (and highly regulated) covert activities. Every deployment of ATLAS by EMSOU in Nottinghamshire requires the Chief Constable's authority.

DCC Goodman has confirmed that this is budgeted for and appears within the capital plan for EMSOU.

Nottinghamshire frequently depends on the use of ATLAS by EMSOU in operations.

CC Eyre strongly supports the maintenance of our ATLAS platform and asks that the Commissioner approves the expenditure as requested.

**INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF DECISION: (e.g report or business case)**

There is no additional information in respect of this decision.

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION** (please include if is it capital or revenue or both. What the split is and the totals being requested. Is this a virement/ something already budgeted for or something that requires additional funding. Are there any savings that can be offered up/or achieved)

It has been confirmed that the requested £137,500 is budgeted for and appears within the capital plan for EMSOU.

Signature:

**Chief Finance Officer**

Date: 25-03-2015.

**Is any of the supporting information classified as non-public or confidential information\*\*?**

Yes

No

If yes, please state under which category number from the guidance\*\*

**DECISION:** That the Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner approves the request for EMSOU to spend £137,500 from their capital plan as detailed above.

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**OFFICER APPROVAL**

I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that the appropriate advice has 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:

**Chief Executive**

*Kar Dennis*

Date:

*31.3.15*

**DECLARATION:**

I confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interests in this decision and I take the decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct for the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner. Any interests are indicated below:

The above request has my approval.

Signature:

**Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner**

*Chris Cuthbert*

Date:

*31.3.15*

\*\* See guidance on non public information