

Police Scotland - Local Policing Plan 2023-26 – Performance for Year 1, Quarter 4 noted – Requests to Police Scotland.

6 There was submitted and noted a report by Chief Superintendent Lynn Ratcliffe, Police Scotland, providing an overview of the current performance of Police Scotland during the Q4 period from 1st January to 31st March 2024, advising

- (1) of the continued drive forward with their Public Health Approach to policing that involved working closely with partners to support vulnerable members of the community;
- (2) of some of the work being undertaken in relation to crime, community wellbeing, events, operations and serious and organised crime; and
- (3) of a detailed breakdown of the complaints against police, as detailed in Appendix 1 of the report.

After consideration, the Partnership

- (a) noted the report; and
- (b) requested that Chief Superintendent Lynn Ratcliffe provide
 - (i) an evaluation of the process undertaken to differentiate between hate crime incidents or crime;
 - (ii) clarity about identifying Police Officers as opposed to those who are posing or impersonating Police Officers in order to commit a crime/fraud; and
 - (iii) the detection rate for hate crimes.