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Dear Commissioner

Re: Police and Crime Commissioner's Annual Report 2023-24

On behalf of the Lincolnshire Police and Crime Panel I would like to thank you and your officers for attending the Lincolnshire Police and Crime Panel Meeting on 20 September 2024 to present and discuss your Annual Report for 2023-24.

As required by section 28 (4) of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 I write to report on the Panel's suggested considerations on the Annual Report. Please note a copy of this letter will be published on the Panel's website.

The Panel undertook a thorough, robust and supporting review of your Annual Report with a view to ensuring that the ambitions of your Police and Crime Plan are being delivered. During the course of the meeting the Panel asked you questions and sought assurance in relation to:

- Public Reassurance Meetings
- Abandoned 101 calls
- Data contained in the Police Effectiveness, Efficiency, and Legitimacy (PEEL) report
- Homicide rates
- Safe spaces for female victims of abuse

During the discussion, the Panel made the raised the following points for consideration, prior to publication of the Annual Report:

- With regards to the decision to end its contract with the provide provider G4S, the Panel suggested that additional wording could be added to highlight that the decision was positive and that it provided opportunities to improve service delivery and increase accountability within the force.
- Similarly, with regards to the latest gradings within the PEEL report on Lincolnshire Police for the Year 2021/22, it was suggested that whilst acknowledging the funding gap, reference could be made to the planned improvements within Lincolnshire Police, highlighting the Force's intention be rated as a good or outstanding.

Yours sincerely,

Chris Cook
Chairman – Lincolnshire Police and Crime Panel