

## Strategic Governance Board Meeting Date – 22/03/2022

## Those in Attendance:

- Police and Crime Commissioner Giles Orpen-Smellie
- Chief Constable Paul Sanford
- Chief Finance Officer Jill Penn
- Temporary Deputy Chief Constable Simon Megicks
- Assistant Chief Officer Peter Jasper
- Director of Performance and Scrutiny Sharon Lister
- Performance and Scrutiny Manager James Stone
- Superintendent Malc Cooke
- Inspector Jo Walmsley
- Communications Manager Helen Johns
- Corporate News Manager Nicola Atter
- Business Support Officer Jordan Mann

## Apologies:

- Chief Executive Mark Stokes
- Assistant Chief Constable Nick Davison
- Director of Policy, Commissioning and Communications – Gavin Thompson
- Temporary Assistant Chief Constable – Eamonn Bridger

<u>Action/Decision</u> <u>Title</u>	Description of Action/Decision	Result of Action/Decision
Violence Against Women and Girls (VAWG) Strategy	The Chief Constable asked to see the draft VAWG Strategy. The first draft is due in the next few weeks, then the Director of Policy, Commissioning and Communications to send this to the Chief Constable.	Director of Policy, Commissioning and Communications sent the document through to the Constabulary. Action closed.
Criminal Justice Timeframes	The PCC requested the timeframe between a crime occurring and a judge determining verdict. Chief Constable to send a timeline to the PCC along with comparator data from 2017.	There was an average of 583 days between Rape and Serious Sexual Offences being committed and final decision in court. The PCC will take forward a paper as chair of the Local Criminal Justice Board. Action closed.
Mental Health in Policing	The PCC to draft a letter covering the impact of Mental Health Assessments on Policing to share with the Chief Constable and Inspector Jo Walmsley.	(New action – update to be provided at the next meeting).

	Inspector Jo Walmsley to join the Mental Health Working Group.	
Custody Support from Independent Custody Visitors	The Independent Custody Visitor (ICV) Scheme Manager and Temporary Superintendent Louis Provart to discuss opportunities for ICVs to quality assure that custody procedures comply with legislative requirements and officers consistently implement these.	(New action – update to be provided at the next meeting).