OFFICE OF THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER FOR HUMBERSIDE DECISION RECORD

Decision Record Number: 4/2013

Title: Disclosure & Barring Service – External Funding 2013/14

Executive Summary:

Each year the national Disclosure and Barring Service (previously known as the Criminal Records Bureau) fund a number of posts within Humberside Police (as they do in all other police forces in England and Wales) to undertake criminal records checks and associated disclosure tasks on their behalf. The Disclosure and Barring Service provide funding to every police force as the completion of this work is a national requirement and not discretionary.

Staff employed to undertake these tasks form part of the Criminal Records Bureau, which is soon to be relocated to Priory Road Police Station. In addition to posts funded by the Disclosure and Barring Service, Humberside Police also funds three posts to undertake specific tasks on behalf of the Force.

For 2013/14 the Disclosure and Barring Service have agreed to fund 16.24 wte posts and associated non-pay costs via a grant totalling £440,688. In return for this funding, the Force is required to achieve a specified performance level by completing 24,213 vetting checks on behalf of the Disclosure and Barring Service.

Under the Statement of Corporate Governance for the Office of Police and Crime Commissioner for Humberside and Humberside Police, approval from the PCC is required for the acceptance of external funding in excess of £100,000.

Recommendation(s):

That Mr Grove supports and approves acceptance of the identified grant from the Disclosure and Barring Service.

Police and Crime Commissioner for Humberside

I confirm I have considered whether or not I have any personal or prejudicial interest in this matter and take the proposed decision in compliance with my code of conduct. Any such interests are recorded below.

The above request has my approval.

Signature Matthew Cover Date 8/2/2013