



Friday 7th February 2020

Item 11

Wakefield Town Hall

Complaints Received by the Panel

1. Summary

- 1.1 Through the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011, the West Yorkshire Police and Crime Panel has a duty to record and consider non-criminal complaints made against the Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) for West Yorkshire and his Deputy.
- 1.2 The Panel has one ongoing complaint against the Commissioner which was recorded after the last meeting of the Panel took place on 20 December 2019. The table below provides an update on the complaint.

Substance of Complaint	Status
1. That the Police and Crime Commissioner did not remain impartial when speaking in public regarding advising members of the public on how to vote during the recent General Election.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Complaint formally agreed with the complainant on 23 December 2019.• Complaints Sub-Panel met to consider the complaint on 17 January 2020.• The Complaints Sub-Panel have requested further information from both the complainant and the OPCC.• The Complaints Sub-Panel have requested that further information be supplied by 31 January 2020• The Complaints Sub-Panel will meet again on 7 February 2020 to review the additional information.

2. Recommendation

- 2.1 That members note the contents of the report.