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Clare Elliott West Yorkshire Police and Crime Panel Room 20 Town Hall Wakefield WF1 2HQ

Dear Clare

REPORT OF THE WEST YORKSHIRE POLICE AND CRIME PANEL CONFIRMATION HEARING FOR THE ROLE OF CHIEF CONSTABLE

I acknowledge receipt of the Panel's report from the Confirmation Hearing held on 8 February 2013.

I welcome the Panel's endorsement of my recommendation to appoint Mark Gilmore as Chief Constable of West Yorkshire Police and confirm that Mark will be taking up his appointment on 1 April 2013.

Please pass on my thanks to the panel for approaching the process in such a positive and prompt manner.

Yours sincerely

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