



Item 7

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Wakefield Town Hall

PCP's Scrutiny Review of PCC Commissioned
Services for Victims and Witnesses

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1. Summary

- 1.1 The Police and Crime Panel initiated its first piece of proactive scrutiny in October 2015, which focused on commissioned services for victims and witnesses in Calderdale and Bradford. The review team consisted of the Panel's two independent Members, Mrs Jo Sykes and Mr Roger Grasby, with support from the Police and Crime Panel Officers.
- 1.2 Over the summer, the review team sought feedback from the PCC, the OPCC and Panel Members on the draft report. As a result, the review team adopted most of the proposed changes, providing a full explanation on areas where proposed changes were not adopted.
- 1.3 A copy of the final report is included as **Appendix A**.
- 1.4 The final report will also be circulated to key stakeholders including; West Yorkshire Police, Bradford and Calderdale CSP Chairs, Bradford and Calderdale Overview and Scrutiny Panel Chairs, relevant Cabinet Members and the Local Government Association.
- 1.5 As part of our engagement with partners, Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Chairs have been invited to attend the Panel meeting on 9 September.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 That Members discuss the final report with the PCC, with particular reference to the recommendations in the report.
- 2.2 That Members agree the next area of proactive scrutiny with the PCC and form a review team to progress this work.
- 2.3 That the final report and the next area of proactive scrutiny is discussed with Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Chairs at Item 12.