**SUMMARY DECISION SHEET**

**Purpose:** Commissioner Decision – Ref. DLl 189

**Timing: Pressing**

**Title: Extension of Goleudy contract (both crime and ASB) Term 3**

**Category of Decision / Business Area Impact: Commissioning**

**Executive Summary:**

In April 2017, the Police and Crime Commissioner brought the victim referral service in house, awarding a contract to Dyfed Powys Police for provision of the service (decision log DLl013). This contract ran for a 3 year initial period, with 2 options to extend for a further 12 months each. This service has since been enhanced with the additional provision of services for the support, referral and reduction of antisocial behaviour.

The PCC called upon the first extension period for the victim referral service, bringing the end date in line with the associated contract for antisocial behaviour support (decision log DLl131). This originally allowed for the service to victims to be safeguarded into the new PCC term commencing in May 2020. Due to the impact of the Covid 19 pandemic, the PCC elections have been postponed and the new PCC term will now commence in May 2021. It is therefore proposed to call upon the second extension period taking the end date to 31st March 2022. It is also proposed to utilise the first extension period of the aligned ASB contract with Goleudy to ensure continuity of service to all victims and crime and ASB. Both contract end dates will therefore be revised to 31st March 2022.

A recent independent review into Goleudy victim service, along with a Dyfed Powys Police Victim Implementation Project have resulted in a number of recommendations that are at various stages of implementation. This action plan addresses the key concerns and requirements that were outlined as a condition of the previous extension period. This includes the issue of victim consent and the provision of robust performance management information. Oversight of the action plan for these will sit with the joint Dyfed Powys Police and LCJB Victim and Witness Board.

At the commencement of Term 3, the PCC will be provided with an options paper for the continuation of these services longer term.

**Recommendation:**

That the PCC approves the call off for an additional period of 12 months for the Goleudy crime and ASB contracts, taking the end dates to 31/3/2022.

**Police and Crime Commissioner for Dyfed-Powys**

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 the Nolan Principles for Conduct in Public Life.

The above request has my approval.

**Signature:**  **Date: 7/12/2020**