

PCC DECISION REF 2025/004

Decision Title: Appointment of an OPCC Chief Executive

Decision summary:

An appointment process is to be held to recruit a permanent Chief Executive and Monitoring Officer.

Background or reference to supporting papers:

Schedule 1, paragraph 6, of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 (PR&SRA) states that "the Police & Crime Commissioner (PCC) must appoint a person to be the head of the commissioner's staff (referred to in this Part as the commissioner's chief executive)".

The appointment term will be permanent.

An appointment panel has been convened to support the shortlisting and selection processes.

Appointments to the OPCC in common with other public appointments are required to adhere to the Nolan Principles for Standards in Public Service which are: selflessness, integrity, objectivity, openness, accountability, honesty and leadership. The appointment must be made on merit, fairness and openness.

The appointment will be subject to a confirmation hearing with the Police & Crime Panel.

Avon and Somerset Police & Crime Commissioner

I confirm I have considered whether or not I have any declarations of disclosable interest in this matter. Any such interests are disclosed.

The above request has my approval.

Date 28/08/25

Police & Crime Commissioner for Avon & Somerset

CFO Signatures		Date 01/09/25
(OCC CFO required if decision requested or presented for approval by		
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Other relevant lead officer as required		Date 01/09/25
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