

NORTHERN IRELAND POLICING BOARD

COMMUNITY AND HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE

14 JUNE 2006 AT 2:00 PM

WATERSIDE TOWER

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES

2. PRESENTATION – 2006 HUMAN RIGHTS ANNUAL REPORT

The Boards Human Rights Advisors to present the annual report

3. MINUTES OF THE COMMUNITY AND HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 17 MAY

The Committee is asked to agree the minutes of the meeting held on 17 May 2006.

4. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES OF THE COMMUNITY AND HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 17 MAY

4.1 Presentation – OPONI Quarterly Statistics. (Item 2 of Minutes refers)

4.2 First Day Brief (Item 4.1 of Minutes refers)

4.3 Release of District Commanders Reports to the Community. (Item 4.2 of Minutes refers)

4.4 Publicising Boards Human Rights Work. (Item 6.2 of Minutes refers)

4.5 Police Officers on Suspension (Item 6.3 of Minutes refers)

4.6 Registration of Notifiable Membership (Item 6.4 of Minutes refers)

4.7 AEPs and Children and Young People (Item 6.5 of Minutes refers)

4.8 Quarterly Statistics on the Use of CS Incapacitant Spray (Item 2 of Minutes refers)

4.9 Police Identification in Northern Ireland (Item 9 of Minutes refers)

- 4.10 Monitoring Sectarian, Racist and Holding Centre Complaints** (Item 2 of Minutes refers)
- 4.11 Public Consultation – Draft Police and Criminal (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006 and Associated Codes of Practice** (Item 2 of Minutes refers)
- 4.12 Update on Recommendations in North Belfast Research Project.** (Item 15.2 of Minutes refers)
- 4.13 Programme for a Strategic Planning Event** (Item 19 of Minutes refers)
- 4.14 Correspondence from NIO – Message in a Bottle Scheme** (Item 2 of Minutes refers)
- 4.15 Board Members Support for DPPs** (Item 22 of Minutes refers)
- 4.16 Honorarium to the Chief Executive of a District Council For Work in Setting up the DPP** (Item 2 of Minutes refers)
- 4.17 PSNI Outreach Programme in Schools** (Item 2 of Minutes refers)
- 4.18 Consultation on Parades Commission Review of its Statutory Documents** (Item 2 of Minutes refers)
- 4.19 Report into the Circumstances Surrounding the Death of Alice McLoughlin at Portadown on 6 July 1991**(Item 2 of Minutes refers)

5. CHAIRMAN'S BUSINESS

The Chairman will advise the Committee on meetings etc which he has attended in his role as Chairman of the Committee.

6. LEAD MEMBERS

7. CONSIDERATION OF THE REMOVAL FROM OFFICE OF A DPP MEMBER

Members are asked to decide whether Councillor McAllister's case should be subject to further consideration by the Policing Board under the terms of the Board's policy on the removal of a DPP Member from office.

8. ACCEPTABILITY OF DPP MEMBERS ATTENDANCE – BELFAST DPP

Members are requested to consider above proposal to amend existing policy and either confirm agreement to it or, if considered inappropriate, stipulate what level of absence in Belfast they consider should trigger referral to the Board.

9. REPORT ON THE WORK OF COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SUB GROUP

Members are asked to note the information provided.

10. BID TO THE INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR IRELAND (IFI) FOR FUNDING TO SUPPORT ADDITIONAL TRAINING FOR THE DPPs

Members are asked to note the information provided

11. NIO CONSULTATION ON DRAFT CODE OF PRACTICE FOR THE DETENTION, TREATMENT AND QUESTIONING OF PERSONS ARRESTED UNDER SECTION 41 AND SCHEDULE 8 OF THE TERRORISM ACT 2000

The Committee is asked to resolve to accept the proposed response

12. REVIEW AND EVALUATION OF THE INDEPENDENT COMMUNITY OBSERVER SCHEME

The Committee is asked to resolve to approve the implementation of the eight recommendations.

13. RECRUITMENT OF CUSTODY VISITORS AND INDEPENDENT COMMUNITY OBSERVERS

The Committee is asked to resolve to accept the recommendations

14. UPDATE ON THE IMPLEMENTATION ON PATTEN 64

The Committee is asked to resolve to accept the recommendation

15. CUSTODY VISITORS TEAM STRUCTURE

Paper to be tabled on the day

16. CUSTODY VISITOR STATISTICS (APRIL 2006)

Members are asked to note the information provided.

17. RESEARCH INTO THE VIEWS AND EXPERIENCES OF PEOPLE INVOLVED IN NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH SCHEMES IN NORTHERN IRELAND.

Members are asked to consider the research specification and recommend to the Board that it approves the research to be conducted

18. COST OF DRINK-RELATED CRIME TO POLICING

Members are asked to discuss the issues detailed in the paper and advise whether, and if so, how, they would like to progress the issue.

19. NORTHERN IRELAND HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION EVALUATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN POLICE TRAINING – REPORT FIVE – TUTOR CONSTABLES SCHEME

Members are asked to note the information provided. Members may request an update from PSNI as to how they plan to consider these recommendations.

20. PSNI OFFICERS ON SUSPENSION

Members are asked to note the information provided.

21. QUARTERLY STATISTICS ON THE USE OF CS INCAPACITANT SPRAY

Members are asked to note the information provided

22. QUARTERLY PACE 1/TA STOP SEARCH RETURNS

Members are asked to note the information provided

23. QUESTIONS FOR THE CHIEF CONSTABLE

The Committee is asked to consider whether there are any questions arising out of this meeting, which they might wish to raise with the Chief Constable at the next Board meeting.

24. PRESS ISSUES

The Committee is asked to consider if there are any items arising from the meeting that should be included in a press release.

25. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The Committee is asked to consider whether there are any other issues they wish to raise.

26. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Members are asked to agree the date of the next meeting – Thursday 10 August
10:00am

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