

**DYFED-POWYS POLICE AND CRIME PANEL**  
**19<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2021**

**APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY CHIEF CONSTABLE**

**Recommendations / key decisions required:**

1. To note the appointment of Deputy Chief Constable Claire Parmenter as Temporary Chief Constable and welcome her to the role
2. To thank the departing Chief Constable Mark Collins for his work

**Reasons:**

1. Mr. Collins has announced we will retire in 2021
2. The Police and Crime Commissioner has decided not to undertake a formal recruitment exercise due to the pending Police and Crime Commissioner elections, currently scheduled for May 2021.

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**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**  
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In December 2020 the Chief Constable for Dyfed-Powys announced that he would be retiring in March 2021.

Section 38 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 requires the Police and Crime Commissioner to appoint a replacement Chief Constable.

Owing to the proximity of the next Police and Crime Commissioner elections (currently scheduled for May 2021) the Commissioner has decided not to commence a recruitment exercise for a Chief Constable at this stage.

As an interim step the Commissioner has decided to appoint Deputy Chief Constable Claire Parmenter as Temporary Chief Constable until a long-term appointment can be made.

As this appointment is a temporary one, no confirmation hearing is necessary.

The Commissioner has arranged for both Mr Collins and Ms Parmenter to attend the panel meeting

**DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED ?**

**NO**

## IMPLICATIONS

I confirm that other than those implications which have been referred to in detail below, there are no other implications associated with this report:

**Signed:** *R J Edgecombe (Lead Officer to the Panel)*

Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities	Legal	Finance	ICT	Risk Management Issues	Staffing Implications	Physical Assets
<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>	<b>NONE</b>

### Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information

List of Background Papers used in the preparation of this report:

**THESE ARE DETAILED BELOW**

Title of Document	File Ref No.	Locations that the papers are available for public inspection
Host Authority File	PACP-020	County Hall Carmarthen