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**ORIGINATOR: CHIEF EXECUTIVE**

**DECISION NUMBER: 12-2018**

**REASON FOR SUBMISSION: FOR DECISION**

**SUBMITTED TO: POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER**

**SUBJECT: COLLABORATION AGREEMENT – SEVEN FORCE FIREARMS TRAINING**

**SUMMARY:**

1. This report seeks approval to enter into a collaboration agreement across the Seven Forces (Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire, Essex, Hertfordshire, Kent, Norfolk and Suffolk) in relation to the provision of a Firearms, Training and Compliance Function.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that authority to enter into the above collaboration agreement be granted.

**APPROVAL BY: PCC**

The recommendation set out above is agreed.

**Signature**

*Tina Parry*

**Date**

*23<sup>rd</sup> April  
2018.*

## **DETAIL OF THE SUBMISSION**

### **1. KEY ISSUES FOR CONSIDERATION:**

- 1.1 At the Seven Forces Regional Meeting of PCCs and Chief Constables on 4 April 2018 it was agreed that a collaboration agreement in relation to the development and provision of a simple management and governance structure for the licensing of the respective armed policing functions of the seven forces, a single armed policing strategic threat and risk assessment process and a joint ACC lead, should be entered into.
- 1.2 A draft collaboration agreement has been circulated for consideration and which has now been agreed for approval by the PCCs and Chief Constables of the seven forces at the 4 April 2018 meeting.

### **2. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:**

- 2.1 All savings and costs associated with the collaboration will be apportioned on the basis of net revenue expenditure.

### **3. OTHER IMPLICATIONS AND RISKS:**

- 3.1 There are no impacts on the PCC's risk registers nor is there any need to add any further risks.

ORIGINATOR CHECKLIST (MUST BE COMPLETED)	PLEASE STATE 'YES' OR 'NO'
Has legal advice been sought on this submission?	Yes
Has the PCC's Chief Finance Officer been consulted?	Yes
Have equality, diversity and human rights implications been considered including equality analysis, as appropriate?	Yes
Have human resource implications been considered?	Yes
Is the recommendation consistent with the objectives in the Police and Crime Plan?	Yes
Has consultation been undertaken with people or agencies likely to be affected by the recommendation?	Yes
Has communications advice been sought on areas of likely media interest and how they might be managed?	Not thought likely
Have all relevant ethical factors been taken into consideration in developing this submission?	Yes

In relation to the above, please ensure that all relevant issues have been highlighted in the 'other implications and risks' section of the submission.

**APPROVAL TO SUBMIT TO THE DECISION-MAKER** (this approval is required only for submissions to the PCC).

**Chief Executive**

I am satisfied that relevant advice has been taken into account in the preparation of the report and that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the (add decision-maker's title e.g. the PCC).

Signature:



Date 23 April 2018

