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Dear Home Secretary

**RE: Joint Thematic Inspection of Integrated Offender Management (IOM)
(published February 2020).**

I welcome this report which makes recommendations for the effectiveness of Integrated Offender Management (IOM). Four of the recommendations required action by Chief Constables (alongside Divisional Directors of NPS and Chief Executives of CRCs). It is in relation to these recommendations that I have received a response from Suffolk Constabulary, which is attached, and is in relation to the Joint IOM Scheme for Norfolk and Suffolk Constabularies. The Constabulary has provided a thorough response, which evidences good practice in delivering the Norfolk and Suffolk IOM Scheme.

The inspection report also makes a recommendation for PCCs – *it requires PCCs to ‘assure themselves that all relevant partners and services are involved in the delivery of IOM, as a major contribution to reducing reoffending and community safety’*. The IOM Governance Board is attended by key partners and is a sub group of the Norfolk and Suffolk Local Criminal Justice Board. I receive updates as a member (and Chair) of the Local Criminal Justice Board.

Yours sincerely



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