

SUMMARY DECISION SHEET

Purpose: Commissioner Decision – Ref. DLI216

Timing: Routine

Title: Modern Slavery Helpline contribution

Category of Decision / Business Area Impact: Finance

Executive Summary:

Unseen have made a request for a £10,000 contribution towards the running of the national Modern Slavery Helpline.

Dyfed-Powys PCC has not contributed previously, neither have Gwent or South Wales, and neither are likely to this year. North Wales contributed £2,500 last year and this year.

Unseen report that Dyfed-Powys Police has an average of 8 Modern Slavery cases per year over last four years, with an average 29 potential victims.

Whilst the helpline is of support to forces, victims and organisations, the limited use by the Dyfed-Powys area does not warrant prioritisation for investment.

Recommendation:

That the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does not support the funding request from Unseen for the continuation of the Modern Slavery Helpline.

Police and Crime Commissioner for Dyfed-Powys

I confirm I have considered whether or not I have any personal or prejudicial interest in this matter and take the proposed decision in compliance with the Nolan Principles for Conduct in Public Life.

The above request has my approval.

Signature:



Date: 28/06/2021