**REPORT / SUMMARY DECISION SHEET**

**PURPOSE: COMMISSIONER DECISION – REF. DLl 058**

**Timing: Routine**

**Title:** Extension of Forensic Medical Services Contract

**Category of Decision / Business Area Impact: Procurement**

**Executive Summary:**

Dyfed Powys Police had to suspend the initial joint tender exercise for forensic medical services that was carried out during the autumn of 2017. This was due to one of the bidders stating their intention to take legal action after North Wales chose to pull out of the process and to not award at the end of the tender exercise.

The current provision for forensic medical services is due to cease on the 28th February 2018, however, it is anticipated that a further four months will be needed to carry out a further tender exercise.

**Recommendation:**

To award an additional four month extension from 1st March 2018 to the current provider, CRG, at a total cost of £388,945.44.

**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 / does not have my approval / I note the information contained within the report (delete as appropriate)

**Signature: Date: 12/12/2017**