AGENDA ITEM

REPORT TO CLEVELAND POLICE AND CRIME PANEL

14 SEPTEMBER 2021

CHANGES TO APPOINTMENT TO THE COMPLAINTS SUB-COMMITTEE

SUMMARY

This report seeks to appoint to a vacancy on the Police and Crime Panel Complaints Sub-committee.

RECOMMENDATION

- 1. That nominations/volunteers be received to fill a vacant seat on the Police and Crime Panel Complaints Sub-Committee
- 2. If necessary, to review the membership of the complaints sub-committee.

DETAIL

- 1. At a meeting of the Police and Crime Panel on 17 November 2020 the membership of the Complaints Sub-Committee was agreed. It was agreed that, where possible, one elected member from each authority and one non-political independent member sit on the panel.
- 2. The membership was agreed as follows

Councillor Norma Stephenson OBE (Stockton-on-Tees)

Councillor Barrie Cooper (Middlesbrough)

Councillor Chris Jones (Redcar and Cleveland)

Councillor Lee Cartwright (Hartlepool)

Paul McGrath (non-political independent member)

- 3. Councillor Lee Cartwright is no longer a member of the panel and the seat for Hartlepool Borough Council is currently vacant.
- 4. Nominations/volunteers are therefore sought for the appointment of a member of the current panel to that vacant seat, in the first instance from Hartlepool Borough Council, but open to other members if Hartlepool members do not wish to join the sub-committee.
- 5. Should any existing member of the sub-committee wish to review their membership this can also be accommodated.

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