



**STRATEGIC POLICING AND CRIME BOARD
21 May 2019**

Questions from the Board on matters not on the agenda

1. Can the Chief Constable set out the number of knife crime incidents recorded and the number of offenders charged and prosecuted for these offences in the last 12 months?
(To be asked by Waheed Saleem)
2. Would the Chief Constable make a statement about progress being made towards contractorisation of 'Scene guarding'? What level of resources have been released by this for the benefit of operational policing?
(To be asked by Brendan Connor)
3. Has WMP provided 'mutual aid' to MPS during the recent 'Extinction Rebellion' demonstrations in London? What has been the cost to WMP? What are the practical lessons for public order policing strategy?
(To be asked by Brendan Connor)
4. Would the Chief Constable make a statement about the impact that children excluded from school are having on violent crime as perpetrators or victims ?
(To be asked by Commissioner)
5. What are the current plans to increase the size of the Special Constabulary over the next three years? When will the programme commence and does he have targets for the number of intended new recruits ?
(To be asked by Brendan Connor)
6. Would the Chief Constable make a statement about the appropriateness of animal cruelty prosecutions being led by RSPCA whereas child cruelty prosecutors are led by CPS/WMP rather than NSPCC?
(To be asked by Brendan Connor)