

Strategic Policing and Crime Board

21 January 2020

Questions from the Board on matters not on the agenda

1. Can the Chief Constable please set out the proposed priority departments and areas for the uplift in officer numbers?

(To be asked by David Jamieson)

2. Would the Chief Constable set out measures he is taking to tackle child sexual exploitation in the West Midlands noting that DoE data shows that 490 cases have been reported in the last 12 months in Birmingham alone

(To be asked by Waheed Saleem)

3. Would the Chief Constable provide information about the West Midlands Police Force policy towards agreeing out-of-court settlements in relation to claims from members of the public and from staff and detail the financial cost to the force of any such claims in the last three years?

(To be asked by Gurinder Singh Josan)

4. Could the Chief Constable outline West Midlands Police's position on the use of the Vagrancy Act and how many times it has been used in each of the past 12 months in relation to begging?

(To be asked by Waheed Saleem)