

LOCAL POLICE & FIRE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE – 6 JUNE 2019

- 403 Police Scotland Performance Report: 1 April 2018 – 31 March 2019 403**
- There was submitted a report on the performance and activities of Police Scotland during the reporting period 1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019.
Decided: that the information contained in the report be noted.
- 404 Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 404**
- There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development on the Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 which came into force on 1 April 2019 and the resultant changes to criminal law for perpetrators of domestic abuse in Scotland.
 During the course of discussion on this item, Detective Superintendent Livingstone undertook to arrange for clarification to be provided to Members on the differences between Scots and English law in relation to domestic abuse offences.
Decided: that the introduction of the Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 be noted and welcomed.
- 405 Scottish Fire and Rescue Service – Draft Strategic Plan 2019 – 2022 405**
- There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development seeking approval to submit a response to the Scottish Fire & Rescue Service Draft Strategic Plan 2019 – 2022.
Decided:
 (1) that approval be given to the responses contained within the consultation at Appendix 2;
 (2) that Elected Members be given the opportunity to make further comment regarding the consultation by 28 June 2019; and
 (3) that the Council's proposed response be submitted to all Members prior to its submission by the deadline of 18 July.
- 406 Scottish Police Authority Annual Review of Policing 2018/19 – Consultation Response 406**
- There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development seeking approval of the consultation response to the Scottish Police Authority (SPA) in respect of the Annual Review of Policing 2018/19.
Decided: that approval be given to the response to the consultation as set out in the Appendix to the report.
- 407 Local Police and Fire Scrutiny Committee Update Report (June 2019) 407**
- There was submitted a report by the Corporate Director Education, Communities & Organisational Development providing an update on current and emerging national issues relating to both Police and Fire & Rescue Services.
Decided: that the information contained in the report be noted.
- At the conclusion of the meeting, the Convener, on behalf of the Committee, extended his best wishes to Chief Inspector Debbie Reilly for her continued recovery following an injury sustained tackling a shoplifter while off-duty.