

## CHESHIRE EAST COUNCIL

### Minutes of a meeting of the Cheshire Police and Crime Panel held on Friday 8 February 2019 at Wyvern House, Winsford

#### PRESENT

Councillors:

Cheshire East	Councillors Mick Warren and Steve Edgar
Cheshire West & Chester	Councillors Martyn Delaney, Andrew Dawson and Robert Bissett
Halton	Councillors Dave Thompson and Norman Plumpton Walsh
Warrington	Councillors Jan Davidson and Brian Maher
Independent Co-optees	Mr Bob Fousert, Mr Evan Morris and Mrs Sally Hardwick
Officers:	Mr Daniel Dickinson and Mr Martin Smith (Secretariat, Cheshire East Council)

#### 1. APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from Councillor J Paul Findlow (Cheshire East Council)

#### 2. CODE OF CONDUCT - DECLARATION OF INTERESTS. RELEVANT AUTHORITIES (DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS) REGULATIONS 2012

There were no declarations of interest.

#### 3. CONFIRMATION HEARING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF CHIEF CONSTABLE

The Panel held a confirmation hearing for the appointment of Chief Constable. Having first been addressed by Gill Lewis, the Independent Recruitment Panel member and Associate of the College of Policing, the Panel questioned Mr Darren Martland over his suitability for the position of Chief Constable.

The Panel resolved to exclude the press and public from the meeting for its private discussion over whether to recommend Mr Martland for appointment.

**RESOLVED**

That it was the Panel's unanimous opinion that Mr Martland should be recommended for appointment.