

TAYSIDE JOINT POLICE BOARD

20 August 2001

Report by the Chief Constable No. PB 35/2001

SUBJECT: CORPORATE PRESENTATIONS

Abstract: Members are asked to note that the Chief Constable proposes to give regular presentations to Board Members and other elected representatives on specific topics of significance to the Force.

1. RECOMMENDATION

- 1.1 It is recommended that the Board note the contents of this report.

2. CURRENT POSITION

- 2.1 Members should be aware of the Force's approach to areas of policing which attract attention nationally or locally or those areas in which change is being brought about by the Force in order to improve the service it provides.
- 2.2 The Chief Constable is to host three evenings each year during which three or four topics on a particular theme will be presented and the opportunity given for questions on these topics to be answered.
- 2.3 These presentations will take place in Forfar, Perth and Dundee in rotation. Members of the Board will be invited together with other elected representatives. It is intended to hold the first presentation in Forfar in September 2001 when the theme will be Police Visibility.

3. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 3.1 There are no financial implications.

4. CONSULTATION

- 4.1 The Clerk and the Treasurer have been consulted in the preparation of this report

5. CONCLUSION

- 5.1 Corporate presentations allow the Force to inform Elected Members of their position on particular aspects of policing and to gather opinions to inform future plans.

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NOTE: No background papers, as defined by Section 50D of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (other than any containing confidential or exempt information) were relied on to any material extent in preparing the above Report.