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**NORTHUMBRIA POLICE  
CHIEF CONSTABLE'S OFFICE**

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**POLICE AUTHORITY**

**Wednesday 25 September 2002**

**Report of the Chief Constable**

*NON EXEMPT*

## **1 PROMOTIONS - 1 JULY 2002 TO 31 AUGUST 2002**

The following promotions have taken place during the period 1 July 2002 to 31 August 2002:

	<i>Male</i>	<i>Female</i>
<u>To Sergeant</u>	8	3

<u>To Inspector</u>	5	
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Sergeant 470 S M McKenna  
Sergeant 2022 R G Coulson  
Sergeant 2731 J P Truscott  
Sergeant 189 P S Keogh  
Sergeant 2472 D J A Harris

<u>To Chief Inspector</u>	1	
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Inspector 7172 C J Thompson

To Superintendent

Nil

To Chief Superintendent

Nil

## **2 SECONDMENTS**

Approval is sought for the following Home Office funded secondments which are subject to the provisions of the Police Act 1996, section 97, part 3, paragraphs A and B.

### ***National Criminal Intelligence Service.***

- i) Detective Constable 3393 E Fletcher - extension until 14 July 2005, of an existing secondment which began on 3 July 2000 and was due to end on 15 July 2002.
- ii) Detective Constable 3753 P Scott - extension until 1 October 2003, of an existing secondment which began on 1 October 1999 and was due to end on 1 October 2002.

### *National Crime Squad*

Detective Constable 8014 I Skeldon - extension until 28 February 2003, of an existing secondment which began on 5 September 1994 and was due to end on 5 September 2002.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

That the secondments detailed above be approved.

### **3 ROAD TRAFFIC INCIDENTS OCCASIONING INJURY**

An analysis of reported road traffic incidents occasioning injury is shown at Appendix 'A'.

### **4 VISIT TO SAN DIEGO, USA - INTERNATIONAL PROBLEM ORIENTATED POLICING CONFERENCE**

#### **PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

The purpose of the report is to seek approval for Superintendent C Peacock, Superintendent P Weir and two Community Beat Officers (CBOs) to attend the Problem Orientated Policing (POP) Conference in San Diego, USA, between 21 and 25 November 2002.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The annual international POP conference deals with critical policing issues in a problem solving context. This year two of the major themes are problem solving in relation to racial problems and community related drug issues.

In order to ensure the problem solving model adopted by Northumbria Police is progressed as desired it is important some officers are equipped with an in-depth knowledge of the system.

It is therefore proposed that Superintendent C Peacock, Superintendent P Weir and two CBOs (to be identified) attend the conference.

### **FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

The total cost to the Authority will be a maximum of £5,360 for the four officers.

The Treasurer confirms this can be met from the revenue budget.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

Members are recommended to approve the attendance of the four officers at the POP conference in San Diego, USA, between 21 and 25 November 2002.

