

## Minutes of Meeting of the Policing Authority

Date: 23/24 June 2021

Venue: By Video Conference

## Part A - Authority Meeting

**Attendance** 

**Authority:** Bob Collins (Chairperson), Donal de Buitleir, Deborah Donnelly, Valerie Judge,

Paul Mageean, Stephen Martin, Moling Ryan, Shalom Binchy, Elaine Byrne.

**Secretary:** Aoife Clabby.

Staff of the Authority: Helen Hall (Chief Executive), Cormac Keating, Margaret Tumelty, Clare Kelly

(items 6 7 10), Mark Nother (Item 6) Karen Shelly (items 10 &12).

## 1. Meeting of Members in Private

The Authority did not exercise its option to have a meeting in private.

## 2. Chairperson's Opening Remarks

The meeting agenda was approved, as drafted. No conflicts of interest were declared in relation to any of the items for consideration.

The Chairperson provided Members with an update on a number of matters, arising from a recent engagement with the Commissioner.

Members discussed the Garda Síochána Discipline Regulations in the context of previous Authority considerations of disciplinary matters; Authority observations made as part of its submission on the General Scheme of the Policing, Security and Community Safety Bill; and a submission made by the Garda Commissioner to the Department of Justice in relation to recommendations contained in the Fieldfisher report, 'Review of An Garda Síochána Disciplinary Procedures'. Members noted that the Commissioner had proposed the development of interim regulations to the Department, pending the finalisation of the Bill and its enactment. Following discussion, it was agreed that the approach to engagement on the issue of discipline in the Garda Síochána would be given further consideration and that discipline in the Garda Síochána would be tabled for consideration at a subsequent meeting of the Authority.

The Chairperson referred to recent media coverage in respect of a number of matters pertaining to the Garda Síochána. The Chairperson noted the potential for individual representations or requests for media comment to be made to Authority Members. There was a discussion about the requirement to notify the Chairperson or, in their absence, the Chief Executive of any such contacts, further to the provisions of the Policing Authority Code of Conduct.

Members noted a number of items of correspondence. Members discussed the response received from GSOC in relation to complaints received by, or on behalf of, children and noted work underway by GSOC in

relation to data analysis more generally. It was agreed that such enhancement of GSOC's data analysis would be useful information for the Authority's oversight.

The Chairperson highlighted a number of matters in relation to diversity, in the context of a recent presentation received on the consultation findings from the Garda Síochána Strategy Statement 2022-2024 and plans to pilot an intern programme for the Garda Síochána.

No.	Action point	By Date	By Whom
A_093_01	Give further consideration to approach to engagement on discipline in the GS and will consider discipline at a future meeting of the Authority during 2021.	ASAP	Chief Executive

## 3. Minutes of meeting and matters arising

The minutes of the meetings held on 27 May were approved and cleared for publication.

The Log of Actions was noted and proposals to close specified actions were approved. The Chief Executive advised that a one-page overview of the status of Garda Síochána information requests was now being routinely provided to Members. The Chief Executive also advised that meetings with the Garda Liaison Office and the Chief Superintendent in the Commissioner's office were continuing and proving constructive in supporting the timely provision of information to the Authority.

#### 4. Chief Executive's Report

The Chief Executive's report was taken as read and further updates were provided to Members on a number of matters in the context of the report, as follows:

- An event to launch the Policing Authority's call for research on the experience of policing in Ireland by diverse and minority communities was scheduled to take place on 8 July.
- Attendance by the Chief Executive at the quarterly Criminal Justice Strategic Committee on 3 June.
   Members noted that a presentation was received on restorative justice and options for how the
   Department of Justice might meet commitments in both the Programme for Government and the
   Department of Justice Action Plan in this regard. The Chief Executive advised that a stakeholder
   consultation was underway to inform the Department's policy approach on the matter.
- The opinion of the C&AG on the Policing Authority appropriation account 2020 and the receipt of a clean audit report.
- An overview of findings from the public consultation on the Policing Priorities 2022. Members noted that 3,473 responses to the consultation had been received and that approximately 50% of respondents claimed to have a better understanding of the work of the Policing Authority and the Garda Síochána, as a result of engagement with the public consultation process. The Chief Executive advised that further work was being done to analyse the consultation responses and that an evaluation of the effectiveness of the consultation tool was also planned.

Members noted feedback collated by the Executive in respect of existing guidelines for Joint Policing Committees (JPCs) and a proposal to further streamline the existing guidelines. Further clarity was sought in this regard and Members were satisfied that the annual autumn meeting with the Chairs of the JPCs

would be used as an opportunity to consult on revised guidelines and further, that key stakeholders would be consulted as part of the process to inform revisions to the guidelines.

Members considered information provided in relation to Garda Síochána resources and finance and noted that a meeting had taken place with the Executive Director, Finance in furtherance of the Authority's function to provide advice to the Minister on the adequacy of Garda Síochána resources. Members also discussed the approach to the provision of Ministerial advice. Having regard to the timelines associated with the estimates process, it was agreed that draft advice to the Minister should be presented to the 29 July Authority meeting for consideration and subsequent submission to the Minister. It was also agreed that a copy of the advice provided in 2020 would be provided for Members' reference.

Members discussed the Garda Síochána's HR&PD function having regard to a number of personnel matters. It was agreed that the Chairperson would raise the matters discussed with the Commissioner.

Members sought an update in relation to a meeting held with the OPW on the Garda Síochána estate. The Chief Executive advised that the meeting had been productive and that a number of matters in respect of the ownership and management of the Garda Síochána estate and associated budgetary issues had been addressed. The status of the Military Road development and the arrangements to vacate premises in Harcourt Square had also been the subject of discussion. Members considered the current level of engagement between the OPW and the Garda Síochána and discussed the extent to which the challenges presented by aspects of the Garda Síochána estate had the capacity to have a negative impact on the rollout of the Operating Model. It was agreed that the matters raised would be given more detailed consideration by the Organisation Development Committee at its meeting on 20 July.

Members discussed a series of recent engagements undertaken by the Executive with Divisional Drugs Units in 13 Garda Divisions and noted that a number of key areas for follow-up had emerged both with the Garda Síochána and a range of other stakeholders. Members also discussed recent engagement with Garda representatives at the 14 June meeting of the PSP Committee on the topic of drugs policing and had regard to the Executive note on stakeholder engagement and the experiences of local communities in relation to drugs-related intimidation. Members considered how the emerging themes might be addressed with the Commissioner and how oversight of drugs policing might effectively be reported to the Minister. Following discussion, it was agreed that a series of follow-up engagements would be pursued, as proposed, by the Executive and that summary findings would be reported to the Authority. It was further agreed that proposed approaches to dissemination of, and engagement on, any findings would be agreed by the Authority in quarter 4.

Members noted the receipt of correspondence from the Deputy Commissioner, Strategy, Governance and Performance regarding the commencement of reporting on policing plan targets that had been paused due to COVID-19. However, the absence of a rationale for the non-reporting on three policing plan targets, where activity is being undertaken, was noted and it was agreed that the matter would be raised with the Commissioner in part B of the meeting.

Members noted Garda responsibility for an action contained in the Hamilton Review Group report regarding the development of a long-term strategic plan to ensure adequate resources are available to the Garda National Economic Crime Bureau, including the submission of a plan for approval by the Policing Authority/Department of Justice by Q2. The Chief Executive advised that no plan had been received to date and Members noted that challenges to the production of a plan had been highlighted by Garda representatives at the 14 June meeting of the PSP Committee. It was agreed that correspondence would issue to the Department of Justice, outlining the extent of engagement on economic crime by the Authority to date.

Members noted items in the monthly correspondence report and approved proposals to refer specific items, on an anonymised basis, to the Commissioner.

No.	Action point	By Date	By Whom
A_093_02	Draft Ministerial advice on the adequacy of GS resources to be tabled for consideration at 29 July Authority meeting, including the provision of a copy of 2020 advice, for Members' reference.	July	Chief Executive
A_093_03	Chairperson to raise a number of matters with the Commissioner in respect of the GS HR&PD function	ASAP	Chairperson
A_093_04	Undertake further engagement on drugs policing with a range of stakeholders and revert to the Authority in Q4 with summary findings and approaches to dissemination and engagement.	Q4	Chief Executive
A_093_05	Issue correspondence to the Department of Justice, in relation to the Hamilton Review Group findings, outlining extent of Authority engagement to date on matters relating to economic crime.	ASAP	Chief Executive
A_093_06	Provide specified correspondence, on an anonymised basis, to the Commissioner.	Immediate	Chief Executive

## 5. Committee updates

#### 5.1 Garda Appointments Quality Assurance and Selection Governance Committee

The Committee had not met since the last Authority meeting.

#### 5.2 Garda Organisation Development Committee (ODC)

The Committee had not met since the last Authority meeting.

## **5.3 Policing Strategy and Performance Committee (PSPC)**

The Committee Chair updated Members in relation to the meeting of the Committee that had taken place on 14 June and in particular in relation to:

- Fieldwork activity that had been undertaken by the Executive to validate policing performance reporting.
- Engagement with the Garda Síochána on a range of matters in relation to Garda monthly reporting including cybercrime and the examination of devices; the status of the recruitment of Garda sergeants; and call backs to victims of domestic violence.
- The policing response to events that had occurred in Dublin over the bank holiday weekend. The Committee Chair advised that engagement with Garda representatives had centred on planning, business and community engagement, risk assessment, review and learning. Members agreed that the themes highlighted by the Committee Chair merited engagement with the Commissioner in the public meeting, in particular having regard to the 'four E's' approach to policing COVID-19 and whether, and to what extent, public confidence features as part of the public order planning process.

- Roads policing and the increase in the use of 'Chief's Authorisations', in particular in the Dublin Metropolitan Region. The Committee Chair advised that the assessment of risk in the granting of such authorisations had been discussed with Garda representatives and that the status of the organisation's driver training policy had also been considered.
- Garda research in the area of sexual crime and the timelines for completion of the work. Members noted that preliminary findings would be available at the end of July, with more detailed findings anticipated in September.
- The adequacy of staffing levels generally in key areas of policing. Members noted that there remained an underdeveloped sense of what the required solution might be to address the various, identified shortfalls.

## 6. Audit, Governance and Risk

The Committee Chair provided members with an update on the 15 June meeting of the Audit and Risk Committee.

Members considered the monthly report on risk, in accordance with the Authority's Risk Management Policy. The Committee Chair highlighted changes to the risk rankings relating to confidentiality breach and perceived loss of independence.

The Chief Executive provided Members with an overview of issues that had arisen in respect of ICT access controls and measures already taken and being contemplated to address them, in the context of the Authority's ICT Service Level Agreement with the Department of Justice. Members noted that the matter had been raised with the Assistant Secretary and that a meeting with the Department's Chief Information Officer had also been scheduled by the Chief Executive. The Committee Chair conveyed the Audit and Risk Committee's concerns in respect of the matters discussed and it was agreed that correspondence would issue to the Department of Justice, conveying the concerns discussed and seeking further assurance in respect of access controls. Members discussed matters in relation to cyber security more generally and measures in place to guard against cyber-attacks.

The Committee Chair advised that an action plan arising from the external review of board effectiveness had been presented to the Committee and a number of proposed actions had been agreed for implementation. Members noted that, arising from the proposed actions, further changes to the Authority's Standing Orders and Code of Conduct were likely and that these would be presented to the ARC at its September meeting. Members also noted that the Terms of Reference for the internal audit to review the impact of COVID-19 had been agreed and that the audit was scheduled to commence at an early date.

No.	Action point	By Date	By Whom
A_093_07	Issue correspondence to the Department of Justice in relation to ICT access controls and assurances in respect of same.	ASAP	Chief Executive

## 7. Garda Síochána Appointments

The Secretary briefed Members on the outcome of the clearance process in respect of the appointment of candidates to the rank of Chief Superintendent in the Garda Síochána. Following discussion, the Authority was satisfied to appoint the candidates with effect from the date on which the candidates take up the positions assigned by the Garda Commissioner.

The Authority considered and approved a request from the Garda Síochána for the extension of a temporary acting Principal Officer position as Head of the Garda Information Services Centre (GISC).

No.	Action point	By Date	By Whom
A_093_08	Notify candidates of their appointment to the rank of Chief Superintendent.	Immediate	Chief Executive
A_093_09	Notify GS of appointment of Chief Superintendents by the Authority and approval of extension to acting PO, GISC.	Immediate	Chief Executive

#### 8. Policing, Security and Community Safety Bill

Detailed consideration of the Policing, Security and Community Safety Bill was deferred until the 29 July meeting of the Authority. Mindful of the process in respect of pre-legislative scrutiny and the associated timeframes, the Chairperson requested that a note would be prepared by the Executive, identifying the central issues of concern to the Authority to date, having regard to the original submission made on the draft General Scheme, the current Bill and the discussion points arising from a recent meeting with Department officials on the legislation.

No.	Action point	By Date	By Whom
A_093_10	Prepare a note on the Policing, Security and Community Safety Bill, identifying central issues of concern to the Authority for consideration at the 29 July meeting.	ASAP	Chief Executive

## 9. Oversight of the annual policing plan

Members noted a number of documents provided under this agenda item. Members considered the revised approach taken by the Executive to the monthly policing performance report. It was agreed that any observations or feedback in respect of the revised approach would be provided bilaterally to the Chief Executive.

Members briefly discussed the proposed approach to the half-year assessment of policing performance and were satisfied that the half-year report would be a shorter document with progress being assessed with a particular focus on the enablers to the plan's achievement.

#### 10. Review of cancellation of CAD 999 Priority 1 Incidents

Members had regard to a paper outlining developments in relation to the review of the cancellation of Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) 999 Priority 1 incidents, in support of its discussion of the matter with the Commissioner both in private and in public.

Members were advised that an online meeting, attended by the Chairperson, Chief Executive and members of the Executive, had been held with the Commissioner, Deputy Commissioners and the Regional Assistant Commissioners in order to understand in more detail the approach being taken to the review in each region, together with indicative findings from the review to date.

Members were provided with details of attendance by the Chairperson, Chief Executive and Executive staff at control rooms in the North Western, Eastern and Southern Regions and of presentations received. Members noted that during these visits, a dip sample of calls had been listened to in the Eastern and Southern Region control rooms.

A number of matters arising from the briefings received to date were discussed including:

- The nature and manner of call taking and cancelling and the call continuum, including the transfer from the emergency call answering service (ECAS) through to Garda Síochána call-taker, call-dispatcher and on-scene Garda response. Members noted that the process of call handover from ECAS to the Garda Síochána call handler was found to be confusing in the case of some calls listened to. Members also noted an absence of clarity in relation to data capture where callers ring their local station directly.
- The approach being taken in each region to addressing the cancellation of calls. Members noted
  that group briefings had been provided in each region but that no individual performance
  conversations had taken place to date. Members also considered technical solutions deployed to
  address issues identified in the review to date and the impact of these solutions on call takers,
  dispatchers and supervisory staff.
- The extent of adherence to organisational policy in relation to the handling of calls concerning domestic violence or abuse.
- The extent of adherence to agreed protocols with other emergency services in attendance at scenes.
- The nature and extent of any adverse impact on callers whose calls had not been appropriately dealt with or arising from cancellation.
- The manner and extent to which the Garda Síochána is assuring itself that an appropriate response to all 999 callers is currently being provided.
- Available data to inform the review. In this regard the Authority acknowledged the challenges of
  'top down' data extraction from the CAD system and noted that the 'bottom up' review of individual
  calls in each of the regions would be important in providing a more comprehensive picture of calls
  cancelled and any corresponding patterns. The importance of the two processes feeding into each
  other was emphasised by the Members.
- The staffing levels for call-takers and dispatchers in the various control centres. Members noted that the preponderance of 999 calls were handled by the Dublin Metropolitan Region and that this was seen as a pressure point by the Garda Síochána.
- The extent and nature of training provided to call-takers.

While acknowledging that the current review was appropriately focussed on the cancellation of calls relating to domestic violence, the Authority agreed that consideration of other priority 1 and of priority 2 and priority 3 calls would also be required. Members also considered the merit of independent input to the review process.

Members expressed serious concern in relation to the information provided to the media on an unauthorised basis and the potentially negative impact on the integrity of the review process. It was agreed that the matter would be raised with the Commissioner both in private and in public.

Arising from detailed and lengthy discussion, a number of themes for engagement with the Commissioner in public were agreed. It was also agreed that the importance of public confidence in the 999 service would be emphasised at the meeting.

## 11. Preparation for meeting with Garda Commissioner

Members discussed the agenda for the meeting and agreed the matters to be discussed with the Garda Commissioner and his team.

#### 12. Other Business

The Authority was provided with an update on the Garda Síochána technical briefing on the review of the cancellation of CAD 999 Priority 1 incidents that had taken place on the morning of 24 June. Arising from the update, a number of points for engagement with the Commissioner in public session were agreed by the Members.

# 13. Documents for noting-June 2021

The following documents were noted by the Authority:

	Document	Action Required
D_93_01	Garda Síochána Strategy Statement-consultation outcomes	For noting
D_93_02	ACJRD Conference: Opening Address by Policing Authority Chairperson	For noting
D_93_03	General Scheme of Garda Síochána (Powers) Bill	For noting
D_93_04	Whistleblowing-the Law, Tom Mallon BL	For noting
D_93_05	Lessons Learned Examination: Eviction/Repossession Incident at 7 Berkeley Road, Phibsborough, Dublin 7.	For noting
D_93_06	Garda Síochána Anti-Corruption Strategy	For noting
D_93_07	Balancing Fundamental Human Rights of Citizens and the State's Duty to Protect Health during COVID-19: Policing Authority submission to JOC on Justice.	For noting
D93_08	Joint Policing Committee Guidelines 2014	For noting

#### Part B – Authority Meeting with the Garda Commissioner in private

#### **Attendance**

**Authority and Executive:** As for Part A

Garda Síochána: Drew Harris (Garda Commissioner), Joe Nugent (Chief Administrative

Officer), Anne Marie McMahon (Deputy Commissioner), Shawna Coxon (Deputy Commissioner), Andrew O'Sullivan (Chief Information Officer), David Sheahan (Assistant Commissioner), Michael Finn (Assistant Commissioner), Finbarr O'Brien (Assistant Commissioner), Anne Marie Cagney (Assistant Commissioner), Paula Hilman (Assistant Commissioner)

Gráinne Shortall (Assistant Principal).

#### 14. Human Resource Related Matters

Members discussed the retirement of the Director of Human Resources with the Commissioner. The Commissioner advised that a recruitment process was underway to fill the vacancy and that final interviews were scheduled for the week commencing 28 June.

The Commissioner provided the Authority with an update in relation to a HR matter.

#### 15. Garda Síochána Risks and Resources

Members discussed the current budgetary position in relation to the Garda Síochána and sought the Commissioner's views in relation to sustained under-investment in capital expenditure and the likely impact on other budget areas in the event of any decision to prioritise capital spend within the allocated resources.

The Commissioner highlighted particular expenditure imperatives in the area of Garda Síochána estate, ICT and vehicles, including air support and acknowledged that the organisation's position in these areas was less then optimal. Members noted the Commissioner's view that a number of stations were no longer fit for purpose, while others would require extension in order more appropriately to reflect population change.

Members discussed plans to vacate Harcourt Square with the Commissioner, in particular in relation to those Garda Bureaux that will not be accommodated in the new Military Road site. Members noted that final decisions in that regard were expected from the OPW within the month.

The Chairperson advised the Commissioner of the Authority's intention to provide advice to the Minister on the adequacy of Garda Síochána resources at an earlier juncture in order more effectively to inform the budgetary estimates process. It was agreed that a meeting would take place with the CAO and the Executive Director, Finance, in order to progress the matter and obtain the information required.

No.	Action point	By Date	By Whom
A_093_11	Meet with CAO and ED Finance to agree and obtain information required to support Authority advice to the Minister on the adequacy of GS resources.	ASAP	Chief Executive

#### 16. Review of Cancellation of CAD Priority 1 999 Calls

At the outset of the agenda item, the Chairperson noted the technical briefing that had been provided to the media by the Garda Síochána earlier in the morning. The Chairperson outlined the Authority's intended areas of focus as part of the engagement in public. The Chairperson also acknowledged the significance of the Garda Síochána's work as part of Operation Faoiseamh and the critical need to underline, in public session, the enduring importance of the 999 service to vulnerable victims in particular.

Members discussed a number of matters in relation to the review with the Commissioner and his team. In particular, Members sought clarity as to how the issue of adverse impacts on victims and otherwise was being addressed as part of the review process and what the Commissioner understood the term to encompass. The Commissioner outlined his understanding of the term, including a consideration of whether opportunities had been missed as a consequence of inappropriate call cancellation. Authority Members emphasised the importance of a uniform approach to assessing adverse impact in each region, aligned with the Commissioner's understanding and his articulation of its ambit.

Members also discussed with the Commissioner whether independent input into the review process was being contemplated. The Commissioner and his team outlined engagement that had taken place with the Garda National Protective Services Bureau and with Women's Aid in order to inform the approach adopted by each of the regional review teams.

The Chairperson expressed the Authority's deep concern in relation to the unauthorised provision of information to a number of media outlets in relation to the Authority's engagement with the Garda Síochána on matters relating to the review. In particular, the Chairperson highlighted the troubling nature of the release of such information in circumstances where vulnerable victims could be potentially affected by the review's findings. The Commissioner concurred with the Chairperson's observations.

# Part C Meeting with Garda Commissioner in public

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## Attendance

Authority and Executive: As for Part B

Garda Síochána: Drew Harris (Garda Commissioner), Joe Nugent (Chief Administrative Officer),

Anne Marie McMahon (Deputy Commissioner), Shawna Coxon (Deputy Commissioner), Andrew O'Sullivan (Chief Information Officer), David Sheahan (Assistant Commissioner), Michael Finn (Assistant Commissioner), Finbarr

O'Brien (Assistant Commissioner), Anne Marie Cagney (Assistant

Commissioner), Paula Hilman (Assistant Commissioner).

This meeting with the Garda Commissioner and his team was held remotely and live streamed to the public as it was not possible to meet in public due to COVID-19 restrictions. In accordance with the Authority's Standing Orders, the official record of the meeting is the recording which is available to view at:

# https://www.policingauthority.ie/en/authority-meetings

The following matters were discussed during the meeting:

Agenda Item	Principal matters discussed
Agenda Item  Review of the Cancellation of Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) 999 Priority 1 calls	<ul> <li>Opening address by the Chairperson recording appreciation for briefings provided to the Authority to date and signalling that further engagement will be required to gain a fuller understanding of the issues arising from the review.</li> <li>Opening address by the Commissioner, acknowledging seriousness of issues and apologising for the fact that there were instances where services should have been provided to victims and were not. An appeal to victims of domestic violence and sexual abuse (DVSA) to report to the Garda Síochána and an assurance in respect of the services in place in respond to any reports received.</li> <li>Summary of areas of particular oversight interest to the Authority in particular in relation to the Garda Síochána service ethos and the quality of response to</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>callers; the extent of the evaluation of performance and service delivery to callers; an examination of systems, governance and adherence to policy in the cancellation of calls; and an understanding of the extent of any adverse impact on callers whose calls were cancelled.</li> <li>Presentation by the Garda Síochána in relation to the scope and scale of the review undertaken to date, including a high level overview of the number of calls of concern; the impact of technical fixes applied on the rate of call cancellation; and the envisaged next steps in the review process.</li> <li>Consideration of the extent to which Garda policy on the handling of calls relating to domestic violence and sexual abuse (DVSA) was not adhered to.</li> <li>Consideration of the implications of data from the CAD system not merging across to the PULSE system, in addition to the adequacy and appropriateness of the technical fixes applied.</li> <li>Exploration of any concerns held by the Commissioner in relation to the quality of call handling and consideration of whether a range of adverse impacts on callers or particular groups of callers had been identified.</li> </ul>

Agenda Item	Principal matters discussed
	<ul> <li>Engagement on the merits of having an independent, external review as part of the process being undertaken by the Garda Síochána.</li> <li>Consideration of potential poor behaviour by some Garda members and staff.</li> <li>Overview of briefings provided at regional level in support of the review process.</li> <li>Discussion in relation to the recruitment and training for the handling and dispatching of emergency calls, in addition to the existing work patterns in these areas.</li> <li>Discussion on a range of matters relating to governance, culture, and the required skillsets for emergency call handling.</li> </ul>
Policing Performance during COVID-19 (including public order policing)	<ul> <li>Discussion in relation to public order policing, in the context of events occurring on the June bank holiday weekend, including the approach to planning and the risk assessment process in determining an appropriate policing response.</li> <li>Overview of the approach to engagement by the Garda Síochána with both commercial interests and the wider community.</li> <li>Engagement on the issue of Garda discretion, its application in the policing of outside areas, any guidance in place to ensure the fair and equitable application of discretion and any governance arrangements to assess application.</li> </ul>
Roads	Consideration of this agenda item was deferred until the 29 July meeting of the Authority in public.
Other Business	<ul> <li>The process and timelines for movement of Garda units from Harcourt Square to the Military Road site.</li> <li>Available resources for the Garda Síochána Anti-Corruption Unit.</li> <li>Limitations on the provision of training in the Garda Síochána.</li> <li>Levels of resourcing generally in the Garda Síochána.</li> </ul>

# Actions arising from the meeting held in public:

No.	Action point	By Date	By Whom
A_093_12	To provide the Authority with briefing materials and the review checklist developed to support the work of regional teams in reviewing the cancellation of CAD 999 Priority 1 Incidents.	ASAP	Garda Síochána
A_093_13	Authority to make arrangements in relation to an independent input into the review of the cancellation of CAD 999 Priority 1 Incidents.	ASAP	Authority