

## Ethics Committee Terms of Reference

- 1. To consider the matters and tasks involved in the establishment of a Garda Code of Ethics in accordance with Section 16 of the Garda Síochána (Policing Authority and Miscellaneous Provisions Act ) 2015 and develop proposals to enable the Authority to fulfil its statutory responsibilities;
- 2. In this context, to review the work done to date on this matter and other material it considers appropriate;
- 3. To bring forward proposals for the ongoing work on the project for consideration by the Authority;
- 4. In light of orientation and decisions which may be made from time to time by the Authority at its meetings, to oversee the consultation process(es) and the preparation) and the preparation of a draft Code of Ethics in a timely manner to enable the Authority to meet the statutory deadline of 31 December 2016.
- 5. To report progress as the Committee considers appropriate and to provide a final draft code for consideration at the November 2016 meeting of the Authority.