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Dear all,

### **Police Funding Model**

Thank you for your input into our recent consultation on a proposed new police funding model.

As the Policing Minister set out in his letter of 8 October, we have always been clear that we will only succeed in developing a fair and sustainable model, to replace the current outmoded arrangements, with considerable input from policing partners. That is why, in response to consultation feedback, we have proposed a number of refinements and improvements be made to the model, and have been engaging with you further on these.

Last week we held three briefing sessions, at extraordinary meetings of the NPCC Finance Committee and the Police and Crime Commissioners Treasurers' Society (PACCTs), and at a combined meeting of the Gold and Silver Groups on Police Finance and Resources. Through these events we were able to speak with many of you or your representatives, and to discuss technical aspects of the refined model – including the rationale for the inclusion of the four indicators, the underpinning statistical processes and the data sets used – in some considerable detail. Our analysts have also had detailed discussions with counterparts in forces and OPCCs, and continue to be available to do so.

As promised at these briefing sessions we thought that it would be helpful to also share the information we conveyed at those meetings with all of you, in the form of a technical note, which I have attached.

I trust you will find this information useful and look forward to receiving any further comments. We thought it would be helpful to extend the deadline to 5pm on 6 November. Please submit your responses to [policefundingconsultation@homeoffice.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:policefundingconsultation@homeoffice.gsi.gov.uk).

Yours sincerely,

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