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Home Secretary,

North Yorkshire's Police and Crime Commissioner's (PCCs) response to HMIC's report on North Yorkshire Police's Revisiting Police Relationships dated December 2012

The HMIC's inspection into Revisiting Police Relationships was welcome, and integrity and corruption rightly remain of paramount importance to policing. I recognise the need to reassure our communities by demonstrating the integrity with which we conduct our policing operations and other business.

The integrity related re-inspection conducted by HMIC in the Summer of 2012 was welcomed by the force and I am pleased that HMIC recognised the progress that North Yorkshire Police have made in developing and implementing procedures guiding the actions and conduct of members of North Yorkshire Police. This has been demonstrated by the review into former senior officers allowances, with the legal report published and made available to the public. Expenses for the most senior officers and staff are now published regularly.

Since the HMIC re-inspection, North Yorkshire Police have also made progress in ensuring that the new and revised procedural guidance is understood and complied with by all staff.

I am determined that North Yorkshire Police becomes over more open and transparent in the coming years, and welcome HMIC's re-visit this year on Police Integrity and Corruption.

Yours sincerely

Julia Mulligan
North Yorkshire's Police & Crime Commissioner

