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Mr Martyn Underhill
Dorset Police and Crime Commissioner

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Dear Martyn,

ENDORSEMENT - DORSET POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER (PCC) CHIEF FINANCE OFFICER APPOINTMENT

1. Following the Dorset Police and Crime Panel (PCP) meeting on 09 July 2019, this note provides formal notification of the panel's decision to unanimously **SUPPORT** the appointment of Miss Julie Strange as your Chief Finance Officer.
2. The PCP wishes to thank you for your openness and for inviting the panel to send a representative to observe the selection process¹. You have appointed the right person to lead on the important issue of the robust PCC scrutiny of Dorset Police Finance (especially long term planning) in order to ensure that the Dorset tax payer obtains value for money from their Precept. Our panel looks forward to working closely with Miss Strange; we would welcome an early meeting so as to build a comprehensive and thriving relationship.
3. Finally, may I ask you to once again pass on the Panel's thanks to Mrs Garlick for her excellent work over the last two years in bringing on stream the required over view of *all* finances under your control. She has had true effect.

Yours Sincerely,

Mike

M J SHORT MBE
Chair
Dorset PCP

¹ Dorset PCP dated 28 May 19 - Dorset PCC Chief Finance Officer Selection Panel - Observer Comments.