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## **SUMMARY DECISION SHEET**

Purpose: Commissioner Decision - Ref.DLI417

Timing: Singular

**Title:** Engagement of Professor Stan Gilmour as independent facilitator for SAIL-police data linkage workshop

Category of Decision / Business Area Impact: Finance

## **Executive Summary:**

A workshop has been arranged for Friday 28 November in relation to the ongoing project to deposit policing data in the SAIL databank, hosted at Swansea University. The workshop will provide an opportunity for the Welsh Forces' Data Protection Officers and representatives from SAIL to discuss the DPOs' concerns and SAIL's response, with support from the Force SIROs and subject matter experts. The workshop will be led by an independent facilitator.

Professor Stan Gilmour has been recommended as facilitator by Professor Paul Taylor, Chief Scientific Advisor for Policing, due to his experience and expertise in establishing collaborative data sharing and governance structures.

## Recommendation:

To engage Professor Gilmour as independent facilitator for the workshop, with costs for his assistance anticipated to be no more than £10,000.

## **Police and Crime Commissioner for Dyfed-Powys**

I confirm I have considered whether or not I have any personal or prejudicial interest in this matter and take the proposed decision in compliance with the Nolan Principles for Conduct in Public Life.

The above request has my approval.

Signature: Dafeld Href

Date: 21/10/2025