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From: Hyland Kevin
Sent: 18 August 2015 20:40
To: Chapman, Stephen (EPS - CSD)
Cc: Ansell Christopher (IASC); Weedon Tim
Subject: Re: NRM/Crime Reporting: Welsh Police Data Quarters 1 & 2 2015

Steve,

Thank you for this. Can I confirm that the 46 crimes from the NRM outside of police forces were not crimed until highlighted through my request.

This will be indicative of the issue across the UK and will demonstrate the problem in the most stark terms that only 10 per cent of allegations were being subject to a crime report.

Thank you for being so thorough. This gives me a very clear steer on my next steps.

As discussed I am employing someone to look specifically at law enforcement issues.

The lack of recording shows the very basics are missed and opportunities are being lost.

But I am pleased it is being addressed in Wales and I do hope that arrests will follow as there is a 90 per cent increase in crimes - hence more intelligence, suspects and victims for police to debrief.

Best regards,

Kevin

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From: Chapman, Stephen (EPS - CSD)
Sent: Tuesday, August 18, 2015 01:12 PM
To: Hyland Kevin
Cc: Ansell Christopher (IASC); Weedon Tim
Subject: NRM/Crime Reporting: Welsh Police Data Quarters 1 & 2 2015

Hello Kevin

Further to our recent conversations:

Please see the NRM referrals from Wales for the Quarters 1 & 2 2015, as proved by the NCA UK Human Trafficking Centre.

From the 51 referrals 5 were from Welsh Police Forces representing 10% of the referrals.

The 5 Welsh Police Force referrals (2 Gwent Police and 3 South-Wales Police) were all crimed and subsequently investigated.

Quarter 1 2015

There were 20 referrals submitted from Wales, only from 2 Police forces – all Gwent Police.

First Responder Organisation	Total
BAWSO	5
Local Authority (Newport City Council)	1
New Pathways	1
Gwent Police	2
UKVI	11
UKBF	0
Total	20

Quarter 2 2015

There were 31 referrals submitted from Wales, only 3 from Police forces – all South Wales Police.

First Responder Organisation	Total
BAWSO	4
Local Authority	2
New Pathways	11
South Wales Police	3
UKBA	10
UKBF	1
Total	31

As you are aware I requested the Single Points of Contact in each of the Forces to retrospectively crime the 46 NRM referrals made by Bawso, New Pathways, UKBF, UKVI and the Local Authority (Newport City Council) and this exercise is confirmed to have been carried out.

The pilot to be introduced (01/09 to 20/11/15) will bring about a process for criming all NRM referrals generated from Welsh First Responder organisations. Further to our conversation on Friday, I have included in the process the means to crime referrals emanating from outside of Wales and the UK. We will monitor the pilot and make any necessary improvements as we are striving for 100% reporting and I will forward you our agreed process this Friday when comments have been received.

Our process is interim and we are looking forward to the UK solution to the process you are currently working on. However, as supporting evidence, if it can be achieved in Wales then there is no reason why we cannot have a UK solution!

I take it you have already engaged with Steve Bond the Home Office National Crime Registrar (Steve.Bond2@homeoffice.gsi.gov.uk) who is supportive of our work.

Best regards

Steve

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-----Original Message-----

From: Hyland Kevin
Sent: 14 August 2015 18:52
To: Chapman, Stephen (LGC – CSD)
Cc: Ansell Christopher (IASC); Weedon Tim
Subject: FW: Today's Meeting

Dear Steve,

Thanks for the details and the report you submitted.

As we discussed can I have the data from police forces in Wales as below and your work to make sure all cases in Wales are subject of a crime report is excellent but as I mentioned this needs to be a national response.

I have raised this as a national issue already and as in the example I gave on the phone where someone reports elsewhere, it will still mean that crimes committed in Wales can still be missed or indeed this can happen anywhere in the UK. Therefore a national coordinated response is required.

That said you making sure Wales is operating correctly in the interim is excellent.

As I explained, I want this to be 100 per cent compliance and if a process is created that does not achieve that for the entire UK we are still letting victims down, not complying with European Conventions and criminals are operating with impunity.

Very keen to meet to discuss a number of issues and of course the training that I am sure we can achieve quite a great deal by coordinated together.

Thanks for your continued support and look forward to meeting soon,

Best regards,

Kevin

-----Original Message-----

From: Hyland Kevin

Sent: 19 June 2015 08:18

To: Chapman, Stephen (LGC – CSD)

Subject: Re: Today's Meeting

Steve,

Can we discuss this please. If you can look at crimes in Welsh forces and provide me with numbers I will appreciate this.

Regarding the task and finish group and pilot I discussed this with you to be part of the overall process and can we see how the data in Wales looks before you take the next steps – I need to have this coordinated with the NCA to ensure we serve the entire picture.

If you ensure that from all incidents in Wales are crimed that will be an excellent position.

Can we discuss.

Best regards,

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