

**THE OFFICE OF POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER  
FOR DERBYSHIRE  
DECISION RECORD**

<b>Request for PCC Decision</b>	<b>Received in OPCC Date: April 2017</b>	<b>OPCC Ref: 20/2018</b>
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**RECOMMENDATION FOR THE AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF  
CHORUS ANALYSER AND CHORUS INVESTIGATOR SOFTWARE LICENCES**

**Executive Summary:**

Approval was sought to award a contract under framework RM'1557ix 'G-Cloud 9' for the supply of Chorus system licences to be provided by Chorus Intelligence, Woodbridge Suffolk.

**Decision**

- i. The award of contract to Chorus Intelligence under Framework RM RM'1557IX 'G-CLOUD 9' for the supply of Chorus Analyser and Investigator licences which will cover the period of 1 May 2018 to 30 April 2021 for the total cost of £99,750 was approved.

**Declaration**

I confirm that 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 Code of Conduct for the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire. Any such interests are recorded below.

None

The above request has my approval.

<b>Signature</b> Hardyal Dhindsa	<b>Date April 2017</b>
<b>PUBLICATION SCHEME CONSIDERATIONS</b>	
<b>Is the related Section B report to be published Yes</b> The report contains commercially sensitive information.	

<b>Is the publication of this approval to be deferred No</b> If Yes, provide reasons below <b>Date to be deferred to –</b> NB Statutory Instrument 2011/3050 (as amended by SI 2012/2479) states that: <i>all decisions made by a PCC are in the types of information that must “be published as soon as practicable after it becomes available to the elected local policing body”.</i>
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<b>OFFICER APPROVAL</b>	
<b>Chief Executive or Nominee:</b> I have been consulted about the proposal and confirm that financial, legal and equalities advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner	
Name David Peet	Date

**DECISION REPORT**  
**25 APRIL 2017**  
**REPORT OF THE POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER**

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**1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

- 1.1 To seek approval for the award of a contract under framework RM'1557ix 'G-Cloud 9' for the supply of Chorus system licences to be provided by Chorus Intelligence, Woodbridge Suffolk.

**2. INFORMATION AND ANALYSIS**

- 2.1 The Commissioner has for some time had a small number of Chorus Analyser licences which are used for data analysis using standalone PCs for investigations across the force. The system is used by Operational Analysts who support Police officers. These analysts are working at full capacity primarily in support of cases where bulk communications data needs to be analysed.
- 2.2 The supplier, Chorus has introduced an 'Investigator' licence which can be used by front line officers on cases with less complex data analysis needs.
- 2.3 Chorus have added both types of licence, Analyser and Investigator, to the CCS G cloud framework and have offered discounts for longer term commitments. Currently the Analyser licence has been purchased annually. The rate for the Analyser licence is lower than currently paid, the Investigator licence has not been purchased before. Use of the G cloud framework provides compliance with procurement regulations.
- 2.4 The force has identified a requirement for 4 Analyser licences and 6 investigator licences.

2.5 For a three year commitment the annual cost of the contract is £33,250, total £99,750 for the 3 year period of 1 May 2018 to 30 April 2021, with the option to extend for a further one year.

### 3. RECOMMENDATIONS

- i. Award the contract to Chorus Intelligence under Framework RM RM'1557IX 'G-CLOUD 9' for the supply of Chorus Analyser and Investigator licences which will cover the period of 1 May 2018 to 30 April 2021 for the total cost of £99,750.

#### IMPLICATIONS

**All implications are assessed and scored to the table below.**

**HIGH – supporting explanation and narrative required and to be contained within the report**

**MEDIUM – narrative to be contained within the report at the discretion of the author**

**LOW – no narrative required**

	LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH
Crime & Disorder	√		
Environmental	√		
Equality & Diversity	√		
Financial	√		
Health & Safety	√		
Human Rights	√		
Legal	√		
Personnel	√		

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