

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

**Request for PCC Decision**

**Received in OPCC  
Date: MARCH 2024**

**OPCC Ref: DN31/24**

**Drug Testing on Arrest**

Drug Testing on Arrest in custody has been introduced in the force as a Government funded initiative, and these tests will need to be carried out in custody on certain categories of detainees.

An ordering procedure needs to be put in place for the testing machines, mouth samples and the training of staff in the use of the machines.

A compliant route to market has been identified through the NHS Laboratory Diagnostics, Point of Care Testing and Pathology Managed Services Framework, which allows for direct award to Abbots Toxicology for the purchase of the equipment, consumables, and training for 1 year, with the option to extend for a further 1 x 12-month period. The estimated value of the contract is £40,000 per annum.

**Decision**

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.

Signature



Date 21 March 2024

**PUBLICATION SCHEME CONSIDERATIONS**

**Is the related Section B report to be published Yes/No**

The report contains commercially sensitive information.

**Is the publication of this approval to be deferred No**

If Yes, provide reasons below

**Date to be deferred to –**

NB Statutory Instrument 2011/3050 (as amended by SI 2012/2479) states that: *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”.*

**OFFICER APPROVAL**

**Chief Executive or Nominee:**

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 Andrew Dale

Date 21 March 2024