Stop and Search

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Where we were ?

- Birmingham East Officers highest users of stop and search

- No formal public scrutiny of stop and search

- Inconsistent Officer training

- Concern from Police and Public on Data quality

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Action taken since last meeting:

- Sergeant and Inspector awareness training

- Training days for all stop and search users commenced

- Senior Officers involved in training to show the importance to BE

- Top users identified for increased monitoring

- Increase of Supervisor screening

- Stop and Search Champions

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Proposed next steps:

- Training days for all stop and search users to be completed

- Weekly Senior Officer quality dip sampling

- Continue to identify top users for increased scrutiny

- Continue increased Supervisor screening

- Public scrutiny of stop and search forms

The Local Perspective

April 2013 to September 2013

OCU NAME	Apr-13	May-13	Jun-13	Jul-13	Aug-13	Sep-13	Grand Total
BE LPU	873	948	1104	1071	558	516	5070
BW LPU	907	643	1054	749	719	366	4438
DY LPU	362	277	173	95	106	167	1180
BS LPU	283	236	224	125	132	92	1092
WS LPU	234	163	95	108	76	64	740
BN LPU	89	111	257	99	37	30	623
WV LPU	141	133	111	75	49	37	546
SH LPU	215	128	72	19	11	8	453
SW LPU	104	74	54	24	27	105	388
CV LPU	9	4	0	0	2	4	19
NON LPU	28	54	5	5	3	1	96
U/K LPU	13	1	0	1	2	1	18
Grand Total	3258	2772	3149	2371	1722	1391	14663

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October 2013 to December 2013

	Oct		Nov		Dec		YTD		Force Total YTD		Force Av
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Total S & S submitted	731	-	491	-	246		6,646	-	22,852	-	2,203
Total S & S validated	650	88.9%	440	89.6%	236	95.9%	5,753	86.6%	19,134	83.7%	1,834
Total rejected	81	11.1%	51	10.4%	10	4.1%	893	13.4%	3,718	16.3%	
Searched for drugs	331	50.9%	235	53.4%	128	54.2%	2,881	50.1%	9,212	48.1%	876
Searched for weapons	57	8.8%	43	9.8%	25	10.6%	564	9.8%	1,948	10.2%	191
Searched for stolen property	80	12.3%	58	13.2%	35	14.8%	906	15.7%	3,586	18.7%	345
Total arrests (based on ICIS)	19	-	51	-	30		280		2,341	-	201
Arrest rate (of total searches)	2.6%	-	10.4%	-	12%		4.20%		10.2%	-	-

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Your thoughts?

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