

## Birmingham North Stop and Search/Use of Force Scrutiny Panel

**Location:** Sutton Police Station

**Date and Time:** Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2023 6pm

**In Attendance:** Lydia Furnell (Chair, LF), Matthew Baldwin (WMP Sgt), Natalie Cox (PPC Representative), Khalid Mahmood, Ram Battacharjee, Jav, Maggie Jones, Novlet Drake, Neil Marsh (WMP Sgt)

**Apologies:** Steve Smith, Andy Woodroffe, Larrisa Carr

**Absent:**

	Item Discussed	Actions
1.	Welcome and introduction Minutes of the last meeting, update on any actions taken from last meeting	<b>All actions completed.</b>
2.	UPDATE on stop and search data from PS Baldwin	
3.	Dip sample of stop and search  1) <u>SSBE-NA-132342459</u> . PC S subject S. 03/07/2023  2) <u>SSBE-MP-146888299</u> . PC H subject S. 12/08/2023  3) <u>SSBE-3L-150100155</u> . PC M subject M. 22/08/2023  4) <u>SSBE-BY-151584167</u> . PC R subject M. 27/08/2023  5) <u>SSBE-VY-84833055</u> . PC R subject (vehicle). 27/08/2023	<b>3 – Car showing intelligence for CountyLines. Police branded hat and fake siren spotted by officers. Panel Views: Officers explained everything well. Polite and well handled. Officer made sure he kept the situation calm. Positive feedback to officer</b>  <b>1 – Male trying to sell drugs to patients. Large knife recovered.</b>  <b>Panel Views: Officers were very good considering they were unaware he had a knife when sent to the job.</b>
4.	Dip sample of Use of Force records  1. Log 217 of 24/07/2023. PC D  2. Log 3557 of 25/07/2023. PC E  3. Log 834 of 16/07/2023. PC K	<b>4 – Car had activated ANPR. Car failed to stop for officers. Stinger deployed. Driver detained and bitten by police dog.</b>  <b>Panel Views: Officers de-escalation tactics were brilliant. Aftercare given to suspect by dogs officer was great. The use of force</b>



	<p>4. Log 553 of 09/07/2023. PS S</p> <p>5. Log 2803 of 18/08/2023. PC C-S</p>	<p>used was proportionate and incredibly effective at bringing incident to a close quickly.</p> <p>Action: Positive feedback to be given to officer</p> <p>2 – males have been stolen a phone. Knife was seen and threatened. Ground restraint used as male tried to make off.</p> <p>Panel views: officer was good. Handled well. Showed good duty of care to ensure handcuffs were locked in. showed dignity and respect to suspect even with the threat of a knife.</p> <p>Action: Positive feedback to be given to officer</p> <p>5 – CMPG – theft of car in crewe. Seen by traffic officers. Stinger used. Baton used.</p> <p>Panel views: Baton strikes were proportionate. Needed to ensure they could detain the suspect, so he didn't get away. Not too hard and effective.</p> <p>Action: Positive feedback to be given to officer</p>
5.	Action noted from discussions for update at next panel	As above
6.	Date and location of next panel	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November 2023 6pm.