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Dear Theresa

RE: HMIC PEEL Efficiency Inspection

I welcome this report and appreciate the opportunity to comment upon it.

I am pleased that the report is positive. HMIC has judged that Suffolk Constabulary is good at using its resources to meet demand and that the force has shown good planning for the short and long term.

HMIC has also highlighted that, in its view, the force requires improvement to its workforce model to ensure that it is sustainable and affordable. However, I am pleased that HMIC has recognised the detailed analysis the force is doing to ensure its future model is fit for purpose, and can achieve savings.

I continue to work with the force to bridge the savings gap whilst maintaining an effective police force for Suffolk. I am confident that the Constabulary has taken active steps to develop a sustainable workforce model and I will continue to hold the Chief Constable to account for delivering on that work.

Yours sincerely

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