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Title	Personal Indemnity Insurance Policy
Version	Version 3.
Summary	This policy explains under what circumstances MPS officers and staff may apply for personal <i>insurance</i> indemnity.
Branch / OCU	Directorate of Resources
Author	Insurance Management Team.
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#### **Application**

- When? This Policy applies with immediate effect and until March 2015.
- Who? All police officers and police staff, including the extended police family and those working voluntarily or under contract to the Mayor's Office for Policing and Crime (MOPAC) or the Commissioner must be aware of, and are required to comply with, all relevant Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) policy and associated procedures.

This Personal Indemnity Insurance Policy (PIIP) applies to MPS police officers and police staff that are or may be engaged in *high-risk duties*.

# **Policy Principles**

The Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) Management Board and the Mayors Office for Policing and Crime (MPOC) recognise the need to ensure that in certain situations, MPS police officers and police staff are indemnified by the MPOC where their own *qualifying insurance* fails to provide an *indemnity* or, where the member of staff cannot obtain *qualifying insurance* or only at an excessive premium. This PIIP also demonstrates the willingness of the MOPAC as an employer of choice to address issues of concern to MPS police officers and police staff in the performance of their duties in today's society.

## **Purpose and Benefits**

The purpose of this PIIP is to provide an *indemnity* to MPS police officers and police staff who are or may be engaged in *high-risk duties* who all must comply with this PIIP and the associated SOP. The availability of the *indemnity* provided by this PIIP and associated SOP will provide reassurance for MPS police officers and police staff who are or may be engaged in *high-risk duties*, who may find themselves in a situation where their *qualifying insurance* fails to provide cover or is not available.

## **Associated Documents and Policies**

- Personal Insurance Indemnity Policy Standard Operating Procedure.
- MPS Overseas Travel Policy.
- Information from the Association of British Insurers at http://www.abi.org.uk/

#### **Notices to be Cancelled / Amended**

Previous PIIP policy and SOP that were published in March 2009 are cancelled by this policy.