

From: Jamie.Newman@met.pnn.police.uk

Sent: 31 July 2017 14:14

To: lorraine32@blueyonder.co.uk

Subject: Our meeting today.

Good Afternoon Lorraine,

I hope this email finds you well.

Further to our meeting last month I have written to PC G to give him the opportunity to participate in the re-investigation, I await his reply. When and if he replies I shall of course let you know.

Regarding a CPS referral, having reviewed the evidence I am currently of the view that such a referral should be left to the determination of our Appropriate Authority (A.A. - senior officer who reviews my report) upon the conclusion of the investigation. As it stands, I see nothing to prohibit such a referral, should the A.A. think it appropriate.

As you know, should the A.A. elect not to refer the matter to the CPS, you would of course have a right of appeal to the IPCC along those lines.

If you have any questions for me please do let me know.

Kind regards

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From: Newman Jamie M - HQ Directorate of Professional Standards

Sent: 30 June 2017 17:23

To: 'Lorraine Cordell' <lorraine32@blueyonder.co.uk>

Subject: Our meeting today.

Good Afternoon Lorraine,

Thank you for taking the team to meet with this afternoon, I found our meeting very useful in enabling me to better understand your complaint.

To confirm, the first thing I shall consider is a referral to the CPS. I shall begin by examining what consideration was given to such a referral by the previous investigator, Jeannette Riley.

Under the legislation that governs police complaints it is possible to seek guidance from the CPS where there is an indication that a criminal offence may have been committed, it is this test that I shall apply.

Leaving the CPS issue aside for a moment and the possibility of criminal charges, I acknowledge your request to have sight of the PC Geoghegan's MG11 and notebook. Such a disclosure can be made under Schedule 3 of the Police Reform Act 2002. I shall revisit this request once the possibility of a CPS referral has been addressed. However, I fully intend to comply with such a request, subject to necessary redactions.

Going forward, In addition to your original points of complaint I shall also attempt to provide a clear explanation for the issues surrounding the misconduct meeting occurring before you had the opportunity to appeal to the IPCC. As I stated to you earlier today, the MPS can only apologise for this oversight.