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Dear Deputy Commissioner

25 October Police and Crime Committee

Thank you for your offer at today's Police and Crime Committee to provide me with answers to the questions I have submitted on undercover officers within seven days. I am sure you understand my fury at not getting answers in this area. I have included with this letter the questions I submitted on 21 June 2012.

Please could you also let me know if the previous code of conduct for undercover officers granted permission to engage in criminal acts? Please could you also let me know if the previous code of conduct for undercover officers granted permission to have sexual relationships with the people they are targeting? Please can you specify the changes to the guidance on both these points, which prevent such behaviours from happening now?

You also agreed to get back to me with more detail on the possible changes to start times for those Met staff working in the Joint Prosecution Service. I am concerned about the impact a compulsory start time would have on staff, in particular female staff that may have childcare or other caring responsibilities. Please could you reassure me that the Met will re-double their efforts to resolve this matter without forcing staff to work at an unsocial hour, thereby potentially undermining the Met's own flexible working policy?

I look forward to hearing from you.

Best wishes



Jenny Jones
Green Party Member of the London Assembly