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NORTHUMBRIA POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER**Key Decision****Title and Reference: NP0503 – Mobile Phone Refresh****(PCC/694/2025)****Summary:**

Digital Policing have a budget of £576,908 allocated to complete a mobile phone refresh and procure 1400 new devices. This was originally anticipated to be procured under the new IT hardware framework which received OPCC approval in July 2025, however, due to unforeseen resource issues the tender is still to be advertised. A further competition using the CCS framework will ensure the mobile phone refresh can progress as planned, with any future mobile purchases being procured under the IT hardware framework upon award.

Recommendation/Findings:

It is recommended that a further competition is conducted under the CCS framework to exploit economies of scale for the mobile phone refresh and obtain value for money. This will ensure suppliers on the framework provide the most competitive pricing and the bulk purchase will help drive the cost down, allowing the 1400 devices to be procured for significantly less than the £576,908 budget.

Northumbria Police and Crime Commissioner**Signature****Date****9.10.25**