

## PART A - Initial Impact Assessment

**Proposal Name:** Sheffield City Council's Consent for the Police & Crime Commissioner Powers

**EIA ID:** 2438

**EIA Author:** James Henderson (CEX)

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**Proposal Outline:** The mayor of South Yorkshire has proposed that the powers of the Police and Crime Commissioner should be held by the mayor following the current PCC's term of office in May 2024. This transfer of powers requires the consent of all four constituent councils within the Mayoral Combined Authority, of which Sheffield is one. This report seeks Sheffield City Council's formal consent to this transfer, and to reducing the Mayor's term of office to coincide with the term of office for the Police and Crime Commissioner to enable a new mayoral election to take place in May 2024 with the mayor holding the police and crime commissioner powers.

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**Proposal Type:** Non-Budget

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**Year Of Proposal:** 23/24

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**Lead Director for proposal:** James Henderson (CEX)

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**Service Area:** Policy and Democratic Engagement

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**EIA Start Date:** 06/11/2023

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**Lead Equality Objective:** Leading the city in celebrating and promoting inclusion

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**Equality Lead Officer:**

## Decision Type

### Committees:

Policy Committees

- Strategy & Resources

## Portfolio

### Primary Portfolio:

Strategic Support Services

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### EIA is cross portfolio:

No

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### EIA is joint with another organisation:

No

## Overview of Impact

### Overview Summary:

The proposal itself is a change in formal governance arrangements (moving powers from an elected Police and Crime Commissioner to the elected South Yorkshire Mayor). As such there is unlikely to be a significant impact on any particular groups of people. However, the proposal is designed to be an enabling one to support greater integration between the work of South Yorkshire Police and partner agencies, including local authorities. Through the improvements in efficiency and effectiveness outlined in the report there could be a positive impact for some specific groups (e.g. people at risk of domestic violence, people with mental health problems or others who may be vulnerable).

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### Impacted characteristics:

- Age
- Cohesion
- Disability
- Health
- Poverty & Financial Inclusion
- Pregnancy/Maternity
- Race

Sex  
Sexual Orientation  
Voluntary/Community & Faith Sectors  
Religion/Belief  
Partners  
Gender Reassignment  
Carers

## Consultation and other engagement

## Cumulative Impact

Does the proposal have a cumulative impact: No

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Impact areas:

## Initial Sign-Off

Full impact assessment required: No

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Review Date: 06/11/2023

## Action Plan & Supporting Evidence

Outline of action plan:

Action plan evidence:

Changes made as a result of action plan:

## Mitigation

Significant risk after mitigation measures:

Outline of impact and risks:

## Review Date

Review Date:

06/11/2023