



Focus Performance to:
*Create a Safer
Cambridgeshire*



National Intelligence Model Policy

1.0) Policy Statement

1.1) Cambridgeshire Constabulary will manage the use of its operational resources through the use of a tasking and co-ordination procedure as described by the National Intelligence Model. Tasking and co-ordination will comprise the following elements:

- Strategic Tasking & Co-ordination (at both force and BCU level);
- Tactical Tasking & Co-ordination (at both force and BCU level);
- BCU Daily Management Meetings;
- Daily Briefing & Tasking.

1.2) In addition to adopting a corporate tasking and co-ordination process the Constabulary will support the wider principals of the NIM as espoused by the National Criminal Intelligence Service (NCIS) and the ACPO NIM implementation team. The Director of Intelligence will have responsibility for developing the Constabulary's systems and structures to better facilitate the integration of the NIM and Cambridgeshire's operational policing model.

1.3) The conduct of Strategic Tasking and Co-ordination (ST&C) in Cambridgeshire will be in accordance with the force and BCU ST&C procedure documents. Control Strategies set during the ST&C process will define the operational priorities for all Constabulary employees. The status of the Control Strategy will be such that the operational priorities set by it will take precedence over objectives as set out in the National Policing Plan, the Police Authority Strategic Plan and the Performance Improvement Plan. These documents obviously inter-relate and it is the responsibility of the Force Executive Group to ensure that priorities and objectives are not at variance with one another.

1.4) The conduct of Tactical Tasking and Co-ordination (TT&C) in Cambridgeshire will be in accordance with the force and BCU TT&C procedure documents.

1.5) The Cambridgeshire force (Level 2) Strategic Tasking and Co-ordination Group (ST&CG) and Tactical Tasking and Co-ordination Group (TT&CG) will focus their attention on issues affecting Cambridgeshire. The Constabulary will continue to support regional activity through the Regional (Level 2) tasking and co-ordination process. The procedures of Regional tasking and co-ordination will be governed by the Director of Intelligence in conjunction with our partner forces and the NCIS.

1.6) The day to day management of operational resources will be achieved at BCU level by the Daily Management Meeting (DMM). The BCU DMM procedure document defines how this process will operate. No equivalent process will take place formally at the force level. If exceptional circumstances dictate that force resources be redirected away from the priorities decided by the force TT&CG the decision to refocus will be taken by the relevant departmental head. For example

upon initiation of a murder enquiry the Head of Crime will release resources as they see fit. Action taken in this way will be ratified at the subsequent force TT&CG.

1.7) Target Profile and Problem Profiles will be produced in accordance with the Target Profile and Problem Profile Procedure documents. All Target and Problem Profiles will utilise the corporate templates produced for this purpose.

1.8) Any failure to comply with a published policy or procedure may be considered a breach of the Police Code of Conduct or, be considered misconduct or gross misconduct and result in disciplinary action. It should not be assumed that printed copies of this policy document are current. Refer to the policy database for the definitive version.

2.0) Motivation

2.1) The full implementation of the NIM and the integration of it with the Cambridgeshire operational policing model offers opportunities to improve operational performance. Prioritisation of activity and proactive management of resources through the procedures of the NIM will allow the Constabulary to better target the issues that are of the greatest importance both to the force and to the community at large.

3.0) Co-operation

3.1) In order to maximise the benefits and opportunities afforded by the NIM tasking & co-ordination process it is essential that the Constabulary collaborates closely with its partners both at a strategic and at a tactical level. Both the ST&C and the TT&C procedures identify that representatives from our partner agencies will have a role to play in the tasking and co-ordination process.

3.2) Cambridgeshire Constabulary recognises that co-operation is a two way process and that in order to achieve co-ordinated inter-agency activity it is essential that there is substantial engagement at both the tactical and the strategic levels. In order to work towards better collaboration the Constabulary will actively support partner agency initiatives where these contribute towards the priorities and objectives of the force.

3.3) In order for the tasking and co-ordination process to work effectively at the force level the Constabulary will need the co-operation of all contiguous Police Forces. Cambridgeshire Constabulary is committed to ensuring that operational activity derived from the force Level 2 process is linked to the regional process. Where regional activity falls outside of the force Control Strategy the Constabulary will continue to support the regional effort through the gathering and sharing of intelligence. The

Constabulary will give consideration to including regional priorities within the force Intelligence Requirement.

4.0) Related Documents

Author	Title	Date	Location	Public
NCIS	The National Intelligence Model	2000	NCIS web site	Yes
The ACPO NIM Team	NIM Intelligence Products Version 2	May 2002	Investigator's Forum Database	No
DI Dan Vajzovic	Force ST&C Procedure	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DI Dan Vajzovic	BCU ST&C Procedure	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DI Dan Vajzovic	Force TT&C Procedure	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DI Dan Vajzovic	BCU TT&C Procedure	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DI Dan Vajzovic	BCU Daily Management Meeting Procedure	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DS Dave Corcoran	BCU Intelligence Unit Meetings Procedure	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DS Dave Corcoran	Briefing and Tasking Database Procedure	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DS Dave Corcoran	Problem Profile Procedure	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DI Dave Corcoran	Target Profile Procedure	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DI Dan Vajzovic	Red Circling of Intelligence Unit Staff	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DS Dave Corcoran	Cell Intervention Policy	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No
DS Dave Corcoran	Briefing Model for the Patrol Function Policy	January 2004	Policies Library Database	No