



**NORTHAMPTONSHIRE**  
POLICE, FIRE & CRIME  
COMMISSIONER

Darby House, Darby Close,  
Park Farm Industrial Estate,  
Wellingborough, NN8 6GS

28/02/2025

## **Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner for Northamptonshire and Northamptonshire Chief Constable**

### **Audit of 2023/24 Statement of Accounts**

External auditors, Grant Thornton UK LLP, have been unable to issue certificates of completion at this time because they cannot formally conclude the audits for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2024 in accordance with requirements of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 and the Code of Audit Practice until the National Audit Office has concluded their work in respect of WGA for the year.

Regulation 16(1) of The Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 requires the Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner and the Chief Constable to publish a statement:

- That the audit has been concluded
- That the statement of accounts has been published
- Of the rights of inspection conferred in local government electors by section 25 of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 and the address at which, and the hours during which, those rights may be exercised.

As the audits have not yet been concluded, these statements cannot yet be issued.

**This notice is intended to clarify this position.**

However, audited copies of the Statement(s) of Accounts including auditor's report are published on this website as required.

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