

An Garda Síochána



Annual Policing Plan 2013

Tipperary Division

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VISION

*‘Excellent people delivering
Policing excellence’*

MISSION

Working with Communities to Protect and Serve

VALUES

Honesty - Being honest and ethical and adhering to the principles of fairness and justice

Accountability - Accepting individual responsibility and ensuring public accountability

Respect - Having respect for people, their Human Rights and their needs

Professionalism - Providing a professional policing service to all

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Foreword

It is my pleasure to introduce the Divisional Policing Plan 2013 for the Tipperary Garda Division. This is the first Policing Plan in the current Garda Strategy period 2013 – 2015 and it incorporates our policing priorities for the coming year as well as reflecting the priorities determined for An Garda Síochána by the Minister for Justice and Equality under Section 20 of the Garda Síochána Act 2005. Our plan strives to incorporate the safety and security of the people of County of Tipperary.

This plan outlines how we intent to maintain and improve, our policing service to ensure safer roads and safer communities for all those who reside in County Tipperary.

Our Policing Plan builds upon our successes and learning in 2012 and sets out key actions and performance measures to be achieved in a manner that reflects the human rights principles of legality, necessity, proportionality, non-discriminatory and accountability. This approach will be guided by the core values of Honesty, Accountability, Respect and Professionalism within the limits of our available resources.

This Policing Plan identifies the key priorities that we will strive to achieve in its lifeline, which are devised to assist and support our communities. We will remain relentless in the pursuit of criminals to keep our neighbourhoods safe. We plan to achieve this through four strategic goals:

- Securing Our Nation
- Proactive Policing Operations
- Ensuring Safe Communities
- Delivering a Professional Service

We will continue to engage collaboratively with our Joint Policing Committees and other statutory agencies. We are committed to providing a strong community policing and enforcement presence to strengthen the confidence and resilience of communities while lessening the impact of criminality.

Our objectives will be achieved through intelligence led operations, high visibility patrolling, engaging with our communities and the efficient use of our resources.



Road safety remains of paramount importance in our Plan, and our objective is to further reduce the instances of fatal and serious collisions on our roads and deny the use of our road network for criminal activity. The continued engagement with, and education of, young people through schools programmes will assist us with the promotion of key messages and initiatives on road safety.

While we recognise that we are policing in very challenging times, we remain committed to prioritising our resources to provide an efficient and effective service to the people we serve.

To keep people safe in their homes and on our roads, we remain committed to Community and Neighbourhood Policing. Opportunities have been identified in the Garda District and Station Rationalisation Programme to provide designated Community Gardai to specific areas where they will work closely with both voluntary and statutory sectors, the youth and the elderly, in embracing a more inclusive community where we can work together to make a difference.

On a personal note, I wish to thank you for your on-going support and co-operation throughout the past year, which is vital to the delivery of an effective policing service. Your engagement with us has been instrumental in the solving of serious crime, drugs and anti-social behaviour.

I welcome your constructive feedback and dialogue and with your help – we can make a difference to the lives of others in our community.

Catherine M. Kehoe
Chief Superintendent
Tipperary Division.

Policing Priorities for An Garda Síochána for 2013

Determined by the Minister for Justice and Equality

Background:

The function of An Garda Síochána under Section 7 of the Garda Síochána Act 2005 is to provide policing and security for the State with the objective of:

- (a) preserving the peace and public order
- (b) protecting life and property
- (c) vindicating the human rights of each individual
- (d) protecting the security of the State
- (e) preventing crime
- (f) bringing criminals to justice, including by detecting and investigating crime
- (g) regulating and controlling road traffic and improving road safety, and
- (h) carrying out such other functions conferred by law, including those relating to immigration.

In producing his policing plan, the Garda Commissioner is required to have regard to the priorities of the Minister for Justice and Equality and to the Garda Strategy Statement. The Commissioner is also required to have regard to relevant Government policy. This includes the provisions of the Programme for Government and the specific Government strategies in relation to drugs, human trafficking, youth justice, victims of crime, road safety and on domestic and sexual violence.

Priorities for 2013:

The Minister, under the provisions of section 20 of the Garda Síochána Act 2005, has determined the following matters as priorities for the Garda Síochána for 2013.

Security

To protect the State and the people against terrorism in all its forms.

Crime

To combat serious crime in all its forms, in particular violent crime, organised crime including human trafficking, and white collar crime.

Policing Communities

To provide a policing service which meets the needs of local communities, tackles antisocial behaviour and burglary and supports the needs of victims of crime, treats them with dignity and keeps them informed about the progress of cases relevant to them.

Roads Policing

To continue to reduce the number of deaths and serious injuries on our roads arising from collisions.

Domestic and Sexual Violence

To prevent domestic, sexual and gender-based violence and to effectively tackle such violence when it occurs.

Efficient use of resources

To maximise efficiencies in resource allocation and deployment of personnel, while maintaining professional policing standards across the Force.

Goal One: Securing Our Nation

Ensuring our National Security is a key priority for An Garda Síochána. We are committed to maintaining national security and will continue our role in safeguarding international security

Initiative	This will be achieved by	Performance Indicators	Process Owner	Outcome
<p>Targeted operations against terrorist and extremist groups, including dissident republican</p> <p>Targeted operations against organised criminal activity, involving terrorist groups</p> <p>Continued exchange of information and intelligence with appropriate domestic and international agencies</p> <p>Enhanced level of readiness for major emergencies</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána will continue to improve its intelligence capabilities. On the basis of this intelligence, An Garda Síochána will target threats from terrorist, extremist and organised crime groups with links to terrorist groups</p> <p>An Garda Síochána will continue to share relevant intelligence with international partners. Information will also be analysed from partner agencies about threats to Ireland’s own security</p> <p>An Garda Síochána will work with relevant agencies to ensure that, in the event of major emergencies, the organisation has the capability to respond effectively at a national and local level</p> <p>An Garda Síochána will actively manage the security arrangements for all EU Presidency related events occurring in Ireland</p>	<p>National security maintained through targeted operations</p> <p>Continue to increase intelligence base in Tipperary Division</p> <p>Enhanced use of ANPR systems to identify criminal activity and deny criminals the use of the roads network</p> <p>Garda major emergency plans in place and one major emergency exercise conducted at Seveso Site in Tipperary Division.</p> <p>Ensure a cadre of staff is maintained and trained if required</p> <p>EU Presidency security maintained</p>	<p>Chief Superintendent, Tipperary Divisional Officer</p> <p>Each Superintendent Tipperary Division</p> <p>Detective Inspector William Leahy</p> <p>Inspector Pádraig De Burca</p>	<p>A Secure State</p> <p>A Secure Division</p> <p>Active Role in International Security</p>

Goal Two: Proactive Policing Operations

An Garda Síochána is committed to protecting the public from serious harm. Working with our partners we will develop targeted policing operations to reduce crime and ensure safety on our roads

Initiative	This will be achieved by	Performance Indicators	Process Owner	Outcome
Information-led policing operations to combat crime	Successful information led interventions, based on intelligence and analysis, will be used to generate reductions in crime	Reduced property crime and increased detection rates		
Continue to target property crime and persistent offenders	Target the most prolific offenders involved in property crime Target property incidents such as robberies and aggravated burglaries that use threats of violence	Assignment of case managers to prolific offenders	Chief Superintendent, Tipperary Divisional Officer	
Use all available means to deny criminals the use of our roads for criminal activity	An Garda Síochána will use intelligence and technology to target and disrupt individuals and groups using the roads networks for criminal purposes. This will contribute to the overall reductions in crime and improve road safety	Increased use of A.N.P.R and intelligence lead patrolling	Each Superintendent Tipperary Division	Reduced crime
Actively address all forms of Violent Crime	An Garda Síochána will continue to work to reduce violent crime through strong enforcement and prevention strategies An Garda Síochána will strive to ensure that individuals feel confident that they can report sexual offences and/or domestic violence and that the organisation will pursue the investigation of these offences with vigour	Violent crime reduced and detections increased Garda Policy on Domestic and Sexual Violence implemented	Detective Inspector William Leahy	

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Initiative	This will be achieved by	Performance Indicators	Process Owner	Outcome
Work with all our partners to help prevent and reduce the threat posed by crime	One information seminar completed in Tipperary Division with the aim of increasing public awareness of An Garda Síochána's policy relating to the investigation of incidents of sexual abuse, crimes against children or incidents of domestic violence	One information seminar completed		
Target organised crime, human and drug trafficking networks	An Garda Síochána will seek to work effectively with all national and local groups (such as Joint Policing Committees, community and businesses organisations) to prevent and reduce the threat posed by crime	Increase feelings of safety in communities Continued engagement with all community and business groups/organisations Organised crime groups targeted and disrupted	Chief Superintendent, Tipperary Divisional Officer	Reduce Crime
Effective investigation of those who engage in white collar and financial crime	The identification and targeting of organised crime groups, whose activities have such a negative impact on communities across the country (for example, trading in drugs, illegal goods, and human trafficking for the purpose of sexual and labour exploitation)	Continued commitment to National Drugs Strategy 2009/2016	Each Superintendent Tipperary Division Detective Inspector William Leahy	
	An Garda Síochána will work in conjunction with relevant partner agencies and institutions to identify and investigate groups and individuals involved in white collar/financial crime	Targeted operations against individuals, groups or organisations engaging in white collar / financial crime Continued engagement with National Units	Inspector Paul O Driscoll	

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<p>Work in partnership with other agencies to successfully enforce our roads policing strategy</p> <p>Targeted traffic enforcement to reduce deaths and serious injuries on our roads and to challenge dangerous road user behaviour</p>	<p>Actions appropriate to An Garda Síochána as set out in the Government Road Safety Strategy 2013-2020 will be achieved</p> <p>An Garda Síochána will use targeted enforcement, based on intelligence and analysis, as well as education and prevention programmes to reduce serious injuries and fatalities</p> <p>The development, and implementation of a Roads Policing Plan</p>	<p>Increased roads policing/activity with other governmental agencies</p> <p>Further engagement with Community groups, schools and the use of media to enhance safe driving practices. The continued patrolling of collision prone zones</p> <p>Taking individual ownership of areas of roads policing to reduce fatalities and serious injury collisions as set out in the Divisional Roads Policing Plan 2013</p>	<p>Chief Superintendent, Tipperary Divisional Officer</p> <p>Each Superintendent Tipperary Division</p> <p>Detective Inspector William Leahy</p> <p>Inspector Padraig De Burca</p>	<p>Reduce Crime</p>

Goal Three: Ensuring Safe Communities

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Initiative	This will be achieved by	Performance Indicators	Process Owner	Outcome
<p>Active community engagement to develop appropriate policing strategies that meet the needs and priorities of communities</p>	<p>In order to ensure active community engagement, An Garda Síochána will continue to engage with all community groups and Joint Policing Committees. The existing model of community policing will be adapted to meet local needs</p>	<p>Increase feelings of safety in Communities throughout Tipperary Division through the development of sectoral policing and nominated Community Gardaí operating from Community hubs</p> <p>Community Alerts will be reviewed and where no scheme is in operation where a station closes a Community Alert Scheme will be established as a matter of priority</p> <p>Divisional Officer to convene a Divisional Community Alert and Neighbourhood Watch Meeting in line with National Policy</p> <p>Enhanced visibility and engagement with rural communities throughout Tipperary Division by building on existing initiatives and the development of new initiatives</p> <p>Each Neighbourhood Watch and Community Alert Liaison Garda will attend all local organised meetings. Each District will carry out a quarterly review on number of meetings held and attended by Liaison Gardai</p>	<p>Chief Superintendent, Tipperary Divisional Officer</p> <p>Each Superintendent Tipperary Division</p>	<p>Safe Homes in Tipperary Division</p> <p>Increased feelings of security in the Community</p>

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Initiative	This will be achieved by	Performance Indicators	Process Owner	Outcome
<p>Active community engagement to develop appropriate policing strategies that meet the needs and priorities of communities</p> <p>Support and protect vulnerable and diverse sections of our communities through community policing and proactive engagement</p> <p>Continue to support victims of crime and improve the services available to them</p>	<p>In order to ensure active community engagement, An Garda Síochána will continue to engage with all community groups and Joint Policing Committees. The existing model of community policing will be adapted to meet local needs</p> <p>An Garda Síochána will ensure that victims of crime are kept updated. We will also continue to review our policies and practices in order to ensure that the best available police service is given to victims of crime</p>	<p>Where required the District Officer will establish a local Community Fora in areas where Garda Stations have closed to provide a forum to address local issues and concerns among effected local communities</p> <p>Continued implementation of the Garda Older People Strategy – Each District in the Tipperary Division to organise at least one event aimed at Older Persons in their respective districts</p> <p>Each District to ensure that the Older Persons database/register is maintained and updated</p> <p>Two Supporting Safer Community Campaigns to be delivered in the Tipperary Division in 2013 in line with National Policy</p> <p>Increase levels of confidence amongst victims of crime by ensuring that there is ongoing feedback provided on criminal investigations by the investigating Garda and that the victim is kept updated of all progress in the investigation</p> <p>Each District Officer to examine the feasibility of introducing a text alert scheme within Community Alert and Neighbourhood watch areas</p>	<p>Chief Superintendent, Tipperary Divisional Officer</p> <p>Each Superintendent Tipperary Division Division</p>	<p>Safe Homes in Tipperary Division</p>

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Initiative	This will be achieved by	Performance Indicators	Process Owner	Outcome
<p>Continue to foster positive relationships with children and young people to promote their personal and community safety</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána will ensure delivery of the Garda Schools programme and use a range of other approaches, from youth groups through to social media, to engage with young people</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána in Tipperary Division will continue to promote and foster positive relationships with children and young people through the continued delivery of the Garda Schools Programme and the Tipperary Divisional Children and Youth Strategy</p> <p>The Schools programme will be reviewed each quarter to ensure delivery across all districts within the Tipperary Division and that levels of engagement with Schools in 2013 are at minimum levels achieved in 2012</p> <p>Continued proactive co-operation with all relevant Government Departments, organisations and agencies to improve the safety of children and young people in the Tipperary Division (HSE referrals to be monitored at District level & Divisional Level)</p>	<p align="center">Chief Superintendent, Tipperary Divisional Officer</p> <p align="center">Each Superintendent Tipperary Division</p>	<p align="center">Increased feelings of security in the Community</p>

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Initiative	This will be achieved by	Performance Indicators	Process Owner	Outcome
<p>Targeted local crime reduction and prevention initiatives</p> <p>Working in partnership, we will continue to tackle public disorder and anti social behaviour that will affect a community's quality of life</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána will develop local crime reduction programmes in conjunction with all stakeholders thereby contributing to increased feelings of safety in the community</p> <p>Working with relevant communities and business groups we will seek to continue reducing public disorder and tackle anti-social behaviour</p>	<p>Continued use of targeted operations as a crime reduction strategy in Tipperary Division</p> <p>The use of intelligence led policing to identify and target crime hot spots within Tipperary Division</p> <p>Continued engagement with Community Groups, the Vintners Association, Retailers and other relevant stakeholders to provide a coordinated approach to reduce public disorder and anti-social behaviour</p>	<p>Chief Superintendent, Tipperary Divisional Officer</p> <p>Each Superintendent Tipperary Division</p>	<p>Increased feelings of security in the Community</p>
<p>Provision of a visible and responsive policing service</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána will use new work systems, innovative analysis and technology (such as new command and dispatch centres) in order to ensure that the organisation responds as quickly as possible to emergency calls</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána in Tipperary Division will ensure that the rollout of CAD is implemented fully within the Division and will continue to support any workplace technology that improves efficiency</p>		

Goal Four: Delivering a Professional Service				
An Garda Síochána will continue to use all available resources efficiently to ensure the delivery of a professional policing service				
Initiative	This will be achieved by	Performance Indicators	Process Owner	Outcome
Develop new approaches to policing aimed at sustaining service delivery in line with our budget and resources	An Garda Síochána will develop new structures and processes that ensure we can maintain our policing capability with reducing resources	Implementation of new structures and processes	Chief Superintendent, Tipperary Divisional Officer	Best Use of Resources
	An Garda Síochána will proactively engage with staff associations and trade unions on all key change and development programmes	Implementation of the revised service delivery model for Tipperary Division		
Restructure the organisation to best meet the challenges of criminal activity and public demands	As part of the restructuring of the organisation we will complete a District and Station rationalisation programme	Implementation of the District and Station rationalisation programme	Each Superintendent Tipperary Division	Enhanced Delivery of Service
Maintain and develop the knowledge and skills of our people to ensure we are capable of tackling crime and meeting the needs of our communities	An Garda Síochána will identify the development and welfare needs of our people and, where possible, deliver new and innovative approaches to meet these needs	Divisional Risk Register to be monitored and reviewed on a quarterly basis	Inspector Padraig DeBurca	
Continue to enhance our organisation's performance and accountability systems	We will review the outcome of the pilot Performance, Accountability and Learning Framework and commence implementation for all members within the organisation	Implementation and training in respect of new initiative		

Goal Four: Delivering a Professional Service

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Initiative	This will be achieved by	Performance Indicators	Process Owner	Outcome
<p>Harness technology and information to generate efficiencies in the delivery of a policing service</p>	<p>Completion of Garda Professional Standards planned examinations and Garda Internal Audit inspections</p> <p>The organisation will continue to review and implement technology that can support the work of the organisation in a more efficient manner</p>	<p>Implementation of the recommendations from the Garda Professional Standards Unit and the Internal Audit Section</p> <p>Commencement and training of members in respect of Performance, Accountability and Learning Framework</p>	<p>Chief Superintendent, Tipperary Divisional Officer</p>	
<p>Reduce the organisation's cost base by exploring shared service opportunities across the public service</p>	<p>The organisation will proactively participate in relevant and compatible public sector shared service initiatives in line with government policy</p>	<p>Implementation and training in respect of new technology</p> <p>Active participation in public sector shared service initiatives</p>	<p>Each Superintendent Tipperary Division Officer</p>	<p>Enhanced Service Delivery</p>



Tipperary Divisional

Policing Plan 2013

Technical Notes

Target 1

Increase the number of Section 3/15/15A Misuse of Drugs Act Detections and in street value of Drugs seized

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Levels for 2013 higher than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of key terms

For the purpose of this target property offences cover:

ICCS Code	Offence/PULSE Incident Type	2012 Baseline
1022	Section 3 Misuse of Drugs Act 1977/84	302
1021	Section 15 Misuse of Drugs Act 1977/84	76
	Section 15A Misuse of Drugs Act 1977/84	18

A combined increase in incident types is required to meet this target (the *total* of all Incidents covered above need to be higher).

Target 2

Property crime reduced – and in particular Burglary

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Levels for 2013 lower than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of key terms

For the purpose of this target property offences cover:

ICCS Code	Offence/PULSE Incident Type	2012 Baseline
0611	Robbery of an establishment or institution	22
0612	Robbery of cash or goods in transit	0
0613	Robbery from a person	12
0711	Aggravated burglary	10
0712	Burglary (not aggravated)	678
0713	Possession of an article (with intent to burgle, steal, demand)	2
0811	Theft/Unauthorised taking of a vehicle	121
0812	Interfering with a vehicle (with intent to steal item or vehicle)	14
0821	Theft from a person	19
0822	Theft from a shop	439
0823	Theft from a vehicle	223
0824	Theft/Unauthorised taking of a pedal cycle	16
0826	Theft of other property	535
0831	Handling or possession of stolen property	17

A combined decrease in incident types is required to meet this target (the *total* of all incidents covered above need to be lower – there does not necessarily need to be a decrease against each one of these).

Target 3

Detection rates for property crime increased and in particular burglary

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Detection levels for 2013 higher than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of key terms

For the purposes of this target, property offences cover:

ICCS Code	Offence/PULSE Incident Type	2012 Baseline
0611	Robbery of an establishment or institution	77%
0612	Robbery of cash or goods in transit	-
0613	Robbery from a person	67%
0711	Aggravated burglary	60%
0712	Burglary (not aggravated)	21%
0713	Possession of an article (with intent to burgle, steal, demand)	100%
0811	Theft/Unauthorised taking of a vehicle	36%
0812	Interfering with a vehicle (with intent to steal item or vehicle)	50%
0821	Theft from a person	53%
0822	Theft from a shop	82%
0823	Theft from a vehicle	11%
0824	Theft/Unauthorised taking of a pedal cycle	44%
0826	Theft of other property	24%
0831	Handling or possession of stolen property	100%

The target has the element of increasing the detection rates for the group as a whole but particular emphasis will be placed on the detection rate for burglary.

Target 4

Increase the Detection Rates for Sexual Offences

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)
 Target year: 2013 Calendar Year
 Minimum movement: Detection levels for 2013 higher than those for 2012
 Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of Key Terms

For the purpose of this target, Sexual offences cover:

ICCS Code	Offence/PULSE Incident Type	2012 Baseline
0211	Rape (Inc Rape Sec 4)	61%
0212	Defilement	100%
0213	Sexual Assault of a Mentally Impaired Person	100%
0214	Aggravated Sexual Assault	100%
0215	Sexual Assault	44%

A combined increase in the Detection Rates for these categories is required to meet this target. It is not necessary to achieve an increase in Detection rates for all of the targets but the increase should be for the group in total.

Target 5

The number of arrests at Domestic Violence Incidents increased

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Levels for 2013 higher than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of Key Terms

There is no specific incident type that is specifically designated as Domestic Violence. Rather, Domestic Violence is identified as an aggravating factor in a range of incidents, e.g. Assault. On the PULSE system, it is identified through the MO Tab. If the MO Tab indicating Domestic Violence is not ticked then for the purposes of this target it will not be counted.

Incidents where the MO Domestic Violence Tab has been ticked will be counted and cross checked against prisoner logs for the same incident. Thus where a tick and prisoner log are in place on the same incident, it will be counted towards this target.

International research has shown that a pro-arrest strategy is effective in reducing Domestic Violence.

Target 6

All persons subject to the provision of the Sex Offenders Act 2001 risk assessed.

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Levels for 2013 lower than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of key terms

The only information on the whereabouts of **sex offenders** in Ireland which is held centrally by the Gardaí is a certificate issued by the court in relation to those convicted by the court of **sexual offences**. This certificate states that the convicted person is now subject to the requirements of the **Sex Offenders Act, 2001**. The Garda Domestic Violence and **Sexual Assault Unit** also receive a copy of the **Sex Offenders Notification Form** from the Garda station in whose area the **sex** offender resides. This means that details of everyone subject to the requirements of the **Sex Offenders Act 2001** are held centrally.

This target requires that all individuals on the register are risk assessed.

Target 7

Increase the number of detections for drivers under the influence of an intoxicant

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Levels for 2013 higher than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of key terms

For the purposes of this target, property offences cover:

ICCS Code	Offence/PULSE Incident Type	2012 Baseline
0412	Driving/In charge of a vehicle under the influence of alcohol	289
0413	Driving/In charge of a vehicle under the influence of drugs	9

For the purpose of this target, it is to promote higher rates of compliance with drink driving legislation rather than increased detections.

Target 8

The number of fatal and serious road collisions reduced.

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Levels for 2013 lower than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of key terms

For the purpose of this target, all incidents defined as Traffic Collision (fatal) and Traffic Collision (serious injury) will contribute.

Offence/PULSE Incident Type	2012 Baseline
Fatal Collisions	4
Fatalities	5
Serious Injury Collisions	10

A combined decrease in incident types is required to meet this target (the *total* of both targets need to be lower – there does not necessarily need to be a decrease against each one of these).

Target 9

Incidents of public disorder reduced.

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Levels for 2013 lower than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of key terms

For the purpose of this target public order offences cover:

ICCS Code	Offence/PULSE Incident Type	2012 Baseline
1312	Public Order Offences	824
1313	Drunkness Offences	226

A combined decrease in incident types is required to meet this target (the *total* of all incidents need to be lower – there does not necessarily need to be a decrease against each one of these).

Target 10

Crimes against the person reduced (assaults).

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Levels for 2013 lower than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of key terms

For the purpose of this target, assaults cover:

ICCS Code	Offence/PULSE Incident Type	2012 Baseline
0321	Assault causing harm	93
0324	Minor assaults	240

A combined decrease in incident types is required to meet this target (the *total* of all these incidents need to be lower – there does not necessarily need to be a decrease against each one of these).

Target 11

Increase detection rate for crimes against the person (assaults).

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Detection levels for 2013 higher than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of key terms

For the purpose of this target, assaults cover:

ICCS Code	Offence/PULSE Incident Type	2012 Baseline
0321	Assault causing harm	83%
0324	Minor assaults	74%

The target has the element of increasing the detection rate for assaults within the Division.

Target 12

Criminal Damage reduced.

Indicator

Data set used: PULSE recorded crime – crime counting rules applied as per HQ Directive 139/03

Baseline: 2012 Calendar Year (As set out below)

Target year: 2013 Calendar Year

Minimum movement: Levels for 2013 lower than those for 2012

Frequency of reporting: Monthly

Definition of key terms

For the purpose of this target, criminal damage covers:

ICCS Code	Offence/PULSE Incident Type	2012 Baseline
1211	Arson	42
1212	Criminal damage (not arson)	609

The target has the element of decreasing the incidents of criminal damage within the Division.

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