

DECISION RECORD

Decision Record Number: 13

This document records a decision taken by the Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner, together with details of the advice he received prior to taking the decision.

Decision taken

The Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner has taken the decision to ratify the contract for the total care agreement for training & Operational purposes (2 separate contracts) that are the maintenance contracts to the Drager Breathing Apparatus utilised by NFRS.

Northamptonshire Fire & Rescue Service has an existing 10 year contract for Breathing Apparatus with Drager. The contract term is 1/4/2013 - 31/3/2023. It is now in its 6th year and was subject to the transfer scheme. The total value of the main contract is £340,620 (£34,062 pa). The Breathing Apparatus is used operationally and by training services. There are therefore 2 contracts to maintain and service the Breathing Apparatus in these 2 areas. The contracts are renewed each year. As the equipment is from Drager only this supplier can service the equipment.

Details of advice taken

Professional financial and legal advice has been sought to ensure the decision best supports frontline operational needs and represents value for money.

Stephen Mold Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner 16th April 2019

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