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RISK MANAGEMENT

Policy

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Risk Management Policy

The Police Service of Scotland (PSoS) will identify, assess, control, monitor and review risks in order to achieve the Service's objectives, protect its people, target its resources effectively and minimise unwelcome surprises.

PSoS is committed to utilising an auditable process and framework to manage all its key risks. The UK Corporate Governance Code 2010 emphasises the need for good corporate governance, of which risk management, business continuity and a system of internal review are key components. It re-iterates the importance of regular and systematic assessment of the risks facing the organisation and the value of embedding risk management and internal control systems within business processes.

PSoS will use ISO 31000 Risk Management Standards as the basis upon which it will conduct its risk management activities.