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| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DOMESTIC ABUSE</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Policy</b></p> |
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| <b>Data Protection compliant:</b>     | Yes                              |
| <b>FOI compliant:</b>                 | Yes                              |
| <b>Health &amp; Safety compliant:</b> | Yes                              |
| <b>GPMS compliant:</b>                | Yes                              |
| <b>Records Management compliant:</b>  | Yes                              |

## **Domestic Abuse Policy**

The Police Service of Scotland (PSoS) is committed to providing a professional, sensitive and consistent service to all victims of Domestic Abuse.

Key priorities for PSoS are to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all victims, their family and any other persons present at a domestic incident. PSoS will conduct thorough investigations and actively pursue perpetrators so they can be held accountable through the criminal justice system.