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## CPG Commercial Sexual Exploitation Meeting

### Scottish Parliament

3rd April 2019

6pm -8pm

### Minutes

#### Apologies

Jacci Stoyle	ACTS
Gordon MacDonald	CARE
Louise Gleich	CARE
John Mason	MSP
Hannah Sanderson	individual
Jo Zawadzka	Zero Tolerance
Janet Warren	Graduate women Scotland
Billie Wealleans	individual

#### Attendance

Rhoda Grant	MSP (Co-Chair)
Joan McAlpine	MSP (co –Chair)
Frankie O'Rourke	GCC Routes Out (secretariat)
Susan Moffat	individual
Marlyn Glen	individual
Bronagh Andrew	CSG TARA
Erika Grant	Project Turnkey
Steve Rawbone	Individual
Siobhan Jess	Nordic Model Now
Chris Hall	Not for Sale in Scotland
Ann Hall	Not for Sale in Scotland
Janice Wilson	Soroptimists
Beverley Johnston	The Salvation Army

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### **Agreeing the Minutes of the previous meeting**

Rhoda opened the meeting and asked if the group could agree the Minutes of the previous meeting. Steve Rawbone agreed the minutes. There were no matters arising.

### **MSP updates**

No specific updates in relation to MSP or parliament business. The community safety minister will be contacted and invited to a future meeting.

Discussion took place around commercial sexual exploitation and those most vulnerable to exploitation.

The group asked if a parliamentary committee could be set up to look at other countries. Joan McAlpine MSP agreed to take this suggestion to Ruth Maguire MSP .

### **Secretariat role**

Frankie O'Rourke resigned as CPG secretariat. It was agreed by the group that Jacci Stoyle would resume the role. Jacci who was not at the meeting had previously agreed if the days of the meeting could be more accommodating to her other work.

Frankie also highlighted the role can be supported by group members volunteering to help organise speakers and topics moving forward. The group agreed.

### **Future topics**

The group went through the suggested topic from the previous minute. Including;

- Themes discussion to include Holbeck, Ipswich, Rotherham, Sheffield
- The air weapons and licensing bill and clarity on local authority powers
- Julie Bindel as a guest speaker **(Chris and Ann Hall agreed to progress)**
- Some reps from other CPG's to update on their work
- Invite national feminist orgs
- Invite Renfrewshire and East Lothian council to talk about the adoption of the Nordic model **(Bronagh Andrew would investigate through NVAWP contacts)**
- Sex for rent

### **University and CSE- "sugar daddy" sites**

The group was presented with an e-mail advertising a "sugar daddy" site which is targeting female students and the practice of becoming a "sugar baby" as a viable means of funding university and college expenses. The group agreed to contact Equally Safe in Higher Education and express our concerns. **Frankie agreed to E-mail Anni Donaldson.**

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### **AOB**

The Salvation Army highlighted that Police Scotland in Dundee are interested in the work they have been doing in Edinburgh and would like to look at something similar for Dundee in relation to supporting women involved in street prostitution.

The group also discussed SACRO being awarded funding to work in partnership to offer support services to women involved in off street prostitution.

### **DONM**

The next meeting is 4th June 2019, 11.30-2.00pm