



Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Act 2022

2022 CHAPTER 32

PART 2

PREVENTION, INVESTIGATION AND PROSECUTION OF CRIME

CHAPTER 1

FUNCTIONS RELATING TO SERIOUS VIOLENCE

Exercise of functions

14 Involvement of local policing bodies

- (1) A local policing body for a police area may assist a specified authority in the exercise of—
- (a) the authority's functions under or in accordance with section 8 in relation to a local government area which coincides with or falls within the police area, or
 - (b) the authority's functions under or in accordance with section 9 in relation to a relevant area which, or any part of which, coincides with or falls within the police area.
- (2) A local policing body for a police area may—
- (a) monitor the exercise by specified authorities of their functions under or in accordance with section 8 in relation to a local government area which coincides with or falls within the police area, or
 - (b) monitor the exercise by specified authorities of their functions under or in accordance with section 9 in relation to a relevant area which, or any part of which, coincides with or falls within the police area.

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- (3) A local policing body may report its findings under subsection (2) to the Secretary of State.
- (4) The Secretary of State may by regulations make provision conferring functions on a local policing body for a police area for the purposes of subsection (1).
- (5) Provision under subsection (4) may include provision—
 - (a) for a local policing body to provide funding to a specified authority,
 - (b) for a local policing body to arrange for meetings to be held for the purpose of assisting the exercise by specified authorities of their functions under or in accordance with section 8 or 9,
 - (c) for the local policing body or a representative of the body to chair the meetings, and
 - (d) for such descriptions and numbers of persons as the local policing body may specify to be required to attend the meetings.
- (6) If a local policing body acts under subsection (1) or (2), or under regulations under subsection (4), in relation to the exercise by a specified authority of its functions under or in accordance with section 8 or 9, the authority must co-operate with the body.
- (7) References in this Chapter (however expressed) to a specified authority exercising functions in accordance with section 8 or 9 are to the authority exercising functions conferred on it apart from this Chapter in accordance with the section in question.

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 14 in force at Royal Assent for specified purposes, see [s. 208\(4\)\(d\)](#)
- I2** [S. 14](#) in force at 31.1.2023 in so far as not already in force by [S.I. 2022/1227](#), [reg. 4\(f\)](#)

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