

## Appendix D



# National Police Memorial Day

Patron  
His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales

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6 November 2018

For the attention of the Commissioner

Sent via email from [REDACTED]

Dear Commissioner

I am writing to you on behalf of the Trustees of National Police Memorial Day (NPMD). This day over the last decade has now evolved to become the preeminent event where everyone in our service comes together to remember our colleagues who have died on duty, and to support the families, colleagues and friends that they will never be forgotten. It is also seen as an important event by prominent stakeholders and politicians.

On the 25/26 January 2018 a paper was presented to National Police Chiefs' Council outlining how we intend, with your support to put the NPMD in a more sustainable financial position going forward to ensure that future generations of the service can have this important day to remember. Chiefs decided to support the NPMD for 2018, whilst trustees went back to revise and re-present the business case again in 2019 in order to secure more long term support to this important event in our calendar.

This year's NPMD saw many from the service including senior leaders, politicians and families attend our service of remembrance in Belfast, which if you did attend I am sure you will agree was both a moving and fitting occasion.

My purpose for writing to you is to ask for your contribution as agreed at Chiefs Council so that we may begin planning for next years' event. Your support is important to the day both in terms of finance but also in demonstrating that this is our day supported by our service.

If I can ask that as agreed, a cheque for £2130 made out to National Police Memorial Day be sent to The Treasurer, c/o [REDACTED]

Once again many thanks for your support.

Yours faithfully

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John Apter  
On behalf of the National Police Memorial Day Trustees