

Chief Officers, Community Justice Authorities

Copy: All Local Authority Criminal Justice Managers

5 October 2009



Dear Sir/Madam

HOME DETENTION CURFEWS (HDC)

In her letter of 15 June 2009 Jackie Knox informed you that, in the last 2 years, the Government had sought statistics on the number of home detention curfew community assessment reports (CARs) completed by local authorities as a means of evaluating the financial allocations provided for this task.

The original allocations in 2006-07 and 2007-08 financial years were based pro rata on the level of throughcare allocations allocated to Groupings/single authorities. In 2008-09 the HDC grant allocations were revised following the outcome of the statistical exercise and grant was allocated on a proportionate basis in line with the number of CARs completed by each CJA in financial year 2007-08.

The initial level of HDC grant allocations to CJAs in 2009-10 have been based on the allocations issued last financial year. We have now completed the statistical exercise for 2009-10 and calculated the revised of grant allocations for HDCs to CJAs ensuring that they are allocated in a fair and transparent manner. I attach a criminal justice social work services grant annex detailing the revised grant allocations to your CJA for HDCs in the current financial year.

Jackie also stated in her letter that the exercise recently completed would be the final statistical exercise for the purposes of determining the level of HDC grant allocations by not using the formula. I can, however, inform you that it is essential to have statistical information on programmes for three full years for grant allocations to be calculated by the formula. As the HDC programme started in June 2006 the Government has full year statistical information for financial years 2007-08 and 2008-09 only it will be necessary to carry out a similar exercise on the number of HDC CARs next year. I can therefore inform you that funding for HDCs will be formula based with effect from 2011-12 financial year.

If you have any queries please contact Maurice Williams by email Maurice.williams@scotland.gsi.gov.uk or by telephone 0131 244 5439.

Yours sincerely

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**Lanarkshire Community Justice Authority Indicative
Allocation 2009/10 (Revised 5 October 2009)**

Service	2009/10 Allocation
Core	
Probation	£1,398,988
Community Service	£2,409,474
Social Enquiry Reports	£1,751,364
Throughcare	£1,219,776
Home Detention Curfew	£40,800
SAO	£283,111
Diversions	£178,448
Bail	£179,650
Court Services	£428,786
Total Core Services	£7,890,396
Non Core	
Centrally Initiated Funding	
Arrest Referral	£125,599
Delivery of the National Training Programme	£60,000
Fiscal Work Order Pilots	£50,000
MAPPA	£134,227
Throughcare Addiction Services	£34,250
Youth Court	£1,587,060
Funding for Non-Centrally Initiated Areas of Work	
DTTO	£594,500
Mediation and Reparation Project	£139,277
New Service Development Funding	£190,000
Programme Delivery	£311,890
Social Enquiry Reports Pilot (to June 2009)	£19,083
Substance Related Offending	£94,598
Supported Accommodation	£110,948
Young People at Risk	£82,775
Total Non Core Services	£3,534,207
Overall Total	£11,424,603