



# Scottish Police Federation

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Dear Colleague

### **Election for Vice Chairman of the Scottish Police Federation – Information**

My good friend and colleague Graeme Ednie has notified me of his intention to retire from the police service on the 25<sup>th</sup> August 2016. Graeme has intimated his resignation from the position of Vice Chairman of the Scottish Police Federation to coincide with this date.

I am sure we will all miss Graeme and his remarkable contribution to the SPF over the years and have no doubt we will have many opportunities over the weeks ahead to thank him for all he has done and achieved.

Graeme's notified intention to retire now triggers the requirement for an election for his successor.

Elections for Officers of the Joint Central Committee are covered by Rule 3 of the Police Federation (Scotland) Rules 2013. Rule 3.2 states;

*A member seeking election as an Officer as mentioned in Rule 3.1 shall intimate in writing his or her intention to stand for election to the General Secretary and shall give not less than 28 days' notice. For the purpose of this Rule 'in writing' shall include by facsimile or electronic mail.*

The next meeting of the Joint Central Committee shall be on the 10th & 11th May 2016 and the election will be the first item of business.

Accordingly, I will require any nominations by close of business day (1700 hours) on **Monday 11th April 2016.**

Yours sincerely

**Calum Steele**  
General Secretary