

## CONSULTATIONS

Subject	What is Being Consulted About?	Closing Date / Start Date	Comment
<p><b>Governance</b></p> <p>Delivering Good Governance in Local Government</p>	<p>The CIPFA/SOLACE Joint Working Group is consulting on a revised draft framework on Delivering Good Governance in Local Government. It is their intention to produce an overarching framework, with police specific guidance to follow.</p>	<p>28 September 2015</p> <p>2015/16</p>	<p>The consultation questions can be found at: <a href="http://www.cipfa.org/policy-and-guidance/consultations/delivering-good-governance-in-local-government">http://www.cipfa.org/policy-and-guidance/consultations/delivering-good-governance-in-local-government</a></p> <p>Framework is Local Government focussed rather than PCC/Force which is promised for at a later date.</p> <p>We will reply to this consultation.</p>
<p><b>Accounting</b></p> <p>2016/17 CIPFA Service Reporting Code of Practice (SeRCOP)</p>	<p>For accounting periods commencing on 1 April 2016. This is the seventh edition of SeRCOP (and its predecessor, BVACOP) to be prepared under IFRS. Closing date</p>	<p>16th September 2015</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> April 2016</p>	<p>We will reply to this consultation.</p>
<p><b>Accounting</b></p> <p>2016/17 Code of Practice on Local Authority Accounting in the United Kingdom (the Code) Exposure Drafts (EDs)</p>	<p>The 2016/17 Code will apply to accounting periods starting on or after 1 April 2016. The proposed amendments in the 2016/17 Code cover changes in accounting standards and other issues on which CIPFA/LASAAC wishes to seek</p>	<p>9 October 2015</p> <p>1 April 2016</p> <p><a href="http://www.cipfa.org/policy-and-guidance/consultations/201617-code-of-practice-on-local-authority-accounting-in-the-united-kingdom-invitation-to-">http://www.cipfa.org/policy-and-guidance/consultations/201617-code-of-practice-on-local-authority-accounting-in-the-united-kingdom-invitation-to-</a></p>	<p>We will reply to this consultation.</p>

	interested parties views	<a href="#">comment</a>	
<b>Accounting</b> Telling the Story consultation	CIPFA and CIPFA/LASAAC are consulting on the Telling the story: improving the presentation of local authority financial statements (Telling the Story consultation).	9 October 2015  <a href="http://www.cipfa.org/policy-and-guidance/consultations/telling-the-story-improving-the-presentation-of-local-authority-financial-statements">http://www.cipfa.org/policy-and-guidance/consultations/telling-the-story-improving-the-presentation-of-local-authority-financial-statements</a>	We will reply to this consultation.
<b>Funding Allocation</b>	The Home Office have been consulting on a new formula allocation mechanism to share funding between forces. The consultation ends on 15th September.	15 September 2015	We have prepared a comprehensive and robust response to the consultation that can be found in Annex A.
<b>Finance</b> Apprentice Levy	The Government (BIS) is planning to levy via PAYE large companies/organisations in England. The levy will be aggregated and ring fenced to fund business that offer apprentice training programmes for aged 16+. An online system will display the levy payable and 'vouchers' available for them to use for training.	2 October 2015	The consultation only covers the implementation of a levy. More detail on the levy rate and scope will be provided later in the year.  This is likely to impact on the PCC/CC so we will coordinate a response.  Copy response to <a href="mailto:nigel.brook@westyorkshire.pnn.police.uk">nigel.brook@westyorkshire.pnn.police.uk</a>