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**Police, Fire & Crime Panel – Public Question**

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**Questions Posed:**

Given the low voting turnout - Just 15 per cent voters in Stoke-on-Trent. Turnout in Newcastle was 19.7 per cent. - Overall turnout was just 19.2 per cent; doesn't that raise embarrassing questions about you having a mandate and actually being representative of the area you have powers over, will you be taking 19.2% of your salary in line with the actual percentage of votes you have achieved?

**Panel Member: Member of Public – Mrs Mallender**

**Question Date: 16/05/24**

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**Commissioner Response:**

A verbal response will be provided by the Commissioner at Panel.

**Contact Officer**

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