

## FILENOTE

1 OCTOBER 2015

At the meeting with PIRC attending by John Mitchell and Kate Frame together with Les Brown and Stephen McGowan on 11 September 2015 at PIRC Offices, COPFS officials stressed the importance of ensuring that issues of race were fully addressed as part of the PIRC investigation. The importance of considering whether race had any influence in the way that the incident was dealt with as part of a wider consideration as well as whether there was any evidence of overt racism, was explained.

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