THAMES VALLEY POLICE

DETECTIVE CHIEF INSPECTOR ROLE SPECIFICATION

Role Title:	Detective Chief Inspector Inquest Team	Department:	Investigations, Counter Terrorism Policing South East (CTPSE)
Reports To:	Detective Superintendent Head of Investigations & Covert Operations	Location:	Near M4, Junction 12

Purpose of role:	Work as a deputy to the Head of Investigations leading a team of	
	supervisors and detectives in order to comply with direction from	
	HM Coroners in related inquests and Public Enquiries	
Principal	Act as the investigation SPOC between CTP SE and HM	
Responsibilities:	Coroners and their support teams	
	Ensure all work is cross checked with Thames Valley Police	
	Force Legal and appointed Counsel before submission	
	Review work held by the departments investigators to provide	
	support and guidance as necessary.	
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	Providing the leadership to engender an inclusive working	
	environment which thrives on team work across the department	
	and unit, is built on continuous professional development, and	
	which enables our people to fulfil their potential and aspirations.	
	To assist the head of department as an active member of the	
	CTPSE investigations department management team	
	To ensure that resources are effectively deployed to meet the	
	requirements of HM Coroners and that any work undertaken is	
	lawful and in compliance with CTP policy, College of Policing	
	Authorised Professional Practice (APP) and relevant legislation.	
	Work with policing and a range of external partners to achieve	
	the aims of the inquest team, identify learning, disseminate good	
	practice and create an environment conducive to CPD.	
	Work with intelligence managers to ensure that the processes	
	are in place to capture and assess all relevant Intelligence	
	relevant to the inquest process	
	As a member of the management team, utilise finance, staff and	
	other resources efficiently and economically so that deliverables	
	in CTPSE strategic plans are achieved effectively.	
	Provide oversight of NCIA, HOLMES, and CLIO to ensure	
	effective/efficient use and disclosure of the systems as required	
	for the inquest processes	
Essential role	CTSIO Course	
based training:	College of Policing PIP3 and successful completion of	
	accreditation process (unless already PIP3 accredited).	

NCIA HOLMES CT Managers course Fusion course (including exercise) Fusion Managers course		
Has previously undertaken the role of SIO or DSIO in Serious Crime management and investigation (Essential)		
Previous experience of managing investigations involving covert tactics in Counter Terrorism Policing (CTP) and/or Serious Organised Crime investigation and/or serious/major crime investigation (Essential)		
Has a detailed knowledge of Criminal Law and Court processes. (Essential)		
Has an understanding of crime scene interpretation and potential forensic opportunities. (Essential)		
Comprehensive understanding of College of Policing Authorised Professional Practice (APP) for serious crime investigation and covert policing (incorporates Murder Manual and MIRSAP principles) (Essential)		
Qualified Detective (to College of Policing PIP2 or PIP3) (Essential)		
Skilled Communicator, able to present information efficiently to variety of audiences (Essential)		
Operational experience of working with firearms commanders and understanding of firearms tactics in relation to covert policing operations (Desirable)		
Detailed knowledge and understanding of legislation and processes relating to Counter Terrorism investigations (Desirable)		
 We are emotionally aware – level 2 We take ownership – level 2 We collaborate – level 2 We deliver, support and inspire – level 2 We analyse critically – level 2 We are innovative and open-minded – level 2 		

Competency
Value
Framework
(CVF) Chief
Inspector - Step
Up Criteria for
Officers
applying for
promotion
(Level 2)

- Operationally competent and credible to lead and manage at silver commander level
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- Innovation and Transformation
- Problem Solving
- Performance
- Prioritisation
- Able to manage upwards