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ASSOCIATION OF CHIEF POLICE OFFICERS GUIDANCE ON POLICING MOTORWAYS MANUAL

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The Chair of the Fire and Rescue Authority
The Chief Executive of the County Council
The Clerk to the Fire and Rescue Authority
The Clerk to the Combined Fire and Rescue Authority
The Commissioner of the London Fire and Emergency Planning Authority
The Chief Fire Officer

Summary

This Circular is to advise of the publication of the above. A hard copy has been provided for each Fire and Rescue Service in England, Wales and Northern Ireland. In addition a copy has also been supplied to Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Scotland.

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1.0 Background

- 1.1 HMI Operations and Peter Hazeldine, CFOA Lead officer for Roads, have been working with ACPO on the re-write of their Guidance on Policing Motorways 2006 Manual.

2.0 ACPO Manual

- 2.1 As a result of this the manual has now been issued to every police force in England, Wales and Northern Ireland. In addition copies were provided for each Fire and Rescue Service. These copies were distributed through the CFOA Operations Committee and will be passed to the various regions through their representative on this committee. Peter Hazeldine has copies for those regions not present when the manual was circulated.
- 2.2 Any queries relating to the manual can be directed to Keith Ring or Peter Hazeldine, details below. However if you require to make contact direct with ACPO or require further copies please contact

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3.0 FRS Manual

- 3.1 The new draft FRS Manual on Incidents Involving Rescue from Road vehicles is currently out for consultation. Relevant sections have been directly lifted from the ACPO Manual into the FRS one so that common practices are adopted.

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