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# Advice to Business

## Recent Violence and Disorder

Following recent events in London and elsewhere, Strathclyde Police advises that currently there is no intelligence to suggest that there is any disorder planned in the Force area. However, businesses are asked to review their current security arrangements, ensuring security systems, CCTV systems, and business continuity arrangements are in place and remain effective. General security advice and assistance can be obtained from Strathclyde Police locally.

The Force has been monitoring this developing situation closely and reported the detention of a 16 year-old male on 9th August following an operation in the South Side of Glasgow. This was in connection with the posting of a message on the social networking site Facebook, allegedly inciting others to commit acts of disorder. Officers will continue to closely monitor the situation.

The Force has plans in place for any eventuality and will take every action necessary to prevent the kind of criminal behaviour seen in London and elsewhere in recent days.

Glasgow is a busy and vibrant city and there are several large events planned for the coming days including an International football match and the World Pipe Band championships. We would like to reassure everyone that they can come into the city to enjoy these in a safe and secure environment.

Businesses and their employees are asked to remain vigilant and report any concerns or observations to the Force on **0141 532 2000**. Alternatively, information can be passed via **CRIMESTOPPERS on 0800 555 111** where anonymity can be maintained.

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