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Subject: RE: PTO and CRB

Dear Ian,

I think we should say to all existing PTO holders who have not yet been through CRB that we are now required to do CRB checks on all clergy. Bishops, senior staff, incumbents have already been checked. (NB this must be verified) The process is now being extended to all who hold Bishop's PTO. All PTO holders should complete process by June 30th 2010 at which point all unchecked PTOs will be cancelled.

This copies to Shirley Hosgood and John Stapleton in case it raises any problems re safeguarding or legal considerations.

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Subject: PTO and CRB

Dear All

The Staff meeting yesterday requested that all holders of PTO in the diocese must have current CRB clearances at enhanced level. I have looked though the list in the online directory and about 90% have never been through a CRB check or are over five years with their last check. I realise there are some who are no longer actively engaged with ministry, but it would be difficult to separate them. It will also be costly, though the majority of these PTO's are unpaid volunteers.

We need to send a mail shot please to all PTO's on our current list and state that we are renewing all PTO's and that before we do that we have to have a CRB check done. Can we do something along the lines of the attached letter please?

Thanks

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