CHARGING DECISION/ADVICE & CASE ACTION PLAN (FOR CPS COMPLETION) URN: DPA .....

Charging decision and advice, specifying or attaching charges (*refer to documents/evidence seen, decision on offences*)

The IP has learning difficulties and is aged 29. She is complaining of indecency and rape allegedly committed upon her by her foster-father commencing when she was 13 yrs old. The IP has had a number of sexual partners in the intervening years so there is no medical evidence. The IP has in the past complained about her foster-mother sexually assaulting her and that was untrue. but more importantly there was no complaint about foster-father at that time. The IP has exhibited sexualised behaviour from and early age which has been documented. She has in the past made strong but wrong allegations of a sexual nature against other males. She has also been discovered having sex in inappropriate locations when still of school age.

In the circumstances I feel that the IP is too unreliable as a witness to stand on her own, and there is no supporting evidence to corroborate she is alleging. There is no realistic prospect of conviction so no charge should be laid.

Continue on separate sheet if necessary

Prosecutor to indicate general nature of decision and advice *(Tick one box only)*

Code	Advice	Suspect 1	Suspect 2	Code	Advice	Suspect 1	Suspect 2
A	Charge + request full file			H	Request evidential file		
B	Charge + request expedited file			I	Request expedited file		
C	Simple caution			J	Further investigation - resubmit		
D	Conditional caution			K	NFA – Evidential	E8	
E	Reprimand			L	NFA – Public interest		
F	Final warning			M	Other (*please specify*)		
G	TIC						
If 'K', enter Evidential code:				If 'C, D, E, F or L', enter Public Interest code:			

Further action agreed: **Action date by:**

1. 1.
2. 2.
3. 3.
4. 4.

PYO Provisional trial date: Charging review/action date:

Return bail date: n/a

Further consultation needed pre-charge: Y/N* (*If further consultation necessary, use continuation sheet MG3 A)*