



New Child Sexual Exploitation Measures Announced

The Prime Minister has announced a range of measures to tackle child sexual exploitation at Downing Street summit on the issue. Key measures include:

- A national whistleblowing helpline so public sector workers can report bad practice relating to CSE
- A CSE taskforce of professional troubleshooting experts in social work, law enforcement and health that will support local services
- A new system for “clawing back” exit pay-offs for senior staff who leave a post for failing to protect children, but are “quickly re-employed” in a similar role
- Child sexual abuse will be prioritised as a “national threat”, meaning police forces will have a duty to collaborate across force boundaries
- An additional £14m will be given to organisations supporting victims of sexual abuse (£7m in 2014/15 and £7m in 2015/16)