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Croydon Police Station  
71 Park Lane  
Croydon  
CR9 1BP

Dear Sir/Madam,

**Invitation to 'Project Argus- FAITH' workshop  
Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2019, 10am to 1pm  
Croydon Town Hall, Katharine Street, Croydon CR0 1NX**

I would like to extend a personal invitation for you to the 'Project Argus - FAITH'. This specially arranged workshop seeks to draw together all representatives from Bromley, Croydon & Sutton boroughs faith communities.

Counter Terrorism Policing are pleased to offer this event to support the local faith communities in their journey towards preparedness against terrorism. Project Argus is a National Counter Terrorism Security Office (NaCTSO) initiative exploring ways to aid faith communities in preventing against, managing, and recovering from a terrorist attack.

This is the first time ever that this workshop has been delivered for Bromley, Croydon & Sutton boroughs faith communities. This Project Argus event will feature a discussion based exercise, where delegates will be faced with a series of questions and dilemmas to resolve, both individually and collectively. Through participation in discussions and utilising knowledge and skills, delegates will be able to share best practice and identify areas for improvement.

Project Argus Faith is aimed at those responsible for writing policies/procedures or strongly influencing them. It will be delivered to delegates from the Bromley, Croydon & Sutton boroughs faith communities.

Delegates are asked to try completing the ACT E-learning package (*details at the end of this invitation*) if they have not recently attended one of the local ACT Awareness events in advance to assist them with this Project Argus Faith workshop. In addition, have knowledge of their venue's emergency response plans (incident management plan, recovery and business continuity plan) and the authority to effect changes or reviews of those plans (i.e. heads of management committees, trustees, security wardens or emergency planners).

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The event is invaluable yet free of charge. They are facilitated by highly qualified Counter Terrorism specialists and last for approximately 3 hours. They are interactive and require audience participation.

Attending this workshop is strongly recommended, it will help you to gain a better understanding of the threat from terrorism and the simple security measures that can be taken to better protect your faith venue and enhance your duty of care for safeguarding those that attend your faith venue.

The programme will include:

- Introduction and presentation by Superintendent Colin Carswell - Counter Terrorism Lead for Bromley, Croydon & Sutton Boroughs.
- Introduction to the new Faiths Liaison Officer for Bromley, Croydon & Sutton.
- Presentation by your local Counter Terrorism Protect Officers.
- Project Argus Faith workshop - presented by the specialist (CTSA) Counter Terrorism Security Advisor for Bromley, Croydon and Sutton.
- Recovery phase & business continuity presentation - Local Authority Resilience Team specialists.
- The event will include free light refreshments and provide access to additional free training workshops such as ACT Awareness, ACT Documents Awareness, ACT E-Learning and websites specifically designed to advise venues and communities about Counter Terrorism Security.
- Specialist emergency services advice followed by Q&A session.

**Those interested in attending should email:** [James.P.Baster@met.pnn.police.uk](mailto:James.P.Baster@met.pnn.police.uk)

Please include their name, venue, role, contact details (telephone number & email).

Full details required for additional people wishing to attend from your faith venue. If you have any questions about this event you can contact: James Baster on 07789 710213.

**Attendance to this free event is strongly recommended and by invitation only. Unfortunately we are unable to accept registration on the day.** I do hope you can join us.

Kind regards,

**Colin Carswell**

Superintendent - Counter Terrorism Lead  
Bromley, Croydon & Sutton Police

**ACT Awareness E-learning** free online package available

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