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Dear colleague,

Many of you will be aware of the IPCC investigation relating to the 2001 murder of Kevin Nunes. This three-year investigation involved fourteen serving and now retired officers from the force including the current Chief Constable.

In January 2014, the Crown Prosecution Service (CPS) determined that for five of the officers there was no criminal case to answer.

We have now been notified by the CPS, that the remaining nine officers subject to the investigation also have no criminal case to answer. All those affected have been informed and we continue to provide support to those affected.

We welcome the decision and clarity of the legal position from the CPS.

The IPCC have confirmed that the investigation has now ended and that they will be sending the investigating officers report to the force and the PCC shortly.

I will keep you updated on developments as they happen.

Nick Baker
Deputy Chief Constable

Below is a link to the CPS statement on this decision (you may need to copy this into your external internet browser to view the page.)

http://www.cps.gov.uk/news/latest_news/kevin_nunes/