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Dame Sara Thornton is the Independent Anti-Slavery Commissioner, with a UK-wide remit to encourage good practice in the prevention, detection, investigation and prosecution of modern slavery offences. Modern slavery - which encompasses slavery, servitude,

Valley Police where she specialised in intelligence led-policing and counter terrorism, and in 2007 became their first female Chief Constable. Sara was appointed the first chair of the National Chief