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TANIA NICOL ENQUIRY – DETAILED SEARCHES TO BE CONDUCTED

Detectives investigating the disappearance of 19 year old Tania Nicol will be conducting specialised searches from today (add date) in and around the area Tania was last seen.

Tania Nicol came into Ipswich from her home address in Woolverstone Close, Ipswich on the evening of Monday 30th October 2006 with the intention of working as a prostitute.

Officers have been working over the past month to pin point Tania's last known movements before she disappeared.

Hours of CCTV footage has been viewed and Tania's last confirmed sighting was in Handford Road at the junction of Burlington Road at around 11.07pm, Monday 30th October.

Officers have conducted visual searches and the force helicopter has been used to search the area Tania was last seen.

From today a specialist search team will be starting detailed searches along roads, alleyways, gardens and outbuildings starting in the area Tania was last seen.

The aim is to search for any evidence or discarded items that may help this investigation.

Detective Chief Inspector John Quinton who is overseeing the investigation into the disappearance of Tania said: "Our intention is to search the vicinity Tania was last seen, there maybe a discarded item in a garden or alleyway which may help the investigation. We are appealing for co-operation from people living and working in the area who may experience a small level of inconvenience over the next few days whilst the officers carry out their searches."

Anyone who has any information in relation to the disappearance of Tania Nicol, saw her on the evening she went missing or since are asked to call the Incident Room on 01473 613588 or Crime stoppers on 0800 555 111.

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