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### STANDARDS COMMITTEE

DATE: Wednesday, 20 March 2019

TIME: 10.00 am

**VENUE:** Council Chamber, Council Offices,

Thorpe Road, Weeley, CO16 9AJ

#### **MEMBERSHIP:**

Councillor Heaney (Chairman)
Councillor Bray (Vice-Chairman)
Councillor S A Honeywood
Councillor Nicholls

Councillor Scott
Councillor Steady
Councillor Whitmore

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#### **AGENDA**

#### 1 Apologies for Absence and Substitutions

The Committee is asked to note any apologies for absence and substitutions received from Members.

#### 2 Minutes of the Last Meeting (Pages 1 - 2)

To confirm and sign as a correct record, the minutes of the meeting of the Standards Committee, held on 16 January 2019.

#### 3 Declarations of Interest

Councillors are invited to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests or Personal Interest, and the nature of it, in relation to any item on the agenda.

#### 4 Questions on Notice pursuant to Council Procedure Rule 37

Subject to providing two working days' notice, a Member of the Committee may ask the Chairman of the Committee a question on any matter in relation to which the Council has powers or duties which affect the Tendring District **and** which falls within the terms of reference of the Committee.

# 5 Report of the Monitoring Officer - A.1 - Mandatory Training for Members - Annual Update (Pages 3 - 14)

To update the Standards Committee, as part of its agreed work programme, on the current position of mandatory training for Members (and <u>named</u> substitute members) of the Council's Audit, Licensing & Registration, Planning and Standards Committees.

# Report of the Monitoring Officer - A.2 - Annual Report on Declarations of Interest and Associated Matters (Pages 15 - 22)

To present the Committee with an overview on the register of, and declarations of, interests made by Members from 25 April 2018.

#### 7 Discussion Topics and/or Updates from the Monitoring Officer (Pages 23 - 132)

- (1) The Monitoring Officer will give a quarterly update on Complaints.
- (2) The Committee's Work Programme for 2019/2020

The Committee is invited to give consideration to its work programme for the 2019/2020 Municipal Year.

(3) "The Local Government Ethical Standards Report dated January 2019 following a review by the Committee in Standards in Public Life"

The Committee will discuss the Report with a view to noting its recommendations.

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