



STANDARDS COMMITTEE

DATE:	Wednesday, 3 August 2022
TIME:	10.00 am
VENUE:	Committee Room - Town Hall, Station Road, Clacton-on-Sea, CO15 1SE

MEMBERSHIP:

Councillor Land (Chairman)
Councillor Steady (Vice-Chairman)
Councillor Casey
Councillor V Guglielmi

Councillor J Henderson
Councillor Placey
Councillor Skeels

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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 - 12)**

To confirm and sign as a correct record, the minutes of the meeting of the Standards Committee, held on Wednesday 6 April 2022.

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 38**

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 - Local Government Association Model Members' Code of Conduct - Exploration of the differences between declaring Interests (Pages 13 - 94)**

To continue the review of the elected Members' Model Code of Conduct (the Model Code) as authored by the Local Government Association (LGA), in comparison to Tendring District Council's Members' Code of Conduct (the TDC Code), for eventual determination as to whether to recommend the Model Code to Full Council for adoption.

6 **Report of the Deputy Chief Executive & Monitoring Officer - A.2 - Independent Remuneration Panel and Independent Persons Recruitment (Pages 95 - 98)**

To enable the Committee to comment on the Independent Remuneration Panel's and Independent Persons' term of office, exploring alternative options and future recruitment, with consideration to recommendations to full Council.

7 **Report of the Head of Democratic Services & Elections - A.3 - Town & Parish Councils' Standards Sub-Committee: Appointment of Tendring District Council Members (Pages 99 - 100)**

To enable the Committee to appoint Tendring District Council's members to serve on the Town and Parish Councils' Standards Sub-Committee for the 2022/2023 Municipal Year.

8 **Quarterly Complaints Update and other General Matters (Pages 101 - 102)**

The Committee will receive the Monitoring Officer's quarterly update regarding standards complaints together with an update on other pertinent matters.

Date of the Next Scheduled Meeting

The next scheduled meeting of the Standards Committee is to be held in the Committee Room - Town Hall, Station Road, Clacton-on-Sea, CO15 1SE at 10.00 am on Wednesday, 26 October 2022.

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