

BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL

STANDARDS COMMITTEE

THURSDAY, 16 FEBRUARY 2023 AT 13:30 HOURS
IN HMS DARING ROOM, COUNCIL HOUSE, VICTORIA SQUARE,
BIRMINGHAM, B1 1BB

A G E N D A

1 DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

Members are reminded they must declare all relevant pecuniary and other registerable interests arising from any business to be discussed at this meeting.

If a disclosable pecuniary interest is declared a Member must not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless they have been granted a dispensation.

If other registerable interests are declared a Member may speak on the matter only if members of the public are allowed to speak at the meeting but otherwise must not take part in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless they have been granted a dispensation.

If it is a 'sensitive interest', Members do not have to disclose the nature of the interest, just that they have an interest.

Information on the Local Government Association's Model Councillor Code of Conduct is set out via <http://bit.ly/3WtGQnN>. This includes, at Appendix 1, an interests flowchart which provides a simple guide to declaring interests at meetings.

2 APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies.

3 MINUTES

To confirm and sign the Minutes of the meeting held on 26 January 2023.

Minutes to follow.

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4 **UPDATE ON TRAINING PLAN: CODE OF CONDUCT**

Report of the Assistant Director (Governance).

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5 **DISPENSATION UPDATE**

Report of the Assistant Director (Governance).

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6 **MEMBER COMPLAINT UPDATES: NOVEMBER 2022 - JANUARY 2023**

Report of the Assistant Director (Governance).

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7 **DEBATE NOT HATE UPDATE**

Report of the Assistant Director (Governance).

8 **OTHER URGENT BUSINESS**

To consider any items of business by reason of special circumstances (to be specified) that in the opinion of the Chair are matters of urgency.

9 **AUTHORITY TO CHAIR AND OFFICERS**

Chair to move:-

'In an urgent situation between meetings, the Chair jointly with the relevant Chief Officer has authority to act on behalf of the Committee'.