

**STANDARDS COMMITTEE
(ASSESSMENT SUB-COMMITTEE)**

HELD: 5 NOVEMBER 2008
Start: 2.00pm
Finish: 3.30pm

PRESENT:

Members: Independent Member Mr J Cailes (Chairman for the meeting)
Councillor Whitby
Parish Councillor Hammond

Officers: Council Secretary and Solicitor
Assistant Member Services Manager

39. APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN

RESOLVED: That Independent Member Mr J Cailes be appointed Chairman for the meeting.

40. APOLOGIES

There were no apologies for absence.

41. MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE

There were no changes to the membership of the sub-committee.

42. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest.

43. COMPLAINT OF BREACH OF CODE OF CONDUCT - LG5/15

The Sub-Committee considered the report of the Council Secretary and Solicitor to decide whether any action should be taken on a complaint she had received, attached at Appendix 1 to the report, in respect of potential breach of the Code of Conduct.

The Sub-Committee considered the Pre-Assessment report attached at Appendix 2 to the report and the recommendations contained therein.

RESOLVED: A. That the decision notice now agreed be issued.

B. That a written summary of the allegation be provided to the subject member.

44. COMPLAINT OF BREACH OF CODE OF CONDUCT - LG5/16

The Council Secretary and Solicitor advised the Sub-Committee of a complaint she had received which had failed the initial test as the complaint was not in relation to a District or Parish Councillor.

RESOLVED: That the decision of the Council Secretary and Solicitor to reject the complaint on the basis that it failed the initial test be endorsed.

45. COMPLAINT OF BREACH OF CODE OF CONDUCT - LG5/17

RESOLVED: That the complaint be considered at the next meeting of the Sub-Committee.