

Standards Committee

Membership - see Appendix at Section 4.1A.

Functions

These are set out in Article 9.03

Delegations

The Committee shall exercise full powers, duties and functions as set out in Article 9.03.

Assessment Sub Committee

Membership - see Appendix at Section 4.1A

Functions

To carry out the initial assessment of allegations if requested to do so by the Monitoring Officer.

Delegations

Full authority to determine all matters as appropriate

Recruitment of Independent Members and Independent Persons Panel

Membership - see Appendix at Section 4.1A

Functions

To assist in the recruitment of independent members and Independent Persons by shortlisting and interviewing and making recommendations to the Council

Delegations

To make recommendations to the Standards Committee and Council

Hearings Sub Committee

Membership - see Appendix at Section 4.1A.

Functions

To hear cases referred to it and decide whether a member has breached the Code of Conduct and, if so, to decide if a sanction should be applied and what form the sanction should take.

Delegations

Full delegation to determine all matters as appropriate.

Note for Sub Committees:

- Membership and chairmanship of sub committees do not have to be fixed.
- At least 3 elected members of the Standards Committee must be present, together with one Independent Member and at least one Parish Councillor representative when considering a matter relating to a member of a Parish Council.