

Notice of a meeting of Standards Committee

Friday, 11 March 2011 2.30 pm Pittville Room Municipal Offices, Promenade, Cheltenham, GL50 9SA

Membership		
Borough Councillors:	Robin MacDonald, Les Godwin and Rowena Hay	
Parish Councillors:	Gloria Coleman, David Iliffe and Paul Ryder	
Independent Members:	Simon Laine (Chairman), Duncan Chittenden, John Cripps, Jon Leamon and David O'Connor	

Agenda

1.	APOLOGIES	
2.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	(Pages 1 - 2)
3.	MINUTES To approve the minutes of the meeting held on the 10 December 2010.	(Pages 3 - 4)
4.	UPDATE ON THE LATEST COMMUNICATIONS FROM STANDARDS FOR ENGLAND	
5.	STANDARDS COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT TO COUNCIL To review and finalise the draft report of the Chair of Standards Committee	(Pages 5 - 8)
6.	REVIEW OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR EMPLOYEES Report of the Human Resources Operations Manager	(Pages 9 - 34)
7.	REVIEW OF PROGRESS AGAINST WORK PLAN A review of future plans	(Pages 35 - 36)
8.	LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 - EXEMPT INFORMATION The Committee is recommended to approve the following resolution:	

"That in accordance with Section 100A(4) Local Government Act 1972 the public be excluded from the meeting for the remaining items of business as it is likely that, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, if members of the public are present there will be disclosed to them exempt information as defined in paragraphs 7C, Part 1, Schedule 12A (as amended) Local Government Act 1972, namely:

Paragraph 7C

Information presented to a Standards Committee, or to a subcommittee of a Standards Committee, set up to consider any matter under regulations 13 or 16 to 20 of the Standards Committee (England) Regulations 2008, or referred under section 58(1)(c) of the Local Government Act 2000

9.	EXEMPT MINUTES To approve the exempt minutes of 10 December 2010.	(Pages 37 - 38)
10.	REPORT ON THE OUTCOME OF A COMPLAINT To note the recent decision of a Hearing Sub-Committee	(Pages 39 - 42)

11. DATE OF NEXT MEETING Date of next meeting : 17 June 2011

12. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

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