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Name of ETHICAL STANDARDS COMMITTEE meeting

- Date MONDAY, 19 MAY 2009
- Time 6.00 PM

Venue COMMITTEE ROOM ONE, COUNTY HALL, NEWPORT, ISLE OF WIGHT

Members of the Committee

Independent Members:

Mr Mark Southwell (Chairman), Mr Anthony Brindle, Mr Bruce Claxton, Mr Keith Fagan, Mr George Hibberd, Mr Peter Tautz, Mrs Susan Tudor Smith

Representative of Town and Parish Councils:

Mr Richard Day, Mr Ron Mew, Mr Denis Russell

Isle of Wight Council Members :

Cllrs Mike Cunningham, Heather Humby, Muriel Miller, Erica Oulton

Any other member of the Council may attend the meeting and may speak with the permission of the Chairman provided that notification has been given to the Committee Services section before the commencement of the meeting, such notification to detail which items the member is attending for.

Committee Administrator: Julie Martin, telephone 823281 email <u>Julie.martin@iow.gov.uk</u>

1. Minutes

To confirm the Minutes of the meeting held on <u>16 March 2009</u> (Paper A).



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2. Declarations of Interest

To invite Members to declare any interest they might have in the matters on the agenda.

3. Update from the Chairman

To receive updates from the Chairman on any matters since the last meeting.

4. **Reports of the Director of Corporate Services**

- (a) Response to Consultation with Parish Councils on Feedback (Paper B)
- (b) Consideration of the practice of not informing Members when a complaint against them has been received (<u>Paper C</u>)
- (c) Initial Assessment Review and Report Back (<u>Paper D</u>)
- (d) Future Frequency of Meetings (Paper E)
- (e) Standards Board Bulletin (Paper F)

5. **Updates from Monitoring Officer**

The Monitoring Officer to update members' on matters from the Standards Board for England. This may involve, if a confidential matter is likely to be discussed, the Committee passing a resolution to exclude the public and press for some or all of this item.

6. Workplan

Meeting

Agenda Item

- Report on Standards Board activity including guidance; statistics; analysis; case reports.
- Other meetings as Allegations referred by the Standards Board for England and Wales for local determination.
 - Requests for dispensations.
 - Urgent ethical and probity issues as they arise.