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# Agenda

Name of meeting

**ETHICAL STANDARDS COMMITTEE** 

Date

**MONDAY, 27 JULY 2008** 

Time

6.00 PM

Venue

COMMITTEE ROOM 1, COUNTY HALL, NEWPORT, ISLE OF WIGHT

Members of the Committee **Independent Members**:

Mr M Southwell (Chairman), Mr A Brindle, Mr B Claxton, Mr K Fagan, Mr G Hibberd, Mr P Tautz, Mrs S Tudor-Smith

Representative of Town and Parish Councils:

Mr R Day, Mr R Mew, Mr D Russell

**Isle of Wight Council Members:** 

Cllrs M Cunningham, H Humby

Deputies: Cllrs M Miller (1<sup>st</sup> Deputy), E Oulton (2<sup>nd</sup> Deputy) (Are invited to attend but if there is a vote only the first two Isle of Wight Council members (or their deputies) can vote.)

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 *Julie.martin@iow.gov.uk* 

#### 1. Minutes

To confirm as a true record the Minutes of the meeting held on 30 June 2008 (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 Legal and Democratic Services

- (a) Local Filter Issues to Date (Paper B1)
- (b) Update on Ethical Audit Action Plan (Paper B2)
- (c) Training Update (Paper B3)
- (d) Standards Board Bulletin 39 To discuss issues that arise from this (Paper B4)

#### 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 Monday, Arrangement for the elections in 2009 15 September 2008 including induction (elected) of new members Confidential Information Policy Monday Feedback from the Annual Conference in 17 November 2008 Birmingham Standing items Report on Standards Board activity including guidance; statistics; analysis; case reports.

# Other meetings as • necessary

- Allegations referred by the Standards Board for England and Wales for local determination.
- Requests for dispensations.
- Urgent ethical and probity issues as they arise.

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