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To: MEMBERS OF THE JOINT STANDARDS COMMITTEE
(Copies to all Members of the Council)

Dear Sir/Madam

Your attendance is requested at a meeting of the Joint Standards Committee to be held in the Council Chamber, Gibson Drive, Kings Hill on Monday, 11th October, 2021 commencing at 7.30 pm.

Members of the Committee are required to attend in person. Other Members are encouraged to participate online via MS Teams.

Information on how to observe the meeting will be published on the Council's website.

Yours faithfully

JULIE BEILBY

Chief Executive

A G E N D A

PART 1 - PUBLIC

1. Apologies for absence

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2. Declarations of Interest 7 - 8

Members in any doubt about such declarations are advised to contact Legal or Democratic Services in advance of the meeting

3. Minutes 9 - 10

To confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Joint Standards Committee held on 12 October 2020

Matters submitted for Information

4. Update - Code of Conduct Complaints 11 - 16

This report updates Members on complaints made to the Monitoring Officer that a Member may have failed to comply with his/her authority's Code of Conduct.

5. Committee on Standards in Public Life 17 - 68

This report updates Members on progress in implementing the recommendations set out in the report of the Committee on Standards in Public Life following its review of local government standards. The report also updates Members of the Joint Committee on the LGA Model Code of Conduct.

6. Urgent Items

Any other items which the Chairman decides are urgent due to special circumstances and of which notice has been given to the Chief Executive.

Matters for consideration in Private

7. Exclusion of Press and Public

The Chairman to move that the press and public be excluded from the remainder of the meeting during consideration of any items the publication of which would disclose exempt information.

8. Urgent Items 69 - 70

Any other items which the Chairman decides are urgent due to special circumstances and of which notice has been given to the Chief Executive.

MEMBERSHIP

Cllr J L Sergison (Chairman)
Cllr D A S Davis (Vice-Chairman)

Cllr Mrs P A Bates
Cllr Mrs S Bell
Cllr Mrs T Dean
Cllr P M Hickmott
Cllr S A Hudson
Cllr D Lettington

Cllr B J Luker
Cllr K B Tanner
Cllr M Taylor
Cllr D Thornewell
Cllr C J Williams

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