

STANDARDS COMMITTEE HEARING PANEL

Meeting to be held on Thursday 14 April 2011 at 10.00 am

Council Chamber, West Somerset House, Williton

AGENDA

1. Introductions and Procedures

The Chairman to ensure that all parties are welcomed, formal introductions made and to explain how the Panel is going to run the Hearing. A copy of the West Somerset District Council's Standards Committee – pre hearing and hearing procedures is attached – **SEE ATTACHED**.

2. Exclusion of the Press and Public

To consider excluding the press and public during consideration of Item 3 on the grounds that, if the press and public were present during this item there would be likely to be a disclosure to them of exempt information of the class specified in Paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 as amended as follows: information presented to a Standards Committee, or to a sub Committee 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.

Circulation of Papers

In accordance of Section 100b(2) of the Local Government Act 1972, reports and documents relating to Item 3 have been distributed only to Members of the Hearing Panel and officers/advisors of the Council.

3. Allegation of Breaches of the Council Code of Conduct – Reference WSLA14.15.16&17

To consider this matter as requested by the West Somerset Standards Committee – **SEE ATTACHED** (Members of the Hearing Panel only).