

Minutes of a meeting of the Standards Committee on Wednesday 2 March 2022

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Committee members present:

Councillor Pressel (Chair)

Councillor Humberstone

Councillor Mundy

Councillor Tidball

Councillor Snowton

Officers present for all or part of the meeting:

Susan Sale, Monitoring Officer and Head of Law & Governance

Andrew Brown, Committee and Member Services Manager

Lucy Tyrrell, Committee and Member Services Officer

Emma Griffiths, Lawyer

Also present:

Andrew Mills-Hicks, Independent Person, Independent Person non-voting

Peter Rowland, BBL Parish Council (Blackbird Leys Ward)

13. Apologies for Absence

Councillors Altaf-Khan and Lygo sent apologies.

14. Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

15. Code of Conduct: summary of complaints and individual dispensations - 1 November 2021 until 31 January 2022

The Standards Committee noted the contents of the report.

16. Members' Code of Conduct

The Standards Committee noted the report from the Head of Law and Governance proposing the adoption of a new Councillors' Code of Conduct and resolved to recommend that this be adopted by Full Council.

17. Minutes of the previous meeting

The Committee resolved to approve the minutes of the meeting held on 16 November 2021 as a true and accurate record.

18. Dates of future meetings

11 July 2022

23 November 2022

The meeting started at 5.00 pm and ended at 5.10 pm

Chair

Date: Monday 11 July 2022

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