PART FOUR - RULES OF PROCEDURE Section A - Council Procedure Rules

(NB. Extract only of relevant Council Procedure Rules of the Constitution)

## 24. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST OF MEMBERS

- 24.1 If a member of the Council has a <u>disclosable pecuniary interest or a</u> <u>prejudicial personal</u>-interest as referred to in <u>Part 2 of</u> the <u>Council's</u> <u>Members'</u> Code of Conduct for <u>Members</u> in any matter under consideration, then the member shall declare his or her interest at the start of the meeting or as soon as the interest becomes apparent. If the interest is considered prejudicial the <u>The</u> member <u>may not</u> <u>participate or participate further in any discussion of the matter or</u> <u>participate in any vote or further vote taken on the matter at the</u> <u>meeting and must</u> should withdraw from the meeting until discussion of the relevant matter is concluded unless that member has obtained a dispensation from the Council's Standards Committee.
- 24.2 If a member of the Council has a personal interest which is not a disclosable pecuniary interest nor a prejudicial interest and which is registered in the Members' Register of Interests, the member is under no obligation to make a disclosure at the meeting but may do so if he/she wishes.

## **30. VOTES OF NO CONFIDENCE**

- 30.1 A vote of no confidence relating to any office holder may only be moved if notice of it clearly set out as such appears on the agenda of the relevant meeting of the Council
- 30.2 In accordance with Article 7.06 in Part 2 of this Constitution, the Leader shall cease to hold office if a vote of no confidence is carried at a meeting of the full council by a majority of the members of the whole council then present. In that event Articles 7.06 and 7.07 make provision for the discharge of the Leader's functions.
- 30.3 A Chair of a Committee, Sub-Committee or other body shall cease to hold office if a vote of no confidence is carried at a meeting of the full Council by a majority of the members of the whole Council then present. The Vice Chair will assume the role of Chair until such time as the appointment of a replacement as Chair, or the re-appointment of the member concerned, by full Council.
- 30.4 For the avoidance of doubt, Rule <u>30.3</u> <del>31.3</del> applies to all other bodies exercising non-executive functions including the Alexandra Palace and Park Board. Rule <u>30.3</u> <del>31.3</del> shall not apply to the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee or the Chair of a Scrutiny/Review Panel but Article 6.05 shall apply. <del>Rule 31.3 shall not apply to the Chair of the Standards Committee but Article 9.02(c) shall apply.</del>