



# Children's Safeguarding Policy and Practice Advisory Committee

THURSDAY, 21ST MARCH, 2013 at 19:30 HRS - CIVIC CENTRE, HIGH ROAD, WOOD GREEN, LONDON N22 8LE.

MEMBERS: Councillors Adamou, Allison, Bull, Corrick, Scott and Stewart (Chair)

**AGENDA** 

#### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

#### 2. URGENT BUSINESS

The Chair will consider the admission of late items of urgent business. Late items will be considered under the agenda item they appear. New items will be dealt with at Items below 9&10.

### 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

A member with a disclosable pecuniary interest or a prejudicial interest in a matter who attends a meeting of the authority at which the matter is considered:

- (i) must disclose the interest at the start of the meeting or when the interest becomes apparent, and
- (ii) may not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must withdraw from the meeting room.

A member who discloses at a meeting a disclosable pecuniary interest which is not registered in the Register of Members' Interests or the subject of a pending notification must notify the Monitoring Officer of the interest within 28 days of the disclosure.

Disclosable pecuniary interests, personal interests and prejudicial interests are defined at Paragraphs 5-7 and Appendix A of the Members' Code of Conduct.

# 4. MINUTES (PAGES 1 - 8)

To consider the minutes of the meeting held on 28<sup>th</sup> January 2013.

# 5. MATTERS ARISING (PAGES 9 - 10)

To consider the Committee Work Plan.

# 6. PERFORMANCE (PAGES 11 - 38)

This report sets out performance data and trends for an agreed set of measures relating to: Children and Families - Contacts, referrals and assessments and Child Protection.

# 7. MASH (MULTI AGENCY SAFEGUARDING HUB)PRESENTATION

To consider a presentation on the operation of the MASH(Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub), one year after operation.

This presentation has been withdrawn and verbal update will be provided by the Director of Children's services at the meeting.

# 8. WORK WITH FAMILIES WHO HAVE NO RECOURSE TO PUBLIC FUNDS (PAGES 39 - 58)

The Committee will consider the support provided by the council to families who have no recourse to public funds.

### 9. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Wood Green

To consider any new items of urgent business submitted at item 2.

## 10. EXEMPT ITEMS OF URGENT BUSINESS

To consider any exempt items of urgent business submitted at item 2.

### 11. TO AGREE THE DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

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