



Haringey Council

Appendix 1

STANDARDS COMMITTEE

INDEPENDENT MEMBER – JOB DESCRIPTION & PERSON SPECIFICATION

PERSON SPECIFICATION

The successful candidate must:

1. Have good analytical, questioning and interpersonal skills. **(essential)**
2. Be independent of any political party and Local Government and been seen to be impartial. **(essential)**
3. Have an understanding of the role of a Council and its Councillors **(desirable)**
4. Have an understanding and interest in issues of standards in public life. **(desirable)**
5. Have some experience of decision-making skills involving sensitive issues. **(desirable)**
6. Have experience of dealing with people and matters where their conduct and actions should be of the highest standard. **(desirable)**
7. Show commitment to the effective provision of public services. **(desirable)**
8. Have sufficient time available to devote to the appointment. **(essential)**

JOB DESCRIPTION

The successful candidate will be required:

1. To promote and maintain high standards of conduct by Councillors.
2. To assist Councillors to observe the Code of Conduct.

3. To sit on determination hearings in relation to breaches of the Code of Conduct by members.
4. To observe confidentiality at all times.