

REPORT OF THE STANDARDS COMMITTEE No. 01/2014-15 COUNCIL 21 JULY 2014

Chair: Councillor Reg Rice

INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 This report to Full Council arises from consideration of the attached reports considered by our Standards Committee regarding (i) amendments to the Council's Code of Conduct for Members, and (ii) Arrangements for dealing with allegations that a member or co-opted member of Haringey Council has failed to comply with the Members' Code of Conduct, considered by the Standards Committee that took place on 7 July 2014.
- 1.2 On consideration of the attached report marked **A** - amendments to the Council's Code of Conduct for Members- we agreed to the proposed amendments to the code as detailed in tracked changes on the attached appendix marked **A(i) including the following additional amendment suggested by Committee:**

The Code

Paragraph 2.6(c) to be amended to omit the word 'act'.

- 1.3 On consideration of the attached report marked **B** - Arrangements for dealing with allegations that a member or co-opted member of Haringey Council has failed to comply with the Members' Code of Conduct- we agreed to the proposed amendments to the arrangements as detailed in tracked changes on the attached appendix marked **B(i) including** the following additional amendments suggested by Committee:

The arrangements

Para 5.3(f) in the current version, which was inadvertently omitted, to been reinserted in the document put forward for approval to full Council .

The new para 5.3(f) we recommended inserting now becomes 5.3.(g) and has been amended as agreed by our Committee and as attached.

Para 9.3 in the current version of the arrangements, which was inadvertently omitted, reinserted and subsequent para's renumbered. Reference to 9.6(b) in the final para in section 9 to be amended to read 9.7(b) as a consequence of the renumbering.

WE RECOMMEND

That Full Council be asked to confirm the proposed amendments to (i) the Council's Code of Conduct for Members, and (ii) Arrangements for dealing with allegations that a member or co-opted member of Haringey Council has failed to comply with the Members' Code of Conduct, as endorsed and

recommended by the Standards Committee and as attached in tracked changes as appendixed to this report and marked A(i) and B(i) respectively.