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# AGENDA

Committee STANDARDS & ETHICS COMMITTEE

# Date and Time TUESDAY, 15 DECEMBER 2015, 4.30 PM of Meeting

Venue COMMITTEE ROOM 4 - COUNTY HALL

Membership Independent Members: Richard Tebboth (Chair), James Downe, Hollie Edwards-Davies, Lizz Roe and Hugh Thomas

**Councillors Cowan and Margaret Jones** 

Community Councillor John Hughes

## 1 Apologies for Absence

To receive apologies for absence.

#### 2 Declarations of Interest

To be made at the start of the agenda item in question, in accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct.

#### 3 Minutes (Pages 1 - 6)

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting on 22 September 2015.

#### 4 Standards Conference Wales 2015 (Pages 7 - 16)

Report of the Director Governance & Legal Services

#### 5 Members' Code of Conduct Complaints - Quarter 3 (Pages 17 - 20)

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#### 6 Community Council Charter (Pages 21 - 36)

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7 Member Protocol on Safeguarding Vulnerable Children & Adults (Pages 37 - 48)

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## 8 Members' Planning Code of Good Practice (Pages 49 - 70)

Report of the Director Governance & Legal Services

9 Draft Local Government (Wales) Bill - Welsh Government Consultation (Pages 71 - 90)

Report of the Director Governance & Legal Services

10 Local Government Ethical Framework - Welsh Government Consultation on Amendments to Subordinate Legislation (Pages 91 - 118)

Report of the Director Governance & Legal Services

#### 11 Date of next meeting.

The next meeting of the Standards & Ethics Committee is on Tuesday 22 March 2015 @ 4.30 pm.

#### Marie Rosenthal Director Governance & Legal Services

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