

**STANDARDS COMMITTEE - THURSDAY, 22 JUNE 2017**

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE STANDARDS COMMITTEE HELD IN COMMITTEE ROOMS 2/3, CIVIC OFFICES ANGEL STREET BRIDGEND CF31 4WB ON THURSDAY, 22 JUNE 2017 AT 2.00 PM**

Present

Councillor Mr C Jones OBE – Chairperson

Mr P Clarke

Mrs J Kiely

DRW Lewis

Mr J Baker

Apologies for Absence

MC Clarke

Officers:

Laura Griffiths

Principal Solicitor

Andrew Jolley

Corporate Director Operational & Partnership Services

Andrew Rees

Senior Democratic Services Officer - Committees

1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillor DRW Lewis declared a personal interest in agenda item 6 – Shortlisting of candidates for the Position of Town & Community Councillor as one of the candidates sits on St Brides Minor Community Council which he is also a member of.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

RESOLVED: That the minutes of the meeting of the Standards Committee of 23 March 2017 were approved as a true and accurate record.

3. URGENT ITEMS

There were no urgent items.

4. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

RESOLVED: That under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) (Wales) Order 2007, the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following item of business, as the report contains exempt information as defined in Paragraph 12 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A and Paragraph 21 of Part 5 of Schedule 12A of the Act:-

Following the application of the public interest test it was resolved that pursuant to the provisions of the Act referred to above, to consider the under-mentioned item in private with the public being excluded from the meeting, as it would involve the disclosure to them of exempt information as stated above.

5. SHORTLISTING OF CANDIDATES FOR THE POSITION OF TOWN & COMMUNITY COUNCILLOR

The meeting closed at 3.05 pm