BRIDGEND COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

REPORT TO THE STANDARDS COMMITTEE

8 MARCH 2018

REPORT OF THE MONITORING OFFICER

OMBUDSMAN CASEBOOK

- 1. Purpose of Report
- 1.1 To provide Members with a summary of cases that have been undertaken by the Ombudsman's Office.
- 2. Connection to Corporate Improvement Plan / Other Corporate Priority
- 2.1 Standards are an implicit requirement in the successful implementation of the Corporate Themes.
- 3. Background
- 3.1 The Ombudsman's Casebook is published on a quarterly basis and contains the summaries of all reports issued during the quarter, as well as a selection of summaries relating to quick fixes and voluntary settlements.
- 4. Current situation / proposal
- 4.1 The Casebook for January 2018 is attached at **Appendix 1** and illustrates the cases closed between October and December 2017.
- 5. Effect upon Policy Framework& Procedure Rules
- 5.1 None.
- 6. Equality Impact Assessment
- 6.1 None.
- 7. Financial Implications
- 7.1 None.
- 8. Recommendation
- 8.1 The Committee is recommended to note the report.

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Background Documents

None