



**North Tyneside Council**

# Standards Sub-Committee

20 February 2019

**Thursday 28 February 2019** in Room 0.09, 1st Floor, Quadrant, The Silverlink North, Cobalt Business Park, North Tyneside commencing at 4:00 pm.

| <b>Agenda Item</b>   | <b>Page</b> |
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| 1. <b>Apologies for Absence</b>  | -           |
| To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.   |             |
| 2. <b>Appointment of Substitute Members</b>  | -           |
| To be notified of the appointment of any Substitute Members.   |             |
| 3. <b>Declarations of Interest</b>   | -           |
| You are invited <b>to declare</b> any registerable and/or non-registerable interests in matters appearing on the agenda, and the nature of that interest.  |             |
| Please complete the Declarations of Interests card available at the meeting and return it to the Democratic Services Officer before leaving the meeting.   |             |
| You are also invited <b>to disclose</b> any dispensation from the requirement to declare any registerable and/or non-registerable interests that have been granted to you in respect of any matters appearing on the agenda. |             |

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4. **Exclusion Resolution**

“That under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) and having applied a public interest test as defined in Part 2 of Schedule 12A of the Act, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 1 and 2 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act.”

5. **Code of Conduct for Members’ and Co-opted Members – Complaint NT09 2018-19.** 3

To consider a report of the Investigating Officer’s completed investigation into Complaint NT09 2018-19 in accordance with the Authority’s Local Arrangements for dealing with Complaints made under the Code of Conduct for Members and Co-opted Members.

**Circulated to the following Members of the Standards Sub-Committee comprising:**

Councillor M Rankin (Chair)  
Councillor K Lee  
Councillor P Mason

**Also circulated to:**

Ms L Watson, Senior Manager, Legal Services and Information Governance  
Mr S Ballantyne, Lawyer Specialist - Governance & Employment  
Mr G Clark, Independent Person  
Ms S Gardner, Independent Person  
Mr S Green, Independent Person