Notice of meeting

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A meeting of the **Standards Committee**

will be held in the Members Meeting Room at the Council Offices, Easington

on Wednesday 5 December 2007

at **9.30 a.m.**

Janet Johnson. Chief Executive

Agenda

1. **The Minutes of the Last Meeting** held on 1 October, 2007 are attached.

2. Request for Dispensation from Monk Hesleden Parish Council

Members are advised that Monk Hesleden Parish Council wish to seek special dispensation to consider a request for financial assistance from Blackhall Banner Committee.

The Parish Council has 18 Members (3 vacancies), Standing Orders dictate that 7 Members or 1/3 constitutes a quorum. Due to the number of Councillors who are members of the Banner Committee, it is proving difficult to achieve sufficient numbers to reach a decision, only one Councillor holds a position on the Banner Committee, that of treasurer, and he will declare an interest.

3. Standards Board Conference 15 – 16 October 2007

Report of the Monitoring Officer attached.

4. Any Additional Urgent Items of Business

In accordance with the Local Government Act, 1972, as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) Act, 1985, Section 100B(4)(b), to consider any item the Chair considers to be urgent, following consultation with the Proper Officer.

To: All Members of the Standards Committee

Councillors B Burn, A J Holmes and Mrs S Mason

Mr W Local Mr E Smith Mrs M Goyns Miss J Clark