



Standards Committee

Date **Friday 8 September 2023**
Time **9.30 am**
Venue **Committee Room 1A , County Hall, Durham**

Business

Part A

Items which are open to the Press and Public

1. Apologies for Absence
2. Declarations of Interest, if any
3. Minutes of the Meeting held on 8 June 2023 (Pages 3 - 6)
4. National Picture (Pages 7 - 16)
5. Code of Conduct Update (Pages 17 - 32)
6. Local Government Association "Debate Not Hate" Campaign (Pages 33 - 102)
7. Extension of the Term of the Independent Person (Pages 103 - 106)
8. Such other business as in the opinion of the Chair of the Meeting is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration

Helen Lynch

Head of Legal and Democratic Services

County Hall
Durham
31 August 2023

To: The Members of the Standards Committee

Councillor J Nicholson (Chair)
Councillor K Rooney (Vice-Chair)

Councillors J Atkinson, L Mavin, E Peeke, A Savory, G Smith, T Smith,
T Stubbs, F Tinsley and C Varty

Town and Parish Council Co-opted Representatives:

Councillors A Doig and C Foote-Wood

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