

Report of the Chair on the work of the Standards Committee

The Standards Committee met on the 20th October 2021.

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1.0 Review of the complaints made under the Members Code of Conduct for the period January 2020 until October 2021.

- 1.1 The number of complaints along with source of complaint and action taken was reviewed and discussed.
- 1.2 The committee noted that due to the high number of complaints, it had taken some time to clear the backlog that had accumulated.
- 1.3 It was highlighted that complaint numbers were expected to drop once Councillor Members Code of Conduct awareness training has been undertaken by Councillors.

The Standards Committee's Assessment Panel met on the 11th November 2021

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2.0 Review of Councillor complaint was undertaken by the Assessment Panel

- 2.1 The Assessment Panel decided that the Councillor complaint required further investigation.