

24th March 2009.

Dear Councillor,

A meeting of the **STANDARDS COMMITTEE** will be held in the **Council Chamber** at these offices on **WEDNESDAY 1st APRIL 2009 at 7.00 p.m.**, when your attendance is requested.

Yours sincerely

JOHN JORY

Chief Executive.

A G E N D A

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1. To note Substitutes in Accordance with Council Procedure Rule 4 – Substitutes at Meetings of Committees etc.	
2. To receive Apologies for Absence	
3. To receive Declaration of Interests from Members in respect of any matter on the Agenda.	
4. To confirm the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 20 th January 2009.	3-5
5. Chairman's Report on South Area Independent Members' Forum, 18th March 2009	6-7
6. The Code of Conduct, Predetermination, Bias, The Ombudsman, The Standards Board and the High Court	8-41

Please note: An oral report or additional written information arising after the despatch of this Agenda may be given on any of the above items.

7. To consider any items that the Chairman agrees to take as urgent business.
8. Questions pursuant to Council Procedure Rule 10 due notice of which has been given.

To: **Members of the Standards Committee** – Mr D. Brown, Mr I. Church, Mrs. J. Forbes (substitute), Mrs. G. Field, Mr R. Goddard, Mrs. S. Hatton, Mrs. J. Landriani, Mrs H. Ross, Sir Roger Sands, Mr. P. Shanahan, Mr. G.C.E. Snowling, Mr. T. Swainson and Mrs P. Webster

Requesting Members: Mr. J. Ash-Edwards, Mr. B. Gillbard, Mr. C. Hersey, Mrs. A Jones and Mr. G. Knight.

Agenda only to remaining Members of the Council for information.