

# RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

## COMMITTEE SUMMONS

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A meeting of the **STANDARDS COMMITTEE** will be held at the County Borough Council Offices, The Pavilions, Clydach Vale (Committee Room 2) on **Friday, 24 January 2014 at 10 a.m.**

### AGENDA

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<b>Declarations of Interest</b>	
To receive disclosures of personal interests from Members in accordance with the Code of Conduct	
<b>(Note:</b> Members are requested to identify the item number and subject matter that their interest relates to and signify the nature of the personal interest. Where Members withdraw from a meeting as a consequence of the disclosure of a prejudicial interest, they <u>must</u> notify the Chairman when they leave)	
<b>Minutes</b>	
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To approve as accurate records, the minutes of the meetings of the Standards Committee held on:	
(a) 18 October 2013	1-6
(b) 3 December 2013	7-9
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To receive an oral update from the Monitoring Officer in respect of the <b>Review of Declarations of Interests at Meetings</b>	
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<b>Reports of the Monitoring Officer in respect of:</b>	
(a) Review of Members' Declarations in respect of Acceptance and Refusal of Gifts and Hospitality	11 - 22
(b) Code of Conduct and Local Investigations – Referrals by Ombudsman to Monitoring Officer	23 – 26

- 5 To consider any items which the Chairman by reason of special circumstances is of the opinion should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency

**Circulation:**

Independent Members – M.Jehu, A.Jones and G.Smith  
County Borough Councillor C.Davies and G.Stacey  
Community Councillor R.Butler

Mr.P.J.Lucas, Monitoring Officer  
Mr.A.Wilkins, Corporate & Democratic Services Solicitor

**17 January 2014**