



## RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

### CODE OF CONDUCT – Declaration of personal interests for inclusion in the public Register of Members' Interests

**COUNCILLOR'S NAME: Martin Ashford**

**ADVICE TO COUNCILLORS:**

The law, and the Council's Code of Conduct, require you to declare personal interests. Some personal interests have to be recorded by you in the statutory public register, **within 28 days** of your election or appointment to office, and have to be updated by you **within 28 days** of any change.

(There is an exemption from having to declare "sensitive information"; the Monitoring Officer can advise you about this).

This form enables you to record those interests, or to show that you have no such interests to declare.

Please remember that you still have to declare any relevant interests (including those in this Register) where they relate to matters under consideration at a meeting – please look at the Council's Code of Conduct for the rules on this.

Please complete, sign and date either Box A or Box B below, and return the form to the Monitoring Officer.

Box C can be used to update the information previously supplied by you.



### **BOX A – NO INTERESTS TO DECLARE**

I have no interests falling in any of the categories in Box B below

Signed

Print full name:

Date:

### **BOX B – INTERESTS BEING DECLARED**

#### **1. Details of any employment or business carried on by you**

I am the Landlord and owner of two commercial premises in Hannah Street, Porth – numbers 31 and 32. Number 32 shop premises is currently vacant. To the first floor is a residential flat which is currently let. Number 31 is a Beauty Salon trading under the name House Of Hanson.

#### **2. Details of any person who employs or has appointed you, any firm in which you are a partner or any company for which you are a remunerated director**

#### **3. Details of any person, other than your authority, who has made a payment to you in respect of your election or any expenses incurred by you in carrying out your duties as a Member**

#### **4. Details of any corporate body which has a place of business or land in your authority's area, and in which you have a beneficial interest in a class of securities of that body that exceeds the nominal value of £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body**

#### **5. Details of any contract for goods, services or works made between your authority and you or a firm in which you are a partner, a company of which you are a remunerated director, or a body of the description specified in (4) above**

**6. Details of any land in which you have a beneficial interest and which is in the area of your Authority**

This section relates to the Members residential address and has been deemed to be sensitive information as agreed by the Council's Monitoring Officer in accordance with Paragraph 16(1) of the Council's Member Code of Conduct.

**7. Details of any land where the landlord is your authority and the tenant is a firm in which you are a partner, a company of which you are a remunerated director, or a body of the description specified in (4) above**

**8. Details of any body to which you have been elected, appointed or nominated by your authority**

**9. Details of any —**

- (a) public authority or body exercising functions of a public nature;**
- (b) company, industrial and provident society, charity, or body directed to charitable purposes;**
- (c) body whose principal purposes include the influence of public opinion or policy;**
- (d) trade union or professional association; or**
- (e) private club, society or association operating within your authority's area,**  
**in which you have membership or hold a position of general control or management;**

**10. Details of any land in your authority's area in which you have a licence (alone or jointly with others) to occupy for 28 days or longer**

Only 31 and 32 Hannah Street, Porth as detailed above.

Signed: M D Ashford

Print full name: Martin Douglas Ashford

Date 22.05.22

**BOX C – CHANGES TO THE REGISTRATIONS MADE ABOVE:**

I no longer have an interest in properties 31 and 32 Hannah Street, Porth, as both properties have now been sold.

Signed: M D Ashford

Print full name: Martin Douglas Ashford

Date 21.03.24