

Democratic Service Swyddfa'r Cyngor CAERNARFON Gwynedd LL55 1SH

Meeting

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STANDARDS COMMITTEE

Date and Time

2.00 pm, WEDNESDAY, 7TH JULY, 2021

Location

Virtual Meeting - Zoom

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STANDARDS COMMITTEE

Membership

Elected Members (3)

Councillors

Anne Lloyd Jones Beth Lawton Dewi Wyn Roberts

Independent Members (with a vote) (5)

Aled Jones Margaret E.Jones David Wareing Einir Young Hywel Eifion Jones

Community Committee Member (with a vote) (1)

Richard Parry Hughes

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies for absence.

2. DECLARATION OF PERSONAL INTEREST

To receive any declaration of personal interest.

3. URGENT ITEMS

To note any items that are a matter of urgency in the view of the Chairman for consideration.

4. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

The Chair shall propose that the press and public be excluded from the meeting during the discussion on the following item due to the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 18C, Part 4, Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972. This paragraph should apply because it concerns the deliberations of the Standards Committee in reaching a finding on a matter referred to it by the Public Services Ombudsman for Wales.

It is believed that the information should not be disclosed so that the councillor is not prejudiced by any possible publicity of the case before any hearing. Consequently the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

5. REPORT BY THE PUBLIC SERVICES OMBUDSMAN FOR WALES ON AN INVESTIGATION INTO A COMPLAINT AGAINST A COUNCILLOR

To consider the report of the Senior Solicitor (Corporate) (separate copy for committee members only).