

**CYNGOR GWYNEDD STANDARDS COMMITTEE DECISION NOTICE
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(Section 100C of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended by the Local Authorities (Coronavirus) (Meetings) (Wales) Regulations 2020)

6 November 2023

Virtual Meeting

Present:

Elected Members: Councillors Anne Lloyd Jones and Beth Lawton.

Independent Members: Mr Aled Jones, Mr Hywel Eifion Jones (Chair), Mr Mark Jones and Mr Dave Wareing

Community Committee Member: Mr Richard Parry Hughes

Also in attendance: Iwan Evans (Monitoring Officer), Sion Huws (Propriety and Elections Manager) and Eirian Roberts (Democracy Services Officer).

Apology: Councillor Dewi Owen.

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SUBJECT

Item 5: LOCAL RESOLUTION PROCEDURE

DECISION

- 1. To accept the proposed changes to the Local Resolution Procedure to reflect the arrival of the new statutory duties for Group Leaders and recommend to the Full Council.**
 - 2. Support the Monitoring Officer's intention to require the use of a complaints form as part of the Local Resolution system, as contained in Appendix 2 of the report, with the addition that the form requires the complainant to state which output that he/she seeks as a result of the complaint.**
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THE RESULT OF THE VOTE

Unanimously accepted.

DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST AND PROTOCOL MATTERS

No declarations of personal interest or relevant dispensations were received.

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Item 6: HEARINGS PROCEDURE TO THE STANDARDS COMMITTEE

DECISION

Approve the adjustments to the Hearings Procedure to the Standards Committee together with the associated information sheet.

THE RESULT OF THE VOTE

Unanimously accepted.

DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST AND PROTOCOL MATTERS

No declarations of personal interest or relevant dispensations were received.

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SUBJECT

Item 7: GIFTS AND HOSPITALITY REGISTER

DECISION

To note and accept the contents of the report.

THE RESULT OF THE VOTE

Unanimously accepted.

DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST AND PROTOCOL MATTERS

No declarations of personal interest or relevant dispensations were received.

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SUBJECT

Item 8: ALLEGATIONS AGAINST MEMBERS

DECISION

Note the information and continue to present the information to the Standards Committee in a form of summaries without specific details.

THE RESULT OF THE VOTE

Unanimously accepted.

DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST AND PROTOCOL MATTERS

No declarations of personal interest or relevant dispensations were received.

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SUBJECT

Item 9: ANNUAL REPORT OF THE OMBUDSMAN

DECISION

To note the report.

THE RESULT OF THE VOTE

Unanimously accepted.

DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL INTEREST AND PROTOCOL MATTERS

No declarations of personal interest or relevant dispensations were received.
