



STANDARDS COMMITTEE

Date: 12 January 2011

Time: 6.00 p.m.

Place: Shimkent Room, Daneshill House, Stevenage

Contact: Guy Moody

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Members: A Holland (Chair), A Hale, E Mensah and Councillors D Kissane, Mrs J Lloyd, M Notley, G Snell, L Strange and B Underwood.

AGENDA

PART I

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

2 MINUTES

To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held on 21 June 2010.

Minutes attached.

3 CHANGES TO THE STANDARDS REGIME

To advise the Standards Committee on the Government's proposals to change the Standards Regime for Local Authority Members.

Report and appendices attached.

4 URGENT PART I BUSINESS

To consider any Part I business accepted by the Chair as urgent.

5 EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

To consider the following motions:

1. That under Section 100(A) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the

grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as described in paragraphs 1-7 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act as amended by SI 2006 No.88.

2. That Members consider the reasons for the following reports being in Part II and determine whether or not maintaining the exemption from disclosure of the information contained therein outweighs the public interest in disclosure.

PART II

6 URGENT PART II BUSINESS

To consider any Part II business accepted by the Chair as urgent.