

Standards Committee - Assessment of Complaints March 2017

Complaint Number	Date Received	Complainant	Subject	Relevant provision of Code	Assessment	Date / Decision	Decision	Current Position
04-15 Dunkerton PC	18.05.15	P Cllr	P Cllr	Bullying/Intimidation. Improperly conferring a disadvantage	Initial assessment by MO and IP - investigation	Standards Hearing 10.12.15	No breach	Complete
05a-15 Dunkerton PC	29.05.15	P Cllr	P Cllr	Bullying/Intimidation. Improperly conferring a disadvantage. Disrespectful behaviour.	Initial assessment by MO and IP - investigation	Standards Hearing 10.12.15	Breach	Complete
05b-15 Dunkerton PC	29.05.15	P Cllr	P Cllr	Bullying/Intimidation. Improperly conferring a disadvantage. Disrespectful behaviour.	Initial assessment by MO and IP - investigation	Standards Hearing 10.12.15	No breach	Complete
05c-15 Dunkerton PC	31.07.15	P Cllr	P Cllr	Bullying/Intimidation. Disclosure of confidential information. Potential criminal offence. Disrespectful behaviour.	Initial assessment by MO and IP - investigation	Standards Hearing 10.12.15	No breach	Complete
06-15 BANES	17.05.15	MoP	Cllr	Disrespectful behaviour.	Initial assessment by MO and IP	23.09.15	No breach	Complete
07-15 BANES	01.06.15	MoP	Cllr	Disrespectful behaviour.	Initial assessment by MO and IP	29.06.15	No breach	Complete
08-15 BANES	23.06.15	O	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour.	Initial assessment by MO and IP	08.07.15	Breach - apology made	Complete
09-15 Chew Stoke PC	20.07.15	P Cllr / MoP	P Cllr	Non disclosure of DPI.	Not proportionate for police to allocate further resources due to the limited public interest. Independent investigation.	1.3.16	Breach/NFA	Complete
10-15 Paulton PC	18.08.15	P Cllr	P Cllr	Non disclosure of DPI	Referred to police. Not proportionate for police to allocate further resources due to the limited public interest.	Standards Hearing 31.03.16	Breach	Complete
11-15 BANES	28.08.15	MoP	Cllr	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP	29.09.15	No breach	Complete
12-15 BANES	18.10.15	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	18.02.15	No breach	Complete
13-15 Shoscombe PC	05.11.15	P Cllrs	P Cllr	Bullying/Intimidation	Initial assessment that as cllr is no longer a councillor, no jurisdiction for complaint to be further investigated	20.12.15	No further investigation required	Complete
01-16 BANES	24.12.15	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP - cllr to send apology to Somerset Guardian	11.02.16	No breach	Complete
02-16 Hinton Blewett PC	04.01.16	MoP	P Cllr	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP	21.03.16	No further action	Complete
03-16 Paulton PC	25.01.16	P Cllrs	P Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	21.03.16	No further action	Complete
04-16 Paulton PC	25.01.16	P Cllrs	P Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	21.03.16	No further action	Complete
05-16 Paulton PC	19.01.16	P Cllr	P Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	21.03.16	No further action	Complete
06-16 Paulton PC	19.01.16	P Cllr	P Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	21.03.16	No further action	Complete
07-16 BANES	26.01.16	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	25.03.16	No breach	Complete
08-16 BANES	26.01.16	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	25.03.16	No breach	Complete
09-16 Paulton PC	02.02.16	P Cllr	P Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	21.03.16	No further action	Complete
10-16 BANES	25.02.16	MoP	Cllr	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP	25.03.16	No breach	Complete
11-16 a,b,c High Littleton PC/BANES	25.08.16	MoP	P Cllr	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP	17.10.16	No further action	Complete
12-16 a,b BANES	05.09.16	MoP	Cllr	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP	24.10.16	Breach/NFA	Complete
13-16 BANES	01.09.16	Cllr	Cllr	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP	24.10.16	Breach/NFA	Complete
14-16 BANES	26.08.16	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	24.10.16	No further action	Complete
15-16 BANES	07.12.16	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	7.2.17	No further action	Complete

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1.17 Chew Stoke PC	5.1.17	MoP	P Cllr	Bullying	Initial assessment by MO and IP	1.3.17	No further action	Complete
2.17 BANES	1.3.17	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour	Initial assessment by MO and IP	2.5.17	Breach / NFA	Complete
3.17 BANES	12.04.17	MoP	Cllr	Disrepute	Initial assessment by MO and IP	16.06.17	No Breach	Complete
04-17 BANES	08.05.17	MoP	Cllr	Disrepute (breach of the Council's Code of Conduct on pre-election publicity)	Initial assessment by MO and IP	31.05.17	No further action	Complete
05-17 BANES	01.07.17	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour - bullying	Initial assessment by MO and IP	30.11.17	No breach	Complete
06-17 BANES	01.07.17	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour - bullying	Initial assessment by MO and IP	06.09.17	No breach	Complete
07-17 BANES	20.09.17	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour - bullying	Initial assessment by MO and IP	30.11.17	No breach - further action	Complete
08-17 BANES	22.09.17	MoP	Cllr	Inappropriate behaviour/non-disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP	30.11.17	No breach - further action	Complete
09-17 BANES	09.10.17	CX	Cllr	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP / Investigation	Standards Hearing 18.01.17	Breach	Complete
10-17 BANES	06.10.17	MoP	Cllr	Disrepute (Inappropriate behaviour - misuse of council resources)	Initial assessment by MO and IP	08.12.17	No breach	Complete
11-17 BANES	16.10.17	MoP	Cllr	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP	26.02.18	No breach	Complete
12-17 BANES	13.12.17	MoP	Cllrs	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP	26.02.18	No breach	Complete
13-17 SSPC	10.11.17	MoP	P Cllr	Disrepute (Inappropriate behaviour)	Initial assessment by MO and IP	23.04.18	No breach	Complete
01-18 HBPC a & b	07.02.18	MoP	P Cllr	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP / Investigation	Standards Hearing 19.07.18	Breach / NFA	Complete
02-18 HBPC	26.02.18	MoP	P Cllr	disrepute (Inappropriate behaviour)	Initial assessment by MO and IP	08.03.18	withdrawn	Withdrawn (closed)
03-18 BaNES	07.03.18	Cllr	Cllr	Bringing council into disrepute	Initial assessment by MO and IP	09.04.18	Breach / NFA	Complete
04-18 BPC a	06.04.18	MoP	P Cllr	disrepute (Inappropriate behaviour)	Initial assessment by MO and IP	25.06.18	Breach / NFA	Complete
04-18 BPC b	06.04.18	MoP	P Cllr	disrepute (Inappropriate behaviour)	Initial assessment by MO and IP	25.06.18	Breach / NFA	Complete
05-18 BPC	01.05.18	MoP	P Cllr	disrepute (Inappropriate behaviour)	Initial assessment by MO and IP	25.06.18	Breach / NFA	Complete
06-18 HBPC	02.06.18	P Cllr	P Cllr	disrepute (Inappropriate behaviour)	Initial assessment by MO and IP	23.07.18	Breach	Complete
07-18 BANES	08.06.18	MoP	Cllr	disrepute (Inappropriate behaviour)	Initial assessment by MO and IP	31.07.18	No breach/NFA	Complete
08-18 BANES	09.07.18	MoP	Cllr	disrepute (Inappropriate behaviour)	Initial assessment by MO and IP	02.08.18	No breach/NFA	Complete
09-18 BANES (various)	31.07.18	MoP	Cllrs	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP			Ongoing
10-18 BANES (various)	31.07.18	MoP	Cllrs	Non disclosure of interest	Initial assessment by MO and IP			Ongoing
11-18 BANES	24.08.18	MoP	Cllr	disrepute (Inappropriate behaviour)	Initial assessment by MO and IP			Ongoing

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