

ARTICLE 9 - THE STANDARDS COMMITTEE

9.01 Standards Committee

The Council has established a Standards Committee to oversee the operation of the Council's Code of Conduct, known as the Audit & Standards Committee.

9.02 Composition

- (a) **Membership.** The Committee will comprise 12 Members in total, calculated on the following basis, with each member to be of equal status who shall not include the Leader, Chair or Vice Chair of the Council nor any member of the Council's Cabinet;
- (b) **Substitutes.** There will be one named substitute for each District Council member of the Committee.

9.03 Role and Function

The Committees role and functions is defined in Part 3 of the Constitution - Responsibility for Council Functions.

9.04 Quorum

The quorum for a meeting of Committee shall be as set out within Council Procedure Rule 3.