

London Borough of Islington
Standards Committee – 27th May 2010

Non-confidential minutes of the meeting of the Standards Committee held at the Town Hall, Upper Street, N1 2UD on 27th May 2010.

PRESENT: Godfrey Stadlen and Alison Vydulinska.

Councillors Phil Kelly and George Allan

Godfrey Stadlen in the Chair

1. **APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR FOR THE MEETING (Item 1)**
RESOLVED:
That Godfrey Stadlen be elected Chair for the meeting.
2. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE (Item 2)**
Apologies for absence were received from Father Jim Kennedy, Jane McNeill, Diana Gibbs and Councillor Paula Belford.
3. **DECLARATION OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS (Item 3)**
Councillor Allan substituted for Councillor Belford.
4. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (Item 4)**
None.
5. **MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING (Item 5)**
RESOLVED:
That the minutes of the meeting held on 20th April 2010 be confirmed as a correct record and the Chair be authorised to sign them.
6. **ANY URGENT BUSINESS (Item 6)**
None.
7. **EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS (Item 7)**
RESOLVED:
That the Press and Public be excluded from the remainder of the meeting as the following item would disclose exempt information as specified in paragraph 7(c) of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.
8. **REPORT OF AN INVESTIGATION UNDER SECTION 59 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 2000 INTO AN ALLEGATION CONCERNING COUNCILLOR CATHERINE WEST (Item 8)**
(1) That the investigating officer's finding that Councillor West had not failed to comply with the Code of Conduct be accepted.

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(2) That the Monitoring Officer review the Publicity Protocol and bring a revised version back to a future meeting of the Committee.

The meeting which started at 6.00 pm finished at 6.25 pm.

CHAIR

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