

**The Standards Committee – Assessment Sub-Committee**

The Standards Committee - Assessment Sub-Committee is authorised to discharge the following functions<sup>1</sup>:

1. To receive, consider and initially assess<sup>2</sup> any written allegations<sup>3</sup> of misconduct<sup>4</sup> made against Members in relation to Code of Conduct Complaints.
2. To receive completed Investigation reports in relation to Code of Conduct Complaints and make the relevant findings under Regulation 17 The Standards Committee (England) Regulations 2008.
3. To receive completed Investigation reports in relation to Local Complaints and make the relevant findings under the Standards Committee Procedure Rules<sup>5</sup>.

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<sup>1</sup> 'These 'functions' are discharged both in relation to Leeds City Council and its Members, and parish councils wholly or mainly in its area and the Members of those parish councils.

<sup>2</sup> Section 57A Local Government Act 2000

<sup>3</sup> written allegations made by any person under section 57A Local Government Act 2000.

<sup>4</sup> "misconduct" for these purposes means a breach of the Members Code of Conduct adopted by Leeds City Council or any of the Parish and Town Councils wholly or mainly within its area.

<sup>5</sup> SCPR Rule 13.3