STANDARDS COMMITTEE

SUMMARY OF COMPLAINTS

14th June 2012

Report of the Monitoring Officer

PURPOSE OF REPORT

To update the Committee with a summary of progress on recent complaints of alleged breach of the Code of Conduct.

This report is public

RECOMMENDATIONS

(1) That the report be noted.

1.0 Introduction

1.1 The Committee regularly receives update reports on allegations of breach of the Code of Conduct, and the latest summary is attached to this report.

2.0 Details

- 2.1 The previous review report received by the Committee was in January 2012, and the attached summary covers complaints which were outstanding at that meeting or have been received since that meeting.
- 2.2 At the time of writing this report, no information was available as to whether the government would be making an Order setting out transitional provisions for dealing with complaints still under consideration on the date of implementation of the new standards regime. Any update will be given at the meeting.

3.0 Details of Consultation

3.1 There has been no consultation.

4.0 Options and Options Analysis (including risk assessment)

4.1 The overview of complaints is for noting.

CONCLUSION OF IMPACT ASSESSMENT (including Diversity, Human Rights, Community Safety, Sustainability and Rural Proofing)

None arising from this report.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

None directly arising from this report.

SECTION 151 OFFICER'S COMMENTS

The Section 151 Officer has been consulted and has no further comments.

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

None directly arising from this report.

MONITORING OFFICER'S COMMENTS

The report has been prepared by the Monitoring Officer in her capacity as adviser to the Standards Committee.

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