REPORT TO: COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM: 19

DATE OF CATEGORY:

MEETING: 22ND MAY 2008 DELEGATED

REPORT FROM: MONITORING OFFICER OPEN

PARAGRAPH NO: N/A

MEMBERS' DOC:

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SUBJECT: ANNUAL REPORT OF THE REF:

STANDARDS COMMITTEE 2007/08

WARD(S)

AFFECTED: ALL

1.0 Reason for Exempt

1.1 Not applicable.

2.0 Recommendation

2.1 That the Annual Report of the Standards Committee for 2007/08 be noted.

3.0 Purpose of Report

3.1 To consider the Annual Report of the Standards Committee for 2007/08.

4.0 Detail

4.1 A copy of the Annual Report of the Standards Committee for 2007/08 is attached at Annexe 'A'. This is the fourth Annual Report of the Committee which has been produced.

5.0 Financial Implications

5.1 None.

6.0 Corporate Implications

- 6.1 The Annual Report and associated Work Programme of the Committee will allow for further testing and monitoring of the operation of the ethical framework.
- 6.2 The Annual Report will be placed on the Ethical Framework section of the Council's website to assist in raising public awareness of standards and the profile of the Committee.

7.0 Community Implications

7.1 The production of an Annual Report will help to promote and raise the profile of the Committee throughout the Council, Parish Councils and with members of the public.

8.0 Background Papers

8.1 Annual Report 2007/08