

Joint Standards Committee

20 January 2021

Report of the Monitoring Officer

Draft Annual Report

Summary

This report provides the Joint Standards Committee with an update on the draft Annual Report.

Background

At the last Joint Standards Committee meeting in September 2020, Members resolved that the draft annual report be prepared for formal consideration by the Committee.

The draft report is attached to this report at annex A.

Implications

Financial

Not applicable to this report.

Human Resources (HR)

Not applicable to this report.

Equalities

None applicable to this report.

Legal

The Annual Report will ensure an oversight on the functions of the Joint Standards Committee, including the promotion and maintenance of high standards of conduct by Members of the Council and Parish Councillors and also aids future work planning.

Crime and Disorder, Information Technology and Property

Not applicable to this report.

Recommendations

Members are asked to approve the draft Annual Report in order that it can be considered at a future meeting of Full Council.

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Specialist Implications Officer(s):

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Annex A – Draft Annual Report