

Work Plan for Joint Standards Committee 2015-2016

<u>Meeting Date (3.00pm start)</u>	<u>Items</u>	<u>Notes</u>
Wednesday 25 November 2015	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appointment of Chair for municipal year • Appointment of Vice-Chair for municipal year • Monitoring report in respect of complaints received • Review of Complaints for the last municipal year • Case law update – bias • Review of the Code of Conduct • Appointment of an Independent Person 	Annual item Annual item Standard item Annual item
Wednesday 24 February 2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring report in respect of complaints received 	Standard item
Wednesday 27 April 2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitoring report in respect of complaints received 	Standard item

Suggested items for inclusion on the work plan:

- *Promoting ethical standards (requested at meeting of 20 February 2013 – minute 25)*
- *Electoral Probity (requested at meeting of 19 February 2014 – minute 28 refers)*
- *Raising the profile of the work of the Joint Standards Committee eg Press Release, information circulated to Parish Council Clerks (as suggested at Development Session)*
- *Training provision for Parish Councillors on standards issues (as suggested at Development Session)*
- *Guidance/training for Planning Panels (as suggested at Development Session)*
- *Ethical standards of bodies managing council functions (as suggested at Development Session)*
- *Review of guidance to members serving on outside bodies (as suggested at Development Session)*