

**SUMMARY OF REGULATORY DECISIONS  
(For Information Only)**

Standards Committee

Tuesday, 13 June 2023

1. The summary attached contains the decision(s) made by the above Committee.
2. There is no call-in on these decision(s). They are produced to inform Members of decisions made.
3. The decision(s) are for immediate implementation.
4. The decision(s) summary is available on the website.

**K.Jones  
Chief Executive**

**Civic Centre  
Port Talbot**

**Date 13 June 2023**

Members Present:

**Chairperson: Councillor L.Fleet**

**Vice  
Chairperson: Councillor T.Ward**

**Other Members  
(inc Co-optees):** A.Davies, Councillor W.Carpenter, Councillor  
S.Thomas, C.Edwards and D.Lewis

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**PART 1**

5. South West Wales Corporate Joint Committee	That the report be noted.
6. Attendance at NPT Council and Town Community Council Meetings	That the protocol for Members of the Standards Committee, in respect of the observation of Neath Port Talbot Council meetings, and Town and Community Council meetings contained in the circulated report, and the draft feedback form for usage contained at Appendix 1 to the circulated report, be approved.
7. Social Media Training for Elected Members	That the current training that Members receive in respect of social media be noted, and a Task and Finish Group be established, to specifically look at the issues of social media, with the aim that a report be brought to the Standards Committee with recommendations for elected members to consider.
8. Gifts and Hospitality	1. That the setting of a value of £0 for gifts and hospitality, that should be notified to the Monitoring Officer, be agreed.  2. That the Gifts/Hospitality protocol be amended accordingly, and brought back before a future meeting of the Standards Committee, for

	commendation to Council.
9. Grant of Dispensation under S81(4) of the Local Government Act 2000	That Community Councillor Len Preece be granted a dispensation to speak and vote on issues relating to the business of Canolfan Maerdy at Gwaun Cae Gurwen Community Council, on the terms set out in paragraph 9 to the circulated report, and that the application for dispensation runs to the Standards Committee which follows the Annual Meeting 2027.
<b><u>PART 2</u></b>	
12. Grant of Dispensation under S81(4) of the Local Government Act 2000 (Exempt under Paragraph 12 and 13)	That Councillor Alun Llewelyn be granted a dispensation to speak and vote on issues relating Urdd Gobaith Cymru on the terms set out in paragraph 12 of the circulated report, and that the application for dispensation runs to the Standards Committee which follows the Annual meeting 2027.