

**STANDARDS COMMITTEE**  
**3<sup>RD</sup> JUNE 2016**

<b>APPROVAL OF CHANGES TO MEMBERS CODE OF CONDUCT</b>	
<b>Recommendations / key decisions required:</b> To consider the report and make recommendations to Full Council	
<b>Reasons:</b> The changes reflect those made to the model code and must be adopted	
Scrutiny Committee recommendations / comments: Not applicable	
Exec Board Decision Required	NO
Council Decision Required	YES

<b>EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER PORTFOLIO HOLDER:- Cllr E Dole (Leader)</b>		
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Chief Executives		
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**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY  
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On the 1<sup>st</sup> April 2016 The Local Authorities (Model Code of Conduct) (Wales) (Amendment) Order 2016 came into force, introducing changes to the Model Code of Conduct for elected and co-opted members.

A report was presented to the Standards Committee on the 11<sup>th</sup> April 2016 which sought approval for the changes to the Code in accordance with the 2016 Order.

Unfortunately the report erroneously omitted several of the changes required by the order.

The committee is therefore requested to approve the revised Code of Conduct attached to this report, which now includes all the required changes, so that it may then proceed to Full Council for formal adoption at its meeting in July.

The changes are highlighted on the attached copy of the Code

**DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED ?**

**NO**

## IMPLICATIONS

I confirm that other than those implications which have been agreed with the appropriate Directors / Heads of Service and are referred to in detail below, there are no other implications associated with this report :

Signed: **L. Rees Jones** **Head of Administration and Law**

Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities <b>NONE</b>	Legal <b>NONE</b>	Finance <b>NONE</b>	ICT <b>NONE</b>	Risk Management Issues <b>NONE</b>	Staffing Implications <b>NONE</b>	Physical Assets <b>NONE</b>
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## CONSULTATIONS

I confirm that the appropriate consultations have taken in place and the outcomes are as detailed below

Signed: **L. Rees Jones** **Head of Administration and Law**

*(Please specify the outcomes of consultations undertaken where they arise against the following headings)*

**1. Scrutiny Committee**

Not applicable

**2. Local Member(s)**

Not applicable

**3. Community / Town Council**

Not applicable

**4. Relevant Partners**

Not applicable

**5. Staff Side Representatives and other Organisations**

Not applicable

**Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information**

List of Background Papers used in the preparation of this report:

**THESE ARE DETAILED BELOW**

Title of Document	File Ref No.	Locations that the papers are available for public inspection
Legal file	DPSC-143	Legal Services, County Hall