

Council

28 March 2019

Agenda Item 96

Brighton & Hove City Council

Subject: Review of parts of the Constitution including the Code of Conduct for Members and Related Arrangements

Extract from the proceedings of the Audit & Standards Committee meeting held on the 12th March 2019

Date of Meeting: 28 March 2019

Report of: Executive Lead Officer for Strategy, Governance & Law

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Wards Affected: All

FOR GENERAL RELEASE***Action Required of the Full Council:***

To receive the item referred from the Audit & Standards Committee for approval:

Recommendations:

- (1) That the appendices 1, 2 and 3 to the report referred by Audit & Standards Committee be approved with immediate effect; and
- (2) That the Monitoring Officer be granted delegated authority to publish the changes in the Council's Constitution and to make any necessary or incidental changes he considers necessary to give effect to them.

BRIGHTON & HOVE CITY COUNCIL

AUDIT & STANDARDS COMMITTEE

4.00pm 12 MARCH 2019

COUNCIL CHAMBER - HOVE TOWN HALL

MINUTES

Present: Councillors Miller (Chair) Gilbey (Group Spokesperson), Sykes (Group Spokesperson), Cobb, Greenbaum, Platts, Robins, A. Norman and Yates.

Independent Members present: Dr David Horne

PART ONE

68 REVIEW OF PARTS OF THE CONSTITUTION INCLUDING THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MEMBERS AND RELATED ARRANGEMENTS

68.1 RESOLVED:

- (1) That the draft revised documents appended to the report at Appendix 1 (the Code of Conduct for Members), Appendix 2 (the Practice note on Publicity and the Use of Council Resources) and Appendix 3 The Code of Conduct for Member/ Officer Relations be referred to full Council for approval;

68.2 RESOLVED TO RECOMMEND:

- (1) That the Appendices 1, 2 and 3 to the report referred by Audit & Standards Committee be approved with immediate effect; and
- (2) That the Monitoring Officer be granted delegated authority to publish the changes in the Council's Constitution and to make any necessary or incidental changes he considers necessary to give effect to them.