Agenda item:



Standards Committee

3 October 2007

Standards Board for England – The Bulletin

Summary of Report

This report advises the Committee of relevant issues that are being addressed by the Standards Board in their regular publication entitled "The Bulletin" and in particular those items contained in the latest edition on page 2 – "Amendments to the Local Government Act, 2000" and page 4 – "Local filter for Code of Conduct complaints – impact for local authorities" and page 8 – "Updated advice on suspensions".

On putting this item on the agenda, members of the Committee have the opportunity to debate any issues arising from the Bulletin's content.

Recommendations

- (1) That the content of the report and the Bulletin be noted;
- (2) That copies of The Bulletin be circulated to all members and co-optees and placed in each of the political group rooms.

Resource and legal considerations

None arising from this report.

Citizen impact

None arising from this report.

None arising from this report.					
Performance and risk management issues					
None arising from this report.					
Equality implications					
None					
Consultation					
None					
Background papers					
All published					
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Environmental impact

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