

<b>Summary</b>	
Meeting	Standards Committee
Date	16 June 2022
Title	Standards Committee Minutes
Summary	Minutes of Standards Committee held remotely on 16 June 2022, at 4:30pm
Decision required	None
Attachments	Classified appendix (secure docs version)
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<b>Classifications</b>		
<b>Document</b>	<b>Classification<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Rationales<sup>2</sup></b>
Minutes	Unclassified	n/a
Classified appendix (secure docs version)	<b>Confidential</b>	1, 2 and 3

**1 Classifications explained**

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**2 Classification rationales**

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Minutes of the Standards Committee held remotely on 16 June 2022

<b>Members:</b>	M A Donald	Chair
	L Allum	
	B Andrews-Jones	
	L Belton	Vice Chair
	M Castle	
	D Chambers	
	M Gardiner	
	C-L McLaughlan	
	T Parkin	
	C Roberts	
<b>In attendance:</b>	E C Ferguson	Registrar
	L Lockett	CEO
	G Kingswell	Head of Legal Services (Standards)
	B Jinks	Standards and Advisory Lead
	V Price	Senior Standards and Advice Officer
	K Richardson	Senior Standards and Advice Officer/Solicitor
	M Akwah	Standards and Advice Officer
	I Holloway	Director of Communications

AI 1 Apologies for absence and declarations of interest

1. Apologies were received from C McLaughlan and M Greene.
2. There were no new declarations of interest.
3. The Chair thanked M Greene for being Council observer for the 2021/2022 term, and thanked the Standards and Advice team for all of their work.

AI 2 'Under care' consultation – confidential

4. Please see paragraphs 1-8 of the confidential appendix.

AI 6 Date of next meeting

5. The date of the next meeting is 12 September 2022.