

COUNCILLOR CONDUCT COMMITTEE

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EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

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Summary

This report summarises the content of the report and appendices at agenda item 7 which, in the opinion of the proper officer, contain exempt information within one of the categories in Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972. It is a matter for the Committee to determine whether the press and public should be excluded from the meeting during consideration of these documents.

1. Recommendation

- 1.1 The Committee is required to decide whether to exclude the press and public during consideration of the following document because consideration of this matter in public would disclose information falling within one of the descriptions of exempt information contained in Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, as specified below, and, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption, outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

Report Title	Assessment of complaint – CCC/003/2014
Agenda Item	6
Summary	This report brings before the Committee a complaint against a Member of Medway Council, which was received by the Monitoring Officer on 17 February 2014 and resubmitted on 20 March 2014. This complaint was initially considered by the meeting of this Committee on 31 March 2014. Under the provisions of the Localism Act 2011, and at the request of the Committee, the views of the Independent Person have now been sought and are appended to the report.
Category of exempt information (Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972)	Not for publication under paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 – Information relating to any individual and Information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual.

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Background Papers:

None