



AGENDA

MEETING: STANDARDS COMMITTEE

[Membership: Mark Corner, David Ireton, Allen Kirkbride, Ian Mitchell and Steve Shaw Wright]

VENUE: The National Park Authority Office, Yoredale, Bainbridge DL8 3EL

DATE/TIME: Tuesday 5 December 2023 at 1:00pm

Business

Part One – “Procedural items

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| 1 | Election of Chair | |
| 2 | Apologies for absence | |
| 3 | Minutes of the meeting held on 7 February 2023 | 1 |
| 4 | Public Questions / Statements | |
| 5 | Declarations of lobbying | |

Part Two – Items/Reports which require a decision from Members

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| 6 | Review of Members’ Code Of Conduct | 5 |
| 7 | Review of Social Media Protocol for Members | 15 |



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| 8 | Urgent business - where the Chair has agreed that there are special circumstances. | |
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David Butterworth
Chief Executive
National Park Office,
Yoredale, Bainbridge
17 November 2023

Standards Committee – Terms of Reference

- 1 To promote and maintain high standards of conduct by Members of the Authority.
- 2 To monitor compliance with the Authority's Code of Conduct for Members and related policies or protocols.
- 3 To decide upon written applications by Members of the Authority for a dispensation to speak, or to speak and to vote, on any matter coming before the Authority and/or its Committees in relation to which the Member making the application has a disclosable pecuniary interest; and to decide the terms of any dispensation granted where this function has not been delegated to the Monitoring Officer.
- 4 To make recommendations to the Authority on issues of Member conduct, where these arise out of its consideration of matters referred to in paragraphs 1 – 3 above.
- 5 To make recommendations to the Authority on the Authority's Code of Conduct for Members and related policies or protocols.