

<b>WYFRA</b>	<b>STANDARDS COMMITTEE</b>	<b>7 MARCH 2008</b>	<b>AGENDA NO</b>
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**REPORT OF:** DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE RESOURCES  
(MONITORING OFFICER)

**PURPOSE OF REPORT:** TO PRESENT MEMBERS WITH A SAMPLE OF  
CASE STUDIES

**RECOMMENDATION:** THAT THE REPORT BE NOTED.

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT DETAILS**

**EXEMPTION CATEGORY:** None

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**BACKGROUND PAPERS OPEN TO INSPECTION:**

NIL

## 1 **BACKGROUND**

- 1.1 The Adjudication Panel and Standards Board consider cases and duly investigate alleged breaches of the Code of Conduct.

## 2 **INFORMATION**

- 2.1 Attached to this report are a variety of case studies which provide Members with the opportunity to read different case studies and look at the way decisions are made and which penalties are awarded.
- 2.2 The Panel has at its disposal a range of sanctions which range from suspension of partial suspension of a member for up to 1 year of disqualification for up to five years. The decision of the Panel will be published within 28 days in a local newspaper.
- 2.3 An appeal can be made to the High Court against a decision made by the Adjudication Panel for England.

## 3. **FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 3.1 There are no financial implications arising from this report.