**APPLICATION TO BECOME AN INDEPENDENT MEMBER OF**

**THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL’S**

**STANDARDS COMMITTEE**

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| 1. Surname | Title (Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms) |
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| 2. Forenames |  |
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| 3. Contact Information |  |
| Home Address:Phone:Mobile:Email: |  |
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| 4. Please provide details of your present occupation and employer and any work related professional or academic qualifications. |
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| 5. Have you ever worked for the Vale of Glamorgan Council or its predecessor Authorities, or any other Local Authority including a Town, Community or Parish Council?YES NOIf YES, please give details including dates |
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| 6. Is your spouse or partner employed by any Local Authority?YES NO If YES, please give details  |
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| 7. Are you or your spouse or partner, or have either of you ever been, a serving Member of any Local Authority?YES N NOIf YES, please provide the name of the Authority and relevant dates |
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| 8. Are you a member of any Political Party or active in local politics?YES NO If YES, please give details |
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| 9. Have you had any significant disputes with the Vale of Glamorgan Council since its formation in April 1996?YES NO If YES, please give details |
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| 10. Have you been convicted of a criminal offence?YES NO If YES, please give details |
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| 11. Is there anything in your private or working life or in your past or to your knowledge in that any member of your family or close friends which, if it became generally known might bring you into disrepute or call into question your integrity, authority or standing in the community?YES NO If YES, please give details |
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| 12. Please indicate why you are interested in serving as an independent member on the Standards Committee of the Vale of Glamorgan Council. Include details of any previous experience or personal attributes which you believe make you particularly suitable for this role. |
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**Signed:** …………………………………………………….. **Date:** …………………………

# Please return via e-mail to

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**or**

**V.Davidson**

**Monitoring Officer**

**Vale of Glamorgan Council**

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|  | **EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES MONITORING FORM** |
| The Vale of Glamorgan Council is committed to achieving equality of opportunity. We want to make sure that there are opportunities for everyone to work for us. We collect information about protected characteristics when people apply for jobs. We look at this information to make sure that people from all protected groups apply for jobs. If this is not happening, we can think about ways to encourage more people from those groups to apply for jobs. We would like you to complete this form to provide us with that information. We will take it away from your application form before we send it to Managers to decide who they would like to interview. Please see our equality policy on our Website or phone us for a hard copy for more information about this. |
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| **Post Information** |
| Surname:       | First Name (s)             | Title:       |
| Position/Post title:       | Post ref:       |
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| **Gender and Gender Identity** |
| What is your gender? | [ ]  Female |
| [ ]  Male |
| At birth were you described as? | [ ]  Female |
| [ ]  Male |
| [ ]  Intersex |
| [ ]  Prefer not to say |
| **Disability** |
| Are your day-to-day activities limited because of a physical or mental health condition, illness or disability which has lasted, or is expected to last 12 months or more? | [ ]  Yes – limited a lot |
| [ ]  Yes – limited a little |
| [ ]  No |
| [ ]  Prefer not to say |
| **Age** |
| What is your date of birth?:       |
| **National Identity** |
| **National Identity – how would you describe your national identity?** |
| [ ]  Welsh | [ ]  English | [ ]  Scottish | [ ]  Northern Irish | [ ]  British |
| [ ]  Other (please specify)       | [ ]  Prefer not to say |
| **Ethnic Group** |
| **Ethnicity – how would you describe your ethnic group?** |
| **White** |
| [ ]  Welsh/English/Scottish/Northern Irish/British | [ ]  Irish |
| [ ]  Gypsy or Irish Traveller | [ ]  Any other white background (please specify):       |
| **Mixed/multiple ethnic groups** |
| [ ]  White and Black Caribbean | [ ]  White and Black African | [ ]  White and Asian |
| [ ]  Any other Mixed/multiple ethnic background (please specify):       |
| **Asian/Asian British** |
| [ ]  Indian | [ ]  Pakistani | [ ]  Bangladeshi | [ ]  Chinese |
| [ ]  Any other Asian background (please specify):       |
| **Black/African/Caribbean/Black British** |
| [ ]  African | [ ]  Caribbean |
| [ ]  Any other Black/African/Caribbean background (please specify):       |
| **Other ethnic group** |
| [ ]  Arab |
| [ ]  Any other ethnic group (please specify):       |
| [ ]  Prefer not to say |

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| **Sexual Identity**  |
| **Which of the following options best describes how you think of yourself?** |
| [ ]  Heterosexual/straight  | [ ]  Gay or lesbian | [ ]  Bisexual |
| [ ]  Other | [ ]  Prefer not to say |
| **Religion** |
| **What is your religion?** |
| [ ]  No religion | [ ]  Christian (all denominations)  | [ ]  Buddhist |
| [ ]  Hindu | [ ]  Jewish | [ ]  Muslim | [ ]  Sikh |
| [ ]  Any other religion (please specify):       | [ ]  Prefer not to say |
| **Pregnancy and Maternity** |
| Are you currently pregnant or have you been pregnant within the last year? | [ ]  Yes |
|  | [ ]  No |
|  | [ ]  Prefer not to say |
| Have you taken maternity leave within the past year? | [ ]  Yes |
|  | [ ]  No |
|  | [ ]  Prefer not to say |
| **Marriage and Civil Partnership** |
| What is your legal marital or same sex civil partnership status? | [ ]  Single, that is never married and never registered in a same sex civil partnership |
|  | [ ]  Married and living with husband/wife |
|  | [ ]  Separated but still legally married |
|  | [ ]  Divorced |
|  | [ ]  Widowed |
|  | [ ]  In a registered same-sex civil partnership and living with your partner |
|  | [ ]  Separated, but still legally in a same-sex civil partnership |
|  | [ ]  Formerly in a same-sex civil partnership which is now legally dissolved |
|  | [ ]  Surviving partner from a same-sex civil partnership |
|  | [ ]  Prefer not to say |

Your personal information will not be disclosed without your prior written consent. Your personal information will only be monitored in order to assist statistical analysis, and to help us to develop our policies and practices so that they include all sections of the community. For example it will help the council to identify whether our recruitment and selection strategies are succeeding in providing a workforce that is representative of the Vale of Glamorgan. Your information will not be given to external organisations.

**Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**