

**THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL
 STANDARDS COMMITTEE**

**Application for a Dispensation to the Standards Committee under
 Section 2 of the Standards Committees (Grant of Dispensations) (Wales)
 Regulations 2001**

Name of Councillor	Peter Graham King
Address	7, Corbett Road, PENARTH, Vale of Glamorgan, CF64 2QX
Name of Member's relevant Authority and Ward	Vale of Glamorgan Council, Cornerswell Ward Llandough Community Council
Nature of Dispensation sought	Permission to speak and vote on matters connected with the Vale of Glamorgan Council Corporate Plan 2016-2020
Date of meeting / issue to be discussed (if known)	All meetings for both Vale of Glamorgan County and Llandough Community Councils
Do you seek a dispensation just for the one meeting or for a longer period? If longer, please state a period. <i>(N.B. All dispensations granted expire at the next Council elections.)</i>	As above until the end of this term of Office
Level of dispensation sought <i>(i.e. to speak only or to speak and vote)</i>	Permission to speak and vote.
Relevant paragraph(s) under which dispensation can be granted <i>(See (a) to (i) overleaf)</i>	Paragraphs (c), (d) and (e).

<p>Details of the Prejudicial Interest</p>	<p>In addition to being a member of the Vale of Glamorgan Council, I am also a member of Llandough Community Council which may be involved in services currently undertaken by the Vale Council being devolved to Town/Community Councils.</p>
<p>Details of any Position of responsibility / control held on your Council (e.g. <i>Chairman / Vice-Chairman / Cabinet Member</i>)</p>	<p>Vale Council, Vice Chair of Economy & Environment Scrutiny Committee and Member of Corporate Resources Scrutiny Committee.</p> <p>Member of Llandough CC and its sub-committees</p>
<p>Reason(s) to support the application and why you consider the Standards Committee should grant a dispensation</p> <p><i>(Use a separate sheet of paper if necessary)</i></p>	<p>The Vale of Glamorgan Council's Corporate Plan includes possible devolvement of services outside the direct control of this Council. A possible alternative provider could be Llandough Community Council, either alone or in some cluster arrangement with, say, Penarth Town Council.</p> <p>The matter will be feature of both Scrutiny Committees to which I am a member as well as both Full Councils.</p> <p>I have a personal and prejudicial interest in the discussions and in accordance with the advice issued by the Ombudsman made under the heading "Twin-hatted Councillors" I submit this application.</p>

SIGNED:

DATED:

Each section of the form MUST be fully completed.

(N.B. If you are submitting your application form electronically, without a signature, please give written permission for the receiving officer to sign the application form on your behalf. Failure to do this will result in the application being deemed incomplete and returned to the applicant.)

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER (IF APPROPRIATE): 

Please return completed form to:
Democratic and Scrutiny Services, Directorate of Resources, Room 9, 1st Floor, Civic Offices, Holton Road, Barry, CF63 4RU

Circumstances When A Standards Committee May Grant Dispensations

The Standards Committees (Grant of Dispensations) (Wales) Regulations 2001 specifies that the Council's Standards Committee may grant dispensations under Section 81(4) of the Local Government Act 2000 where:

- (a) no fewer than half of the Members of the Council or of a committee of the Council (as the case may be) by which the business is to be considered has an interest which relates to that business;
- (b) no fewer than half of the Members of the Executive of the Council (i.e. Leader and Cabinet) by which the business is to be considered has an interest which relates to that business and either paragraph (d) or (e) also applies;
- (c) Members' inability to participate would upset the political balance of the Council, or any of its committees by which the business is to be considered, to such an extent that the outcome would be likely to be affected;
- (d) the nature of the Member's interest is such that the Member's participation in the business to which the interest relates would not damage public confidence in the conduct of the Council's business;
- (e) the interest is common to the Member and a significant proportion of the general public;
- (f) the participation of the Member in the business to which the interest relates is justified by the Member's particular role or expertise;
- (g) the registerable interest relates to business, which is to be considered by an Overview and Scrutiny Committee of the Council, and the Member's interest is not a pecuniary/financial interest;
- (h) the business relates to the finances or property of a voluntary organisation of whose management committee or board the Member is a member otherwise than as a representative of the Council and the Member has no other interest in that business, provided that any dispensation shall not extend to participation in any vote with respect to that business; or
- (i) it appears to the Standards Committee to be in the interests of the inhabitants of the area of the Council that the disability should be removed, provided that written notification of the grant of the dispensation is given to the National Assembly for Wales within 7 days. Such a notification should specify the Member to whom the dispensation would apply and the Standards Committee's reasons why the disability should be removed.

Hope, Christopher

From: King, Peter (Cllr)
Sent: 22 December 2015 22:09
To: Hope, Christopher
Subject: Application for Dispensation to Speak/Speak and Vote
Attachments: SC1 Dispensation Application Corp Plan.doc

Hello Chris,

Further to our phone conversation earlier today, please find attached my completed form.

Please accept this email as my authority for you to sign and date the form on my behalf. However, if you would prefer a signed, hard copy, please tell me and I'll do that and post it to you.

Wishing you a Happy Christmas,

Peter

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