

MEMBER GENERAL DISPENSATION

Claire Mayhew – Acting Director of People & Governance and Monitoring Officer

Date: 25th July 2023

Responsible Director: Claire Mayhew – Acting Director of People & Governance and Monitoring Officer

Decision taken

Cllr Cliff Poppy is the applicant on a planning application 23/00481/FUL to be heard at the Planning Committee on 25th July 2023.

Each member will individually need to consider whether or not they may have an interest in this application in accordance with the Council's constitution, however, due to the possibility that a number of members may have a non-registrable interest in this application by virtue of being a 'close associate' of Cllr Poppy, I have granted a dispensation to all committee members.

Members will additionally need to satisfy themselves that they are not predetermined or biased in respect of this application. If you are pre-determined or biased, you must not participate in the debate and vote on this application.

Please could you grant a dispensation to all members of the planning committee in your capacity as MO to cover members for this application only.

Authorisation

This decision has been taken under:
Localism Act 2011 section 33(1) the general authority.

The Monitoring Officer may issue dispensations to any member in respect of statutory and non-statutory disclosable interests.

Alternative

The alternative is not to adopt provide a general dispensation and then the Council would risk breaching its statutory duties if sufficient members were unable to take part in decision making.

Supporting documentation

The Localism Act 2011 and associated regulations.

Officer signature



Date	25.7.2023
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