**COMMITTEE ON STANDARDS IN PUBLIC LIFE**

**TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH MEETING**

**TO BE HELD ON THURSDAY 19 APRIL 2018 AT 10.00**

**IN CONFERENCE ROOM E, 70 WHITEHALL**

**AGENDA**

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| **No** | **Agenda item** | **Details** | **Papers** | **Indicative timings** |
| 1 | Apologies | Apologies have been received from Dame Shirley Pearce DBE | - | 10.00 |
| 2 | Registers | The Committee will be asked to agree the register of interests for publication on the Committee’s website. | Electronic copy only | 10.00 |
| 3 | Minutes and Matters Arising | The Committee will be asked to approve the minutes from March’s Committee meeting and note any matters arising:   1. Westminster harassment | CSPL (18) 34  CSPL (18) 35 | 10.05 |
| 4 | Public Service Providers | The Committee will be invited to approve the final draft of the importance of ethical standards for public service providers; and the publication and communications plan. | CSPL (18) 36 | 10.15 |
| 5 | MPs’ Outside Interests | The Committee will be invited to consider the second draft of the report on MPs’ outside interests. | CSPL (18) 37 | 10.30 |
| 6 | Local Government | The Committee will be invited to note the progress on the local government ethical standards review. | CSPL (18) 38 | 11.15 |
| 7 | Future work programme | The Committee will be invited to comment on proposals for the Committee’s future work programme. | CSPL (18) 39 | 11.30 |
| 8 | Annual Report | The Committee will be invited to note and approve the outline draft of the 2017/18 Annual Report. | CSPL (18) 40 | 12.15 |
| 9 | PACAC inquiry into pre-appointment scrutiny | The Committee will be invited to note a paper setting out the details of PACAC’s inquiry into pre-appointment scrutiny for some public appointments. | CSPL (18) 41 | 12.25 |
| 10 | Standards Check | The Committee will be asked to note an update on recent standards issues. | CSPL (18) 42  (electronic copies only of articles) | 12.35 |
| 11 | Forward Agenda | The Committee will be invited to note:   * forthcoming events; and * the forward agenda. | CSPL (18) 43  CSPL (18) 44 | 12.40 |
| 12 | AOB | The Committee will be asked to note:   1. Communications update for March 2018; 2. Date of next meeting: 17 May 2018 in Conference Room E, 70 Whitehall. | CSPL (18) 45 | 12.45 |