**COMMITTEE ON STANDARDS IN PUBLIC LIFE**

**292nd MEETING**

**HELD AT 13.00 ON MONDAY 27 SEPTEMBER 2021**

**BY VIDEO CALL**

**MINUTES**

Present: Lord Evans of Weardale KCB DL, Chair

Ewen Fergusson

Professor Gillian Peele

Dr Jane Martin CBE

Dame Shirley Pearce DBE

Rt Hon Lord Stunell OBE

Professor Mark Philp, Chair, Research Advisory Board

Maggie O’Boyle, Press Secretary

Lesley Bainsfair, Secretary

Nicola Richardson, Senior Policy Adviser

Aaron Simons, Senior Policy Adviser

**1. APOLOGIES**

Rt Hon Dame Margaret Beckett DBE MP

Rt Hon Jeremy Wright QC MP

**2. DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS**

A register of members’ declarations of interest can be found on the Committee's website. The register is regularly updated.

Maggie O'Boyle declared her interest - providing part-time press support to the Office of the Commissioner for Public Appointments, the Advisory Committee on Business Appointments, the Civil Service Commission and HOLAC.

**2. STANDARDS MATTER 2**

The Chair thanked the members for taking the time to attend this additional Committee meeting that was held to review the latest draft of the SM2 report.

Members’ revisions were noted for the final draft.

**5** **Date of Next Meeting**

Thursday 21 October 2021 at 10.00 by video call.

CSPL Secretariat

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