

TENDRING DISTRICT COUNCIL MONITORING OFFICER UPDATE MARCH 2024

Council	Complainant	Current status	Final outcome	Comments
Existing Cases from last update:				
Council	Complainant	Current status	Final outcome	Comments
PARISH	PUBLIC	CLOSED	NO FURTHER ACTION	Matter did not constitute a non-declaration of interest
DISTRICT	PUBLIC	CLOSED	NO FURTHER ACTION	Matter did not relate to acting in an official capacity
PARISH	PARISH COUNCILLOR	CLOSED		Member resigned
DISTRICT	METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCILLOR	ONGOING		Matter relates to behaviour whilst acting in an official capacity
DISTRICT	PUBLIC	ONGOING		Matter relates to behaviour whilst acting in an official capacity and misuse of Council resources

New Cases since last update

TOWN	PUBLIC	ONGOING		Matter relates to behaviour whilst acting in an official capacity
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General Notes – 2023/24 Summary:

Overall 8 cases have been received in 2023/24. Five of the cases merited no further action, one due to the Member not being re-elected at the May 2023 elections, two due to the Member resigning from their position, one which did not constitute a non-declaration of interest and one which did not relate to acting in an official capacity.

The other three cases remain ongoing.

Code of Conduct training session for Town and Parish Members are required at suitable venues across the District. Dates will be determined taking into consideration Officer and venue availability.

Requests for dispensations:

A dispensation for all District Members was granted by the Monitoring Officer for the purpose of the report of the Assistant Director (Finance & IT) – Formal Confirmation of Council Tax Amounts for 2024/25 Following the Notification of the Precepts from the Major Precepting Authorities, heard at the meeting of the Human Resources and Council Tax Committee on 26 February 2024.

There have not been any further requests for dispensations during this period.