STANDARDS COMMISSION FOR SCOTLAND

INTEGRITY IN PUBLIC LIFE

AGENDA: 2 November 2026 - ONLINE

STANDING ITEMS

1.	Welcome, Apologies & Declarations of Interest		**SV**
2.	Matters Arising & Outstanding Actions		**SV**

CONSENT AND INFORMATION ITEMS

3.	Draft Minute of Meeting on 29 September 2026		**SV**

STRATEGIC MATTERS

4.	**FOR DISCUSSION:**	Promoting the Ethical Standards Framework and Update on Outreach Work	**LJ**
5.	**FOR DISCUSSION:**	Resources and workloads (verbal)	**LJ**

BUSINESS MATTERS

6.	**FOR INFORMATION:**	Budget against Expenditure	**LJ**

CASES

7. **NOTE OF NO ACTION DECISIONS & SECTION 14 LETTERS** **SCS**

a) **LA/PK/4577**: Breach report received re a Perth and Kinross Councillor – no action
b) **LA/EA/4438**: Breach report received re an East Ayrshire Councillor – no action
c) **LA/SA/4134c**: No breach report received re a South Ayrshire Councillor – no action
d) **LA/SA/4220b and LA/SA/4134b**: No breach report received re a South Ayrshire Councillor – no action
e) **LA/AB/4572**: No breach report received re an Argyll and Bute Councillor – no action
f) **LA/NL/4498**: No breach report received re a North Lanarkshire Councillor – no action
g) **LA/SA/4222(a); LA/SA/4220(a); LA/SA/4134(a) and LA/SA/4222(b)**: Section 14 notifications received re two South Ayrshire Councillors advising that draft breach reports have been issued by the ESC
h) **LA/G/4661**: No breach report received re a Glasgow City Councillor – decision pending
i) **LA/EL/4658**: Section 14 notification received re an East Lothian Councillor advising that a draft breach report has been issued by the ESC

8. **CASES AND POST HEARING UPDATES (VERBAL)** **SCS**

a) **LA/An/4457**: Councillors David Cheape, Iain Gall and Tommy Stewart of Angus Council (**LS**, SV, HD)
b) **LA/E/4529**: Councillor James Dalgleish of City of Edinburgh Council (**MB**, HD, LS)

c) **LA/SL/4470**: Councillor Gerry Convery of South Lanarkshire Council (**MF,** LS, HD)
d) **LA/EL/4546**: Councillor Shona McIntosh of East Lothian Council (**HD,** LS, MB)

9. THREE-MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORTS / INTERIM REPORT **SCS**

a) **LA/C/4516**: Investigation re a Clackmannanshire Councillor – three-month progress report on investigation from ESC
b) **LA/CES/4619**: Investigation re a Comhairle nan Eilean Siar Councillor – three-month progress report on investigation from ESC

10. FEEDBACK INCLUDING ANY HEARINGS SURVEY RESPONSES

a) Evaluation Survey from IJB Members online training session **LJ**

11. NOTABLE CASES FROM OTHER JURISDICTIONS **RW**

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

12. FOR DISCUSSION: Any emerging risks **SCS**

Agenda Items for next Meeting (verbal)

13. FOR INFORMATION: 2026/27 Diary Dates – Meetings/Hearings/Events etc **LJ**
2026/27 Workplan