

AGENDA ITEM 3 (a)

STANDARDS COMMITTEE

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A QUICK GUIDE TO BLOGGING

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. To update members on recent guidance issued by the Standards Board for England.

RECOMMENDATION

2. That the report be noted.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

3. I have recently received from the Standards Board for England a copy of its guidance in respect of members' use of social networking sites. A copy of that guidance has been circulated to all Councillors and is attached hereto.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

Copy of Guidance issued by Standards for England

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