

**WEST MIDLANDS POLICE
AND CRIME
COMMISSIONER**

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NOTICE OF DECISION

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Title Revised Code of Conduct (PCC, DPCC and Strategic Board)

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

On taking office on 22 November 2012 a code of conduct was adopted which has now been reviewed further and which makes provision for the Strategic Board Members.

DECISION

To adopt the revised code of conduct.

West Midlands Police and Crime Commissioner

I confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interests in this decision and take the decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct for the West Midlands Office for Policing and Crime. Any interests are indicated below.

Signature.....

Date.....

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INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

The code of conduct reflects the obligation in the policing protocol to abide by the by the seven principles of public life which were set out in Standards in Public Life: First Report of the Committee on Standards in Public Life known as — the Nolan Principles which were updated by the Committee in their Fourteenth Report in January 2013.

The code will apply to the PCC, DPCC and members of the Strategic Policing and Crime Board.

It is recommended that the code be reviewed by the Joint Audit Committee.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no direct financial implications.

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

There code reflects legal requirements to publish a register of interests.

EQUALITY IMPLICATIONS

The general obligations in the code promote equality.

Schedule of Background Papers

The code of conduct

Public Access to Information

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