

STAFF REPORT

TO: Mayor and Councillors
FROM: Administration Advisor
REFERENCE: C751 and C780
DATE: 1 October 2007
SUBJECT: Declarations by Elected Members

PURPOSE FOR REPORT

To provide elected members with background to their declaration.

KEY POINTS

- This matter is prescribed by the Local Government Act 2002 Schedule 7 Part 1 Section 14(3).
- No person may act as Councillor until they have made an oral declaration, then signed, as per the attached prescribed format.
- The wording of the declaration has remained unchanged for many years but each word is important.

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