26th May 2010 DATE: **REPORTING OFFICER:** Strategic Director - Resources SUBJECT: Recent Case Summaries from Standards for England **WARDS** N/A 1.0 PURPOSE OF THE REPORT 1.1 To make Members aware of recent decisions in cases where breaches of the Code of Conduct have been alleged in other authorities. 2.0 **RECOMMENDATION** 2.1 That the Report be noted. 3.0 SUPPORTING INFORMATION 3.1 Members' attention is drawn to three case summaries which have recently been published on Standards for England's website 3.2 These cases refer to Astley Village Parish Council, Immingham Town Council and Haws and High Abbotside Parish Council and the Yorkshire Dales National Park Authority 3.3 The summaries are provided for the information of Members and are intended to inform discussion at the Meeting. 4.0 **POLICY IMPLICATIONS** 4.1 None 4.0 **POLICY IMPLICATIONS** 4.1 None 5.0 **OTHER IMPLICATIONS** 5.1 None 6.0 IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNCIL'S PRIORITIES

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REPORT TO:

6.1 Children and Young People in Halton None 6.2 Employment Learning and Skills in Halton None 6.3 A Healthy Halton Borough Council None 6.4 A Safer Halton None 6.5 Halton's Urban Renewal None 7.0 **RISK ANALYSIS** 7.1 No Key issues have been identified which require control measures 8.0 **EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES** The Report of itself does not contain specific Equality and Diversity 8.1 issues 9.0 LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS UNDER SECTION 100D OF **THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972** 9.2 None