

Causeway Coast & Glens Borough Council

To: Corporate Policy and Resources Committee

Date: 17th November 2015

Consultation Report

A hard copy of the Consultation is available on request.

1. The NI Local Government Code of Conduct for Councillors

Under the Local Government Act (Northern Ireland) 2014 the NI Commissioner for Complaints is responsible for investigating and adjudicating on complaints about alleged breaches of the Local Government Code of Conduct for Councillors. The 2014 Act also provides for the Commissioner to take action “instead of “ or “in addition to” an investigation (“Alternative Action”).

The Commissioner is inviting Council’s comments on his proposals for Alternative Action in dealing with minor breaches of the Code.

A copy of the consultation can be found on www.ni-ombudsman.org.uk/consultations.aspx

Responses should be sent to ombudsman@ni-ombudsman.org.uk

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The closing date for responses is 15th January 2016.