

**BRIGHTON & HOVE CITY COUNCIL – MEMBER DECLARATIONS
PUBLIC REGISTER OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS**

Please complete section 1 or 2, as appropriate.

EITHER

1. There is no change to the most recent Member Declaration of Interests I submitted to the Council's Monitoring Officer.

Signed.....

Name of Member.....

Date.....

OR

2. I wish to submit a new Declaration of Interests, as set on the following pages.

Please complete all the sections of the form, and sign and date it at the end.

For sections where you have no declarations to make, please put "nil" or "not applicable", rather than leaving them blank.

A. DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS

My Disclosable Pecuniary Interests under Appendix A of the Council's Code of Conduct for Members and pursuant to the Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012 are as listed in column 3 below:-

	Type of Interest as described in the Code and Regulations.	Declaration – My Disclosable Pecuniary Interests
i	Employment, office, trade, profession or vocation <i>Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain.</i>	My one year contract with the FED local charity, finished in July 2014 I have not been working in paid employment since then, though I am actively seeking work and will update this as and when accordingly. Member of the Green Party of England and Wales Active UNISON member Not working at present (Oct 2014).
ii	Sponsorship <i>Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from Brighton & Hove City Council) made or provided in the 12 month period preceding notification of this pecuniary interest in respect of any expenses incurred in carrying out duties as a member or towards your election expenses. This includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of the Trade Union and labour relations (Consolidation) Act 1992.</i>	Nil.
iii	Contracts <i>Any contract which is made between you or other relevant</i>	My Partner, Dr Maria Antoniou, is currently the Interim Director of Brighton & Hove LGBT Switchboard (end date not

	<p><i>persons* (or a body in which you or other relevant persons* have a beneficial interest) and the relevant authority –</i></p> <p><i>(a) under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed; and</i></p> <p><i>(b) which has not been fully discharged</i></p> <p><i>* A “relevant person” is your spouse or civil partner; a person with whom you are living as husband or wife; or a person with whom you are living as if they were a civil partner.</i></p>	confirmed)
iv	<p>Land</p> <p><i>Any beneficial interest in land which is within the area of the Brighton & Hove.</i></p>	The Member or Co-opted Member has declared an interest in relation to this section, the details of which are withheld pursuant to Section 32 Localism Act 2011.
v	<p>Licences</p> <p><i>Any licence (alone or jointly with others) to occupy land in the area of Brighton & Hove for a month or longer.</i></p>	Nil.
vi	<p>Corporate Tenancies</p> <p><i>Any tenancy where (to your knowledge) –</i></p> <p><i>(a) the landlord is Brighton & Hove City Council; and</i></p> <p><i>(b) the tenant is a body in which you or another “relevant person” (as defined in item 3 above) has a beneficial interest.</i></p>	Nil.
vii	<p>Securities</p> <p><i>Any beneficial interest in securities of a body where –</i></p> <p><i>(a) that body (to your knowledge)</i></p>	Nil.

	<p><i>has a place of business or land in the area of Brighton & Hove; and</i></p> <p><i>(b) either –</i></p> <p><i>(i) the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body; or</i></p> <p><i>(ii) if the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which you or a “relevant person” (as defined in item 3 above) has a beneficial interest exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.</i></p>	
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B. OTHER INTERESTS

My Other Interests under Appendix B of the Council’s Code of Conduct for Members are as listed in column 3 below:-

	Type of interest described in the Code	Declaration – my Other Disclosable Interests
i	Any body of which you are in a position of general control or management.	<p>1. Political party and trade union – see above</p> <p>2. Charities I am a member of and send to are: Compassion in World Farming BOS Foundation John Aspinall Foundation WSPA Greenpeace Amnesty International Lost Cats Brighton</p> <p>3. My partner, Dr Maria Antoniou, is currently the Interim Director for the Brighton & Hove LGBT Switchboard – at least until May 2015</p>

ii	<p>Any person from whom I have received a gift or hospitality with an estimated value of at least £50 which I have accepted as a Member of the Council.</p> <p>In each case please list</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the giver (ii) the date of receipt (iii) description of gift/hospitality (iv) any other comments, e.g. whether you kept the gift or passed it on 	<p>One –off lecture delivered to the English Dept at Brighton University earlier this year (above £50)</p> <p>This was declared to Democratic Services at the time, though I was working – this was NOT a gift.</p> <p>2nd August '14- "Full VIP" Ticket including food and drink for the VIP tent at Pride this year (Above £50) A second "no value, ie, no food or drink" VIP ticket was allocated to my partner to allow her entry to the said VIP area with me. VIP tickets were issued to any councillor who attended Pride. For more details, please check with Richard Butcher-Tuset</p> <p>Bridie Williams, The Ambassador group, offered complimentary tickets to Councillors & their partners to see Arcadia at Brighton Theatre, 3rd February 2015. 2 Tickets £25 each</p>

Voluntary Registration of membership of private clubs

- Paragraph 2.5 of the Council's Code of Conduct indicates that you may provide written notification to the Monitoring Officer of your membership of any private club and of any subsequent change or addition to this information.
- You are encouraged to make such a declaration since the Council considers this promotes the interests of openness and represents good practice. However, failure to declare membership of private clubs will not be a breach of the Code.
- This voluntary declaration would include sports clubs, social clubs or similar organisations, and **any clubs or organisations which are charities, for example Rotary or the Grand Charity (Freemasons).**

My membership of private clubs is as follows:

I am member of and regular donator to the following charities:

- Compassion in World Farming
- WSPA

- Amnesty International
- Lost Cats, Brighton
- Greenpeace
- BOS (Borneo Orangutan Survival)
- Aspinall Foundation (primate & elephant rescue & conservation)
- Animals Asia
- Member, UNISON
- Member, Green Party of England & Wales

I declare to Brighton & Hove City Council that the above are my interests, as required to be declared by the Council's Code of Conduct and the Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012.

Signed: Stephanie Powell

Date: 16.02.2015

Name: Councillor Stephanie Powell

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Guidance in relation to shares, gifts and hospitality and land

1. The Code refers to the nominal value of securities. What is this - is it different to the market value of securities?

The nominal value of securities is the face value of those securities (eg the value recorded on a share certificate). For example:

You bought 10,000 £1.50 shares (face value) in 1999. The market value at the time was £3.00 each, so the total paid was £30,000. Those shares are now worth £45,000. *You are required to declare the nominal value of shares held in excess of £25,000.* The nominal value of those shares would be £15,000 (10,000 x £1.50). Therefore you would not be obliged to enter the shares on the register of interests, even though the current market value of the shares is £45,000. *This will be the case unless the number of shares you hold represents more than one hundredth of the total issued share capital of the relevant corporate body.*

2. Do I need to register all gifts and hospitality I receive?

No. You only need to register gifts and hospitality worth at least £50 that you receive in connection with your official duties as a Member. Gifts received in a personal capacity do not fall within those circumstances, so do not need to be registered.

3. Do I need to register land that I own overseas or in parts of England outside the Council's area?

No. You only need to register land you own or in which you have a beneficial interest that is within the Council's area.