



Local Government Act 2000

2000 CHAPTER 22

PART III

CONDUCT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES

CHAPTER II

INVESTIGATIONS ETC: ENGLAND

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** Pt. III savings for effects of 2005 c. 10, s. 38 (1.4.2006) by [The Public Services Ombudsman \(Wales\) Act 2005 \(Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments\) Order 2006 \(S.I. 2006/362\)](#), arts. 1(1), **4**
- C2** Pt. III functions made exercisable (E.) by joint standards committees (15.6.2009) by [The Standards Committee \(Further Provisions\) \(England\) Regulations 2009 \(S.I. 2009/1255\)](#), regs. 1(1), **14**
- C3** Pt. III applied (with modifications) (22.11.2012) by [The Police and Crime Panels \(Application of Local Authority Enactments\) Regulations 2012 \(S.I. 2012/2734\)](#), regs. 1(1), 3-6, **Sch. Pt. 3**

Standards Board for England

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Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 57 repealed (31.1.2012 for specified purposes, 1.4.2012 in so far as not already in force) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 17, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(e) (with arts. 6, 8); S.I. 2012/628, art. 6(h) (with arts. 9, 11, 14, 15, 17)

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[^{F2}Written allegations]

Textual Amendments

F2 Ss. 57A-57D and 58 substituted for s. 58 (31.1.2008 for specified purposes, 8.5.2008 in so far as not already in force) by [Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 \(c. 28\)](#), **ss. 185, 245(5)** (with s. 201); S.I. 2008/172, art. 6; S.I. 2008/1265, art. 2(a) (with art. 3)

^{F3}57A Written allegations: right to make, and initial assessment

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Textual Amendments

F3 S. 57A repealed (31.1.2012 for specified purposes, 1.7.2012 for specified purposes, 22.11.2012 in so far as not already in force) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 18, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(f) (with arts. 6, 8); S.I. 2012/1463, art. 5(a)(d) (with arts. 6, 7) (as amended (3.7.2012) by S.I. 2012/1714, art. 2); S.I. 2012/2913, arts. 1(2), 2(b)(c) (with arts. 3-6)

^{F4}57B Right to request review of decision not to act

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Textual Amendments

F4 S. 57B repealed (31.1.2012 for specified purposes, 1.7.2012 for specified purposes, 22.11.2012 in so far as not already in force) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 19, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(g) (with arts. 6, 8); S.I. 2012/1463, art. 5(a)(d) (with arts. 6, 7) (as amended (3.7.2012) by S.I. 2012/1714, art. 2); S.I. 2012/2913, arts. 1(2), 2(b)(c) (with arts. 3-6)

^{F5}7C Information to be given to subject of allegation

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Textual Amendments

F5 S. 57C repealed (31.1.2012 for specified purposes, 1.7.2012 for specified purposes, 22.11.2012 in so far as not already in force) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 20, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(h) (with arts. 6, 8); S.I. 2012/1463, art. 5(a)(d) (with arts. 6, 7) (as amended (3.7.2012) by S.I. 2012/1714, art. 2); S.I. 2012/2913, arts. 1(2), 2(b)(c) (with arts. 3-6)

^{F6}57D Power to suspend standards committee's functions

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Textual Amendments

- F6** S. 57D repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 21, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(i) (with arts. 6, 8)

^{F7}58 Allegations referred to Standards Board

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Textual Amendments

- F7** S. 58 repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 22, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(i) (with arts. 6, 8)

Functions of ethical standards officers

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Textual Amendments

- F8** S. 59 repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 23, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(i) (with arts. 6, 8)

Investigations [^{F9}by ethical standards officers]

Textual Amendments

- F9** Words in s. 60 cross-heading inserted (1.4.2008 for specified purposes) by [Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 \(c. 28\)](#), ss. 191(2), 245(5) (with s. 201); S.I. 2008/172, art. 7(2)

^{F10}60 Conduct of investigations.

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Textual Amendments

- F10** S. 60 repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 24, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(i) (with arts. 6, 8)

^{F11}61 Procedure in respect of investigations.

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Textual Amendments

F11 S. 61 repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 25, [Sch. 25 Pt. 5](#); S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(i) (with arts. 6, 8)

^{F12}62 Investigations: further provisions.

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Textual Amendments

F12 S. 62 repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 26, [Sch. 25 Pt. 5](#); S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(i) (with arts. 6, 8)

^{F13}63 Restrictions on disclosure of information.

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Textual Amendments

F13 S. 63 repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 27, [Sch. 25 Pt. 5](#) (with Sch. 4 para. 60); S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(i) (with arts. 6, 8)

Reports etc. [^{F14}by ethical standards officers]

Textual Amendments

F14 Words in s. 64 cross-heading inserted (31.1.2008) by [Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 \(c. 28\)](#), [ss. 192\(1\)](#), 245(5) (with s. 201); S.I. 2008/172, art. 2(1)(m)

^{F15}64 Reports etc.

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Textual Amendments

F15 S. 64 repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 28, [Sch. 25 Pt. 5](#); S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(i) (with arts. 6, 8)

^{F16}65 Interim reports.

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Textual Amendments

F16 S. 65 repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 29, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(i) (with arts. 6, 8)

^{F17}65A Disclosure by monitoring officers of ethical standards officers' reports

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Textual Amendments

F17 S. 65A repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 30, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(i) (with arts. 6, 8)

References to monitoring officers

^{F18}66 Matters referred to monitoring officers.

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Textual Amendments

F18 S. 66 repealed (7.6.2012 for specified purposes, 1.7.2012 for specified purposes, 22.11.2012 in so far as not already in force) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 31, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/1463, arts. 2(h), 5(a)(d) (with arts. 6, 7); S.I. 2012/2913, arts. 1(2), 2(b)(c) (with arts. 3-6)

^{F20}66A References to [^{F19}First-tier Tribunal] for action in respect of misconduct

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Textual Amendments

F19 Words in s. 66A heading substituted (18.1.2010) by [The Transfer of Tribunal Functions Order 2010 \(S.I. 2010/22\)](#), art. 1(1), **Sch. 2 para. 55(a)** (with Sch. 5)

F20 S. 66A repealed (1.7.2012 for specified purposes, 22.11.2012 in so far as not already in force) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 32, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/1463, art. 5(a)(d) (with arts. 6, 7) (as amended (3.7.2012) by S.I. 2012/1714, art. 2); S.I. 2012/2913, arts. 1(2), 2(b)(c) (with arts. 3-6)

[^{F21}Information to be provided to Standards Board by relevant authority]

Textual Amendments

F21 Ss. 66B, 66C and cross-heading inserted (8.5.2008) by [Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 \(c. 28\)](#), **ss. 186, 245(5)** (with s. 201); S.I. 2008/1265, art. 2(b) (with art. 3)

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F22 66B Periodic returns

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Textual Amendments

- F22** S. 66B repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 33, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(j) (with arts. 6, 8)

F23 66C Information requests

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Textual Amendments

- F23** S. 66C repealed (31.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 34, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(j) (with arts. 6, 8)

[^{F24}Consultation with ombudsmen]

Textual Amendments

- F24** S. 67 cross-heading inserted (1.4.2008) by [Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 \(c. 28\)](#), **ss. 196(1), 245(5)** (with s. 201); S.I. 2008/172, art. 4(j)

F26 67 Consultation with [^{F25}ombudsmen].

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Textual Amendments

- F25** Word in s. 67 heading substituted (1.4.2006) by [Public Services Ombudsman \(Wales\) Act 2005 \(c. 10\)](#), s. 40, **Sch. 4 para. 7**; S.I. 2005/2800, art. 5(1)(3) (with transitional provisions in S.I. 2006/362, art. 4)
- F26** S. 67 repealed (31.1.2012 for specified purposes, 1.7.2012 for specified purposes, 22.11.2012 in so far as not already in force) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 35, **Sch. 25 Pt. 5**; S.I. 2012/57, art. 5(1)(a)(c)(2)(k) (with arts. 6, 8); S.I. 2012/1463, art. 5(a)(d) (with arts. 6, 7) (as amended (3.7.2012) by S.I. 2012/1714, art. 2); S.I. 2012/2913, arts. 1(2), 2(b)(c) (with arts. 3-6)

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C4** S. 67 modified (temp.) (1.11.2014) by [Social Services and Well-being \(Wales\) Act 2014 \(anaw 4\)](#), s. 199(2), **Sch. 3 para. 11**; S.I. 2014/2718, art. 2(b)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 21(2ZA) inserted by [2011 nawm 4 s. 59\(3\)](#)
- s. 21(13)(c) inserted by [2011 nawm 4 s. 59\(5\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 21(15A) inserted by [2011 nawm 4 s. 59\(6\)](#)
- s. 21(18) inserted by [2011 nawm 4 s. 59\(7\)](#)
- s. 21C(6)(aa)(ab) inserted by [2012 c. 7 Sch. 5 para. 97\(a\)](#)