

## **ARTICLE 9 - THE JOINT STANDARDS COMMITTEE**

### **9.1 Standards Committee**

9.1.1 This is a Joint Committee between St Edmundsbury Borough Council and Forest Heath District Council.

9.1.2 Political balance rules do not apply to this Committee.

### **9.2 Membership**

9.2.1 The Joint Committee will comprise six Members, three appointed by each authority.

9.2.2 The quorum of the Joint Committee will be three Members.

### **9.3 Role and Function**

9.3.1 The Joint Standards Committee will have the roles and functions set out in Part 3 to this Constitution, Responsibility for Functions.

9.3.2 The Joint Standards Committee will not cover the conduct of officers, for which separate provisions apply.