Scottish Borders Health & Social Care Integration Joint Board



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CODE OF CONDUCT	
Purpose of Report:	To appraise the IJB of the new model code of conduct for members of devolved public bodies and the clarification of paragraph 4.20.
Recommendations:	The Health & Social Care Integration Joint Board is asked to:
	a) adopt the new model code of conduct.
Personnel:	Not Applicable
Carers:	Not Applicable
Equalities:	Not Applicable
Financial:	Not Applicable
Legal:	Legal requirement.
Risk Implications:	Not Applicable
Direction required:	No Direction required

- 1.1 The Code of Conduct has been issued by the Scottish Ministers, with the approval of the Scottish Parliament, as required by the Ethical Standards in Public Life etc. (Scotland) Act 2000 (the "Act"). The Code is attached at Annex 1.
- 1.2 The purpose of the Code is to set out the conduct expected of those who serve on the boards of public bodies in Scotland.
- 1.3 The Code has been developed in line with the nine key principles of public life in Scotland.
- 1.4 Clarification has been provided in regard to paragraph 4.20 of the Code and is attached at Annex 2.