

CYNGOR SIR POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL.

**Standards Community Sub- Committee
6th February 2013**

REPORT BY: Strategic Director – Law and Governance

SUBJECT: Matters appertaining to Standards Issues

REPORT FOR: Decision, Information and Discussion

A. Referral of Councillors to Public Services Ombudsman

A1. Town and Community Councillor Referrals

The Ombudsman has made the following decision whether to investigate those complaints reported to the last meeting of the committee:

17/12/TCC – not to investigate
18/12/TCC – investigate
21/12/TCC – not to investigate
22/12/TCC – not to investigate
22/12/TCC – not to investigate
23/12/TCC – not to investigate
24/12/TCC – not to investigate
25/12/TCC – not to investigate
26/12/TCC – not to investigate
27/12/TCC – not to investigate
28/12/TCC – not to investigate
29/12/TCC – not to investigate

Since the last meeting the Ombudsman has notified the Council of five further complaints and their current position is outlined below:

01/13/TCC - awaiting decision whether to investigate.

B. Dispensations

B1 Blanket Dispensation – Local Community Groups

A paper is attached at **Appendix 1** outlining issues affecting Town and Community Councils when Councillors are members of local community groups examples of which can be seen in the applications submitted by Guilsfield Community Council (B2.3 of this report).

The Committee are asked to consider granting a blanket dispensation in this respect.

B2. Applications - Town and Community Councillors

Applications for dispensation have been received from the following Town and Community Councils:

B2.3 Guilsfield Community Council

Applications for dispensation were considered at the last Standards Committee from 4 Councillors who have various interests on local community groups some of which were charities. Clarification was needed on the trustee status of some of the applicants and this has now been received.

Community Councillor	Interest	Trustee (covered by blanket dispensation)
E Davies	Community Centre	Yes
E Davies	Cricket Club	No
J K T Trevor	Guilsfield Church	No
M T Jones	Guilsfield Old School	No
P Harding	Community Centre	Yes
P Harding	Football Club	No

A copy of the applications and clarification regarding trustee status is attached at **Appendix 2**.

A decision in respect of B1 of this report may render consideration of these applications unnecessary.

B2.4 Llansanffraid and Deuddwr Community Council

Applications for dispensation have been received from nine out of the eleven community councillors requesting a dispensation to speak and vote on matters relating to the erection of pylons and windfarms. The proposed route corridor for the pylons passes through the community and Community Council members are affected either by owning property in the village or farmland crossed by the proposed route corridor. At present the community council does not have a quorum to be able to discuss these matters.

A copy of the applications and comments and observations thereon are attached at **Appendix 3**.

C. Meeting Dates.

C1. To note dates of future meetings as follows:

- 3rd April 2013
- 3rd July 2013
- 4th September 2013
- 4th December 201

All meetings to commence at 10.00am with the option of training available afterwards.

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**Standards Community Sub-Committee
6th February 2013**

Report author **Saira Tamboo**

Subject **Blanket Dispensation for Town and Community
Councillors on local community groups**

At the last meeting the Sub-Committee granted a blanket dispensation in respect of membership of registered charities and asked for a paper on the topic of granting a blanket dispensation in respect of membership of local community groups.

Many Town and Community Councillors are inevitably connected with local community groups, organisations, clubs etc including the village or community hall, the football cricket or tennis club, the church or chapel, allotment association/group, PTA, history group. There are many other examples.

Often such institutions are a registered charity. This item does not apply to the situation where the body is a registered charity. It is confined exclusively to voluntary, non profit making type institutions that are not charities in the legal sense.

Whenever the Town or Community Council discusses business relating to such a community group etc any member connected with that community group will have a personal interest that requires disclosure.

Whether that member despite such an interest can participate (vote and/or speak) will depend upon the following:-

1. Is the interest one which under para' 12 of the code would be perceived as so significant that it is likely to prejudice the member's judgement of the public interest? If not – if, for example, the interest in the circumstances is small/insignificant/trivial - the member can speak and vote in any case.
2. If the member was elected, appointed or nominated by the council to the community group the code stipulates that a prejudicial interest will not exist (and so the member can vote and/or speak) except in regulatory type business e.g. planning application.
3. Grant/loan/financial assistance not exceeding £500.

If none of these situations applies then the member will not be able to vote and/or speak unless a dispensation exists.

There can of course be a wide variety in the type of business that may be discussed. It may be thought however that the majority of topics will fall into:-

- (a) financial assistance/issues

- (b) appointments to the body
- (c) planning applications
- (d) property issues – sales leases easements etc

Applications for such dispensations are becoming more frequent due to the number of community groups in Powys that Town and Community Councillors are involved with. The most recent current examples include:

- Guilsfield Community Centre Committee, where the applicant is seeking a dispensation to attend a meeting, speak and vote. The application is in relation to funding towards running maintenance of the community centre and grant applications for financial benefit.
- Guilsfield Cricket Club, where the applicant is seeking a dispensation to attend a meeting, speak and vote. The application is in relation to the running and maintenance of the cricket club.
- Guilsfield Church, where the applicant is seeking a dispensation to attend a meeting, speak and vote. The application is in relation to the funding towards the maintenance of the churchyard.
- Guilsfield Football Club, where the applicant is seeking a dispensation to attend and speak at a meeting. The application is in relation to an application from the football club for grant aid.

The grounds on which a dispensation can be granted are attached. A number of these may be appropriate in this situation including ground (h) which is specific to the finances or property of a voluntary organisation. It is however restricted to allowing the member to speak but not vote.

Other grounds would appear to be (a) half the members with interests, and (d) no damage to public confidence.

Often without a dispensation a Town or Community Council, due to the number of members with a prejudicial interest would not be able to conduct business in relation to various community groups as a result of their not having a quorum.

The Sub-Committee is invited to consider granting a blanket dispensation to Town & Community Councillors who are members of local community groups to:

speak and vote on all matters relating to those groups where not appointed by their council :

(i) excluding regulatory matters; or

(ii) including regulatory matters; and/or

(iii) including financial matters over £500 except where the Councillor has a pecuniary prejudicial interest

POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION BY MEMBER WITH PREJUDICIAL INTEREST

I, Councillor EDWARD DAJIES
of GUILDSFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

hereby apply to the Powys Standards Committee/Community Sub-Committee for a Dispensation to participate, as described in Section 1 below, in that business of the Council described in Section 2 below notwithstanding that I have the Prejudicial Interest(s) detailed in Section 3 below.

I make this application on the ground(s) set out in Section 4 below which I submit apply because of the reasons detailed in Section 5 below.

SECTION 1

How you wish to participate – please tick all relevant categories below:

Attend a meeting	✓
Speak at a meeting	✓
Vote at a meeting	✓
Seek to influence a decision on a matter	
Make written representations	
Make oral representations	
Exercise Board functions (County Councillor only)	

SECTION 2

(A) Describe in the box below:

- i) the business in which you wish to participate;
- ii) how your Council will deal with the matter;
- iii) how many Members there are on your Council;
- iv) what meetings will be held to consider it, when and where they will be held; and
- v) those taking part.

i) GUILDSFIELD COMMUNITY ~~COUNCIL~~ CENTRE COMMITTEE
ii) GRANT AID OR PLANNING APPLICATION
iii) I
iv) FULL COUNCIL
v) FULL COUNCIL

(B) If the business relates to or affects an organisation(s) please detail below:

- o how were you appointed to that organisation (i.e. by appointment by the Town or Community Council or by other means), and

- o what is the nature of the business:
 - A Funding
 - B Planning – applications, building improvement/changes
 - C Licences – liquor/entertainment
 - D Land
 - E Management/operation of the organisation
 - F General matters

GUILDFIELD COMMUNITY CENTRE COMMITTEE
FUNDING TOWARDS RUNNING MAINTENANCE

(C) Is the organisation a registered charity? If so, are you a Trustee of the charity?

Yes — No.

SECTION 3

Detail the PREJUDICIAL interest(s) you have in the business referred to in Section 2 above. Please refer to the attached Guidance Notes (Attached) and include the relevant category reference e.g. C.4 if the matter concerns a good friend of yours who stands to benefit as a result of a decision on the matter.

Committee Member.

SECTION 4

Set out the GROUND(S) upon which you rely by placing a tick in the right hand column against the relevant category/ies below.

Eligible Applicant	Ground	
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(a) No fewer than half of the Members of the relevant Authority or of a committee of the Authority (as the case may be) by which the business is to be considered has an interest which relates to that business;	
County Councillors only	(b) No fewer than half of the Members of a leader and cabinet executive of the relevant Authority by which the business is to be considered has an interest which relates to that business and either Paragraph (d) or (e) also applies;	
County Councillors only	(c) In the case of a County or County Borough Council, the inability of the Member to participate would upset the political balance of the relevant Authority or of the committee of the Authority by which the business is to be considered to such an extent that the outcome would be likely to be affected.	
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(d) The nature of the Member's interest is such that the Member's participation in the business to which the interest relates would not damage public confidence in the conduct of the relevant Authority's business;	✓
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(e) The interest is common to the Member and a significant proportion of the general public;	✓
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(f) The participation of the Member in the business to which the interest relates is justified by the Member's particular role or expertise;	
County Councillors only	(g) The business to which the interest relates is to be considered by an Overview and Scrutiny Committee of the relevant Authority and the Member's interest is not a pecuniary interest.	
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(h) The business which is to be considered relates to the finances or property of a voluntary organisation of whose Management Committee or Board the Member is a Member otherwise than as a representative of the relevant Authority and the Member has no other interest in that business provided that any dispensation shall not extend to participation in any vote with respect to that business; or	
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(i) It appears to the committee to be in the interests of the inhabitants of the area of the relevant Authority that the disability should be removed provided that written notification of the grant of the dispensation is given to the National Assembly for Wales within seven days in such manner as it may specify.	

SECTION 5

Detail in full the reasons why you submit the grounds selected in Section 4 apply in the case of your application and justify the grant of the dispensation you seek

Applicant's home address:	15 GUILDFIELD, WELSHPOOL POWYS SYDNEY
Applicant's telephone number:	
Applicant's fax number:	
Applicant's E Mail address:	

SIGNED: _____

DATED: 5-11-12

This form fully completed, signed and dated should be returned to:

Mrs Elizabeth Patterson, Committee Clerk, Legal, Scrutiny and Democratic Services, County Hall, Llandrindod Wells, Powys, LD1 5LG.

**Tel No: 01597 826980
Fax No: 01597 826220**

E-Mail: Elizabeth.patterson@powys.gov.uk

From whom further information and advice may be obtained.

Application by	Councillor E. Davies
Council	Guilsfield Community Council
Involvement With	(i) Guilsfield Community Centre Committee
Business To Be Considered	A. Funding B. Planning F. General Matters.
	Council of 12 Councillors. Councillor is a Committee Member not appointed by the Council. The applicant is seeking a dispensation to: (i) Attend a meeting (ii) Speak at a meeting (iii) Vote at a meeting
STEP 1 Personal Interest(s) under paragraph 10 of the Code.	Paragraph 10 (2) (a) (ix) (ee) You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect any private club, society or association operating within you authority's area in which you have membership or hold a position of general control or management
STEP 2 Exemptions under paragraph 12 (2) & (3) of the Code.	Paragraph 12 (2) (c) Subject to sub-paragraph (3), you will not be regarded as having a prejudicial interest in any business where that business your role as a community councillor in relation to a grant, loan or other form of financial assistance made by your community council to community or voluntary organisations up to a maximum of £500
STEP 3 Application of "public perception" test under paragraph 12 (1) of the Code.	<u>Financial and Non-Financial.</u> It is suggested that the Sub-Committee approach the issue in this way i.e. to ask itself: "Is it reasonable to suppose that the public perception would regard the Councillor's personal interest, as so significant that whenever a proposal regarding the organisation was discussed at the Town / Community Council the potential conflict of interest would be so significant as to be likely to prejudice his / her judgement of the public interest in performing his / her role as a Town / Community Councillor unless the business under discussion involving the organisation is of such a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious?" Financial – Prejudicial Interest Non-Financial – Non Prejudicial Interest
STEP 4	The Sub-Committee is required to consider a dispensation in

<p>Ground(s) on which dispensation could be granted</p>	<p>relation to matters other than business which would be of such a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious.</p> <p>The ground(s) which could be considered are:</p> <p>(d) The nature of the Member's interest is such that the Member's participation in the business to which the interest relates would not damage public confidence in the conduct of the relevant Authority's business; (Speak and Vote / Speak only)</p> <p>(f) The participation of the Member in the business to which the interest relates is justified by the Member's particular role or expertise; (Speak and Vote / Speak only)</p>
<p>STEP 5 Determine the application and Recommendation:-</p> <p>(i) Refuse (ii) Approve:- (a) attend (b) speak (c) vote (d) exercise Board Function (e) seek to influence (f) make written communications (g) make oral representations</p>	<p><u>Financial Matters:</u> Recommendation – Not to grant a dispensation over £500.</p> <p><u>Non-Financial Matters:</u> Recommendation – Grant a dispensation to speak and vote under ground (d) and (f) on non financial matters which were not otherwise categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious.</p> <p><u>Regulatory Matters (Paragraph 12(3) of the Code):</u> Recommendation – not to grant a dispensation in accordance with previous precedent.</p>

POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

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1. GUILDFIELD CRICKET CLUB
2. GRANT AID OR PLANNING APPLICATION
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4. Full Council.
5. Full Council.

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 - D Land
 - E Management/operation of the organisation
 - F General matters

GUILSFIELD CRICKET CLUB
 Funding towards running/maintenance
 Village club with 1 team in Shropshire Cricket League
 run by playing members

(C) Is the organisation a registered charity? If so, are you a Trustee of the charity?

NO.

SECTION 3

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CHARMAN OF GUILSFIELD CRICKET

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County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(i) It appears to the committee to be in the interests of the inhabitants of the area of the relevant Authority that the disability should be removed provided that written notification of the grant of the dispensation is given to the National Assembly for Wales within seven days in such manner as it may specify.	Speak and Vote Speak only	-

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<p>dispensation could be granted</p>	<p>a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious.</p> <p>The ground(s) which could be considered are:</p> <p>(d) The nature of the Member's interest is such that the Member's participation in the business to which the interest relates would not damage public confidence in the conduct of the relevant Authority's business; (Speak and Vote / Speak only)</p> <p>(f) The participation of the Member in the business to which the interest relates is justified by the Member's particular role or expertise; (Speak and Vote / Speak only)</p>
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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION BY MEMBER WITH PREJUDICIAL INTEREST

I, Councillor JOHN TREVOR KYNASTON TREVOR

of STIVELSFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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SECTION 2

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- v) those taking part.

- i) Gwylsfield Church
ii) Grant Aid for maintenance of churchyard
iii) |
iv) Full council to discuss grant aid
v) Full Council

(B) If the business relates to or affects an organisation(s) please detail below:

- o how were you appointed to that organisation (i.e. by appointment by the Town or Community Council or by other means), and

- what is the nature of the business:
 - A Funding
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 - D Land
 - E Management/operation of the organisation
 - F General matters

Member of Church Council
Funding towards maintenance of churchyard

(C) Is the organisation a registered charity? If so, are you a Trustee of the charity?

Yes.
No

SECTION 3

Detail the PREJUDICIAL interest(s) you have in the business referred to in Section 2 above. Please refer to the attached Guidance Notes (Attached) and include the relevant category reference e.g C.4 if the matter concerns a good friend of yours who stands to benefit as a result of a decision on the matter.

Member of Church. Treasurer

SECTION 4

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County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(e) The interest is common to the Member and a significant proportion of the general public;	Speak and Vote Speak only	✓
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SECTION 5

Detail in full the reasons why you submit the grounds selected in Section 4 apply in the case of your application and justify the grant of the dispensation you seek

The church is for the whole community, the amount of grant and is small, and the object of the grant is a community benefit

Applicant's home address:	Welshpool
Applicant's telephone number:	01938
Applicant's fax number:	01938
Applicant's E Mail address:	

SIGNED: _____

DATED: 29th October 2012

This form fully completed, signed and dated should be returned to:

Mrs Elizabeth Patterson, Committee Clerk, Legal, Scrutiny and Democratic Services, County Hall, Llandrindod Wells, Powys, LD1 5LG.

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From whom further information and advice may be obtained.

Application by	Councillor J.T.K. Trevor
Council	Guilsfield Community Council
Involvement With	(i) Guilsfield Church – maintenance of churchyard
Business To Be Considered	A. Funding
Background	<p>Council of 12 Councillors.</p> <p>Councillor is Member of the Church and the Treasurer.</p> <p>The applicant is seeking a dispensation to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Attend a meeting (ii) Speak at a meeting (iii) Vote at a meeting
STEP 1 Personal Interest(s) under paragraph 10 of the Code.	<p>Paragraph 10 (2) (a) (ix) (ee)</p> <p>“You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect any private club, society or association operating within you authority’s area in which you have membership or hold a position of general control or management”</p>
STEP 2 Exemptions under paragraph 12 (2) & (3) of the Code.	<p>Paragraph 12 (2) (c)</p> <p>“Subject to sub-paragraph (3), you will not be regarded as having a prejudicial interest in any business where that business your role as a community councillor in relation to a grant, loan or other form of financial assistance made by your community council to community or voluntary organisations up to a maximum of £500”</p>
STEP 3 Application of “public perception” test under paragraph 12 (1) of the Code.	<p><u>Financial and Non-Financial.</u></p> <p>It is suggested that the Sub-Committee approach the issue in this way i.e. to ask itself:</p> <p>“Is it reasonable to suppose that the public perception would regard the Councillor’s personal interest, as so significant that whenever a proposal regarding the organisation was discussed at the Town / Community Council the potential conflict of interest would be so significant as to be likely to prejudice his / her judgement of the public interest in performing his / her role as a Town / Community Councillor unless the business under discussion involving the organisation is of such a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious?”</p> <p>Financial – Prejudicial Interest over £500.</p> <p>Non-Financial – Non Prejudicial Interest</p>
STEP 4 Ground(s) on which dispensation could be granted	<p>The Sub-Committee is required to consider a dispensation in relation to matters other than business which would be of such a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious.</p>

	<p>The ground(s) which could be considered are:</p> <p>(d) The nature of the Member's interest is such that the Member's participation in the business to which the interest relates would not damage public confidence in the conduct of the relevant Authority's business; (Speak and Vote / Speak only)</p> <p>(f) The participation of the Member in the business to which the interest relates is justified by the Member's particular role or expertise; (Speak and Vote / Speak only)</p>
<p>STEP 5 Determine the application and Recommendation:-</p> <p>(i) Refuse (ii) Approve:- (a) attend (b) speak (c) vote (d) exercise Board Function (e) seek to influence (f) make written communications (g) make oral representations</p>	<p><u>Financial Matters:</u> Recommendation – Not to grant a dispensation over £500.</p> <p><u>Non-Financial Matters:</u> Recommendation – Grant a dispensation to speak and vote under ground (d) and (f) on non financial matters which were not otherwise categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious.</p> <p><u>Regulatory Matters (Paragraph 12(3) of the Code):</u> Recommendation – not to grant a dispensation in accordance with previous precedent.</p>

POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE
APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION BY MEMBER WITH PREJUDICIAL INTEREST

POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE
 CORPORATE COMMUNITY SERVICES
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I, Councillor MICHAEL TREVOR JONES
 of GUILSFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

hereby apply to the Powys Standards Committee/Community Sub-Committee for a Dispensation to participate, as described in Section 1 below, in that business of the Council described in Section 2 below notwithstanding that I have the Prejudicial Interest(s) detailed in Section 3 below.

I make this application on the ground(s) set out in Section 4 below which I submit apply because of the reasons detailed in Section 5 below.

SECTION 1

How you wish to participate – please tick all relevant categories below:

Attend a meeting	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Speak at a meeting	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Seek to influence a decision on a matter	<input type="checkbox"/>
Make written representations	<input type="checkbox"/>
Make oral representations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Exercise Board functions (County Councillor only)	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 2

- (A) Describe in the box below:
- i) the business in which you wish to participate;
 - ii) how your Council will deal with the matter;
 - iii) how many Members there are on your Council;
 - iv) what meetings will be held to consider it, when and where they will be held; and
 - v) those taking part.

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 VILLAGE SCHOOL MALL

- (B) If the business relates to or affects an organisation(s) please detail below:
- o how were you appointed to that organisation (i.e. by appointment by the Town or Community Council or by other means), and

○ what is the nature of the business:

- ✓ A Funding
- B Planning – applications, building improvement/changes
- C Licences – liquor/entertainment
- D Land
- E Management/operation of the organisation
- F General matters

(C) Is the organisation a registered charity? If so, are you a Trustee of the charity?

I AM NOT A TRUSTEE

GUILSFIELD OLD SCHOOL IS A REG CHARITY

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SECTION 3

Detail the PREJUDICIAL interest(s) you have in the business referred to in Section 2 above. Please refer to the attached Guidance Notes (Attached) and include the relevant category reference e.g C.4 if the matter concerns a good friend of yours who stands to benefit as a result of a decision on the matter.

NO PREJUDICIAL INTREST

SECTION 4

Set out the **GROUND(S)** upon which you rely by placing a tick in the right hand column against the relevant category/ies below.

Eligible Applicant	Ground		
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(a) No fewer than half of the Members of the relevant Authority or of a committee of the Authority (as the case may be) by which the business is to be considered has an interest which relates to that business;	Speak and Vote Speak only	-
County Councillors only	(b) No fewer than half of the Members of a leader and cabinet executive of the relevant Authority by which the business is to be considered has an interest which relates to that business and either Paragraph (d) or (e) also applies;	Speak and Vote Speak only	-
County Councillors only	(c) In the case of a County or County Borough Council, the inability of the Member to participate would upset the political balance of the relevant Authority or of the committee of the Authority by which the business is to be considered to such an extent that the outcome would be likely to be affected.	Speak and Vote Speak only	-
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(d) The nature of the Member's interest is such that the Member's participation in the business to which the interest relates would not damage public confidence in the conduct of the relevant Authority's business;	Speak and Vote Speak only	-
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(e) The interest is common to the Member and a significant proportion of the general public;	Speak and Vote Speak only	-
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(f) The participation of the Member in the business to which the interest relates is justified by the Member's particular role or expertise;	Speak and Vote Speak only	-
County Councillors only	(g) The business to which the interest relates is to be considered by an Overview and Scrutiny Committee of the relevant Authority and the Member's interest is not a pecuniary interest.	Speak and Vote Speak only	-
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(h) The business which is to be considered relates to the finances or property of a voluntary organisation of whose Management Committee or Board the Member is a Member otherwise than as a representative of the relevant Authority and the Member has no other interest in that business provided that any dispensation shall not extend to participation in any vote with respect to that business; or	Speak only	
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(i) It appears to the committee to be in the interests of the inhabitants of the area of the relevant Authority that the disability should be removed provided that written notification of the grant of the dispensation is given to the National Assembly for Wales within seven days in such manner as it may specify.	Speak and Vote Speak only	-

SECTION 5

Detail in full the reasons why you submit the grounds selected in Section 4 apply in the case of your application and justify the grant of the dispensation you seek

Applicant's home address:	WELSHPOOL
Applicant's telephone number:	01938
Applicant's fax number:	
Applicant's E Mail address:	

SIGNED: _____

DATED: 31-10-2012

This form fully completed, signed and dated should be returned to:

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E-Mail: Elizabeth.patterson@powys.gov.uk

From whom further information and advice may be obtained.

Application by	Councillor M.T. Jones
Council	Guilsfield Community Council
Involvement With	(i) Guilsfield Old School (Registered Charity – 1060356)
Business To Be Considered	A. Funding
	<p>Council of 12 Councillors.</p> <p>Councillor’s wife is Secretary to Guilsfield Old School</p> <p>The applicant is seeking a dispensation to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Attend a meeting (ii) Speak at a meeting (vi) Make oral representations
<p>STEP 1 Personal Interest(s) under paragraph 10 of the Code.</p>	<p>Paragraph 10 (2) (c) (i) (aa)</p> <p>“You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if a decision upon it might reasonably be regarded as affecting your well-being or financial position, or that of a person with whom you live, or any person with whom you have a close personal association to a greater extent than the majority of in the case of any authority with electoral divisions or wards, other council tax payers, rate payers or inhabitants of the electoral division or ward, as the case may be, affected by the decision”</p> <p>Paragraph 10 (2) (c) (v) (aa)</p> <p>“You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if a decision upon it might reasonably be regarded as affecting any body listed in paragraphs 10 (2) (ix) (aa) to (ee) in which persons as described in 10 (2) (c) (i) hold a position of general control or management to a greater extent than the majority of in the case of any authority with electoral divisions or wards, other council tax payers, rate payers or inhabitants of the electoral division or ward, as the case may be, affected by the decision”</p>
<p>STEP 2 Exemptions under paragraph 12 (2) & (3) of the Code.</p>	<p>Paragraph 12 (2) (c)</p> <p>Subject to sub-paragraph (3), you will not be regarded as having a prejudicial interest in any business where that business your role as a community councillor in relation to a grant, loan or other form of financial assistance made by your community council to community or voluntary organisations up to a maximum of £500</p>
<p>STEP 3 Application of “public perception” test under paragraph 12 (1) of the</p>	<p><u>Financial and Non-Financial.</u></p> <p>It is suggested that the Sub-Committee approach the issue in this way i.e. to ask itself:</p>

Code.	<p>“Is it reasonable to suppose that the public perception would regard the Councillor’s personal interest, as so significant that whenever a proposal regarding the organisation was discussed at the Community Council the potential conflict of interest would be so significant as to be likely to prejudice his / her judgement of the public interest in performing his / her role as a Community Councillor unless the business under discussion involving the organisation is of such a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious?”</p> <p>Financial – Prejudicial Interest.</p> <p>Non-Financial – Non Prejudicial Interest.</p>
<p>STEP 4 Ground(s) on which dispensation could be granted</p>	<p>The Sub-Committee is required to consider a dispensation in relation to matters other than business which would be of such a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious.</p> <p>The ground(s) which could be considered are:</p> <p>(d) The nature of the Member’s interest is such that the Member’s participation in the business to which the interest relates would not damage public confidence in the conduct of the relevant Authority’s business; (Speak and Vote / Speak only)</p>
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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION BY MEMBER WITH PREJUDICIAL INTEREST

I, Councillor PAUL HARDING

of QUILSFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

hereby apply to the Powys Standards Committee/Community Sub-Committee for a Dispensation to participate, as described in Section 1 below, in that business of the Council described in Section 2 below notwithstanding that I have the Prejudicial Interest(s) detailed in Section 3 below.

I make this application on the ground(s) set out in Section 4 below which I submit apply because of the reasons detailed in Section 5 below.

SECTION 1

How you wish to participate – please tick all relevant categories below:

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Make oral representations	<input type="checkbox"/>
Exercise Board functions (County Councillor only)	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 2

(A) Describe in the box below:

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- ii) how your Council will deal with the matter;
- iii) how many Members there are on your Council;
- iv) what meetings will be held to consider it, when and where they will be held; and
- v) those taking part.

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1. QUILSFIELD COMMUNITY CENTRE. (VICE CHAIR)
2. GRAND AID
3. 1
4. FULL COUNCIL
5. FULL COUNCIL.

(B) If the business relates to or affects an organisation(s) please detail below:

- o how were you appointed to that organisation (i.e. by appointment by the Town or Community Council or by other means), and

o what is the nature of the business:

- A Funding
- B Planning – applications, building improvement/changes
- C Licences – liquor/entertainment
- D Land
- E Management/operation of the organisation
- F General matters

VICE CHAIR OF GUNSFIELD COMMUNITY CENTRE COMMITTEE
GRANT APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL BENEFIT.

(C) Is the organisation a registered charity? If so, are you a Trustee of the charity?

YES. REGISTERED CHARITY BUT NOT A TRUSTEE.

SECTION 3

Detail the PREJUDICIAL interest(s) you have in the business referred to in Section 2 above. Please refer to the attached Guidance Notes (Attached) and include the relevant category reference e.g. C.4 if the matter concerns a good friend of yours who stands to benefit as a result of a decision on the matter.

VICE CHAIR OF GUNSFIELD COMMUNITY ~~CENTRE~~^{CENTRE}.

SECTION 4

Set out the GROUND(S) upon which you rely by placing a tick in the right hand column against the relevant category/ies below.

Eligible Applicant	Ground	
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(a) No fewer than half of the Members of the relevant Authority or of a committee of the Authority (as the case may be) by which the business is to be considered has an interest which relates to that business;	✓
County Councillors only	(b) No fewer than half of the Members of a leader and cabinet executive of the relevant Authority by which the business is to be considered has an interest which relates to that business and either Paragraph (c) or (e) also applies;	✓
County Councillors only	(c) In the case of a County or County Borough Council, the inability of the Member to participate would upset the political balance of the relevant Authority or of the committee of the Authority by which the business is to be considered to such an extent that the outcome would be likely to be affected.	✓
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(d) The nature of the Member's interest is such that the Member's participation in the business to which the interest relates would not damage public confidence in the conduct of the relevant Authority's business;	✓
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(e) The interest is common to the Member and a significant proportion of the general public;	✓
County Councillors and Town and Community Councillors	(f) The participation of the Member in the business to which the interest relates is justified by the Member's particular role or expertise;	✓
County Councillors only	(g) The business to which the interest relates is to be considered by an Overview and Scrutiny Committee of the relevant Authority and the Member's interest is not a pecuniary interest.	✓
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SECTION 4

Detail in full the reasons why you submit the grounds selected in Section 3 apply to the case of your application and justify the grant of the dispensation you seek

AS PART OF THE COMMUNITY CENTRE COMMITTEE (VICE CHAIR)
AND A COUNCILLOR I WOULD LIKE TO SPEAK AND
HAVE INPUT INTO SUCH SCHEMES/APPLICATIONS
THAT WOULD HAVE BENEFIT TO THE COMMUNITY
OF QUILSFIELD BUT NOT VOTE.

Applicant's home address:	1 [unclear] [unclear] NR QUILSFIELD WELSHPOOL POWYS
Applicant's telephone number:	019385 [unclear]
Applicant's fax number:	01938 [unclear]
Applicant's E Mail address:	[unclear] OK.

SIGNED: _____

DATED: _____

30/10/2012

This form fully completed, signed and dated should be returned to:

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Services, County Hall, Llandudno Wells, Powys, LD1 4LG

Tel No: 01597 826080

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E-Mail: Elizabeth.patterson@powys.gov.uk

Please note that the information you submit may be published.

Application by	Councillor P. Harding
Council	Guilsfield Community Council
Involvement With	(i) Guilsfield Community Centre
Business To Be Considered	A. Funding
	<p>Council of 12 Councillors.</p> <p>Councillor is Vice-Chairman of the Community Centre not appointed by the Council.</p> <p>The applicant is seeking a dispensation to:</p> <p>(i) Attend a meeting</p> <p>(ii) Speak at a meeting</p>
STEP 1 Personal Interest(s) under paragraph 10 of the Code.	<p>Paragraph 10 (2) (a) (ix) (ee)</p> <p>You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect any private club, society or association operating within you authority's area in which you have membership or hold a position of general control or management</p>
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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION BY MEMBER WITH PREJUDICIAL INTEREST

I, Councillor PAUL HARDING.
of GUNSFIELD COMMUNITY. COUNCIL

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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE
CORPORATE SUPPORT SERVICES
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1 GUNSFIELD FOOTBALL CLUB (CHAIRMAN)
2 GRANT AID OR PLANNING APPLICATIONS
3 - 1
4 - FULL COUNCIL.
5 - FULL COUNCIL.

(B) If the business relates to or affects an organisation(s) please detail below:

- o how were you appointed to that organisation (i.e. by appointment by the Town or Community Council or by other means), and

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 - C Licences – liquor/entertainment
 - D Land
 - E Management/operation of the organisation
 - F General matters

CHAIRMAN OF FOOTBALL CLUB.
ANY APPLICATION FROM FOOTBALL CLUB (VARIOUS)
ANY GRANT AID.

(C) Is the organisation a registered charity? If so, are you a Trustee of the charity?

NO

SECTION 3

Detail the PREJUDICIAL interest(s) you have in the business referred to in Section 2 above. Please refer to the attached Guidance Notes (Attached) and include the relevant category reference e.g C.4 if the matter concerns a good friend of yours who stands to benefit as a result of a decision on the matter.

CHAIRMAN OF FOOTBALL CLUB

SECTION 4

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SECTION 5

Detail in full the reasons why you submit the grounds selected in Section 4 apply in the case of your application and justify the grant of the dispensation you seek

With being chairman of the football club I would like to speak but not vote as if there is any input into any project - grant application - or benefit to the community I would like to be able to help and give any information and input which would help the community.

Applicant's home address:	1 NEQUISFIELD WELSHPOOL POWYS.
Applicant's telephone number:	019385
Applicant's fax number:	019385
Applicant's E Mail address:	chairman@welshpool.co.uk

SIGNED: _____

DATED: 30/10/2012

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From whom further information and advice may be obtained.

Application by	Councillor P. Harding
Council	Guilsfield Community Council
Involvement With	(i) Guilsfield Football Club
Business To Be Considered	A. Funding B. Planning F. General Matters.
	Council of 12 Councillors. Councillor is Chairman of Football Club. The applicant is seeking a dispensation to: (i) Attend a meeting (ii) Speak at a meeting
STEP 1 Personal Interest(s) under paragraph 10 of the Code.	Paragraph 10 (2) (a) (ix) (ee) You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect any private club, society or association operating within you authority's area in which you have membership or hold a position of general control or management
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STEP 3 Application of "public perception" test under paragraph 12 (1) of the Code.	<u>Financial and Non-Financial.</u> It is suggested that the Sub-Committee approach the issue in this way i.e. to ask itself: "Is it reasonable to suppose that the public perception would regard the Councillor's personal interest, as so significant that whenever a proposal regarding the organisation was discussed at the Town / Community Council the potential conflict of interest would be so significant as to be likely to prejudice his / her judgement of the public interest in performing his / her role as a Town / Community Councillor unless the business under discussion involving the organisation is of such a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious?" Financial – Prejudicial Interest Non-Financial – Non Prejudicial Interest
STEP 4 Ground(s) on which dispensation could be	The Sub-Committee is required to consider a dispensation in relation to matters other than business which would be of such a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or

<p>granted</p>	<p>uncontentious.</p> <p>The ground(s) which could be considered are:</p> <p>(d) The nature of the Member's interest is such that the Member's participation in the business to which the interest relates would not damage public confidence in the conduct of the relevant Authority's business; (Speak and Vote / Speak only)</p> <p>(f) The participation of the Member in the business to which the interest relates is justified by the Member's particular role or expertise; (Speak and Vote / Speak only)</p>
<p>STEP 5 Determine the application and Recommendation:-</p> <p>(i) Refuse (ii) Approve:- (a) attend (b) speak (c) vote (d) exercise Board Function (e) seek to influence (f) make written communications (g) make oral representations</p>	<p><u>Financial Matters:</u> Recommendation – Not to grant a dispensation over £500.</p> <p><u>Non-Financial Matters:</u> Recommendation – Grant a dispensation to speak and vote under ground (d) and (f) on non financial matters which were not otherwise categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious.</p> <p><u>Regulatory Matters (Paragraph 12(3) of the Code):</u> Recommendation – not to grant a dispensation in accordance with previous precedent.</p>

**Cyngor Cymuned Cegidfa
Guilsfield Community Council**

Clerk: Mrs D A Williams

Llwyn Derw, Arddleen Road, Guilsfield, Welshpool, Powys SY21 9PR

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24 January 2013

Mrs Liz Patterson – Scrutiny Officer
Powys County Council
Law & Governance
County Hall
Llandrindod Wells
Powys LD1 5LG

Dear Liz

**Application for Dispensation
Standards Committee 5th December 2012**

I refer to your letter dated 4 January, we have spoken on the phone and I am now able to give you Councillors responses to the queries raised – I emailed each query and below are their responses -

- 1. Cllr Edward Davies – Guilsfield Community Centre**
'I can confirm that as a member of Guilsfield Community Centre Committee that I am also a Trustee of Guilsfield Community Centre'
- 2. Cllr J T K Trevor – Guilsfield Church**
'The Church in Wales is a registered charity. Individual parishes are not separately registered. I am treasurer of our parish, an annually elected position. Parishes do not have trustees'
- 3. Cllr M T Jones – Guilsfield Old School**
'I wish to confirm that I am not a trustee of Guilsfield Old School although I occasionally attend the AGM. Some years ago I was advised to apply to PCC for a dispensation to speak on matters concerning Guilsfield Old School i.e. grant and funding but without a vote and on any other matters which concern the building'
- 4. Cllr P Harding – Guilsfield Community Centre**
'I can confirm that as Vice Chairman of Guilsfield Community Centre and it being a registered charity, that I am a trustee of this organisation'

I do hope that this will now clarify matters for you to be able to proceed with matters at the meeting to be held 6 February 2013 and for me then to have your responses.

Yours sincerely

Dorothy Williams - Clerk

POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION BY MEMBER WITH PREJUDICIAL INTEREST

I, Councillor ROGER S DAUGSEN

of LIANANTIFRAL E DEULBOR COUNCIL

hereby apply to the Powys Standards Committee/Community Sub-Committee for a Dispensation to participate, as described in Section 1 below, in that business of the Council described in Section 2 below notwithstanding that I have the Prejudicial Interest(s) detailed in Section 3 below.

I make this application on the ground(s) set out in Section 4 below which I submit apply because of the reasons detailed in Section 5 below.

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<u>I</u>	LOCAL COUNCIL BUSINESS, with ref to pylons & wind farms
<u>ii</u>	DISCUSS, PROPOSE & VOTE
<u>iii</u>	ELEVEN
<u>iv</u>	MONTHLY MEETINGS VILLAGE HALL
<u>v</u>	ALL ELEVEN COUNCIL MEMBERS

(B) If the business relates to or affects an organisation(s) please detail below:

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○ what is the nature of the business:

- ✓• A Funding
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Property owner in route corridor

SECTION 4

Set out the GROUND(S) upon which you rely by placing a tick in the right hand column against the relevant category/ies below.

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SECTION 5

Detail in full the reasons why you submit the grounds selected in Section 4 apply in the case of your application and justify the grant of the dispensation you seek

So we can make sufficient numbers for quorum

Applicant's home address:	CRIBY GASTROT TUGSTWANNJBY WIGTON POWYS SY22 6XX
Applicant's telephone number:	
Applicant's fax number:	
Applicant's E Mail address:	not

SIGNED: _____

DATED: 21.01.13 _____

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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION BY MEMBER WITH PREJUDICIAL INTEREST

I, Councillor DOUGLAS VAUGHAN WILLIAMS
of LANSANTFFRIDI AND DEUDWR Community COUNCIL

hereby apply to the Powys Standards Committee/Community Sub-Committee for a Dispensation to participate, as described in Section 1 below, in that business of the Council described in Section 2 below notwithstanding that I have the Prejudicial Interest(s) detailed in Section 3 below.

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SECTION 2

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- v) those taking part.

① WINDFARM - PLEN A DISCUSSION
 ② for Discussion
 ③ 11
 ④ ?
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(B) If the business relates to or affects an organisation(s) please detail below:

- how were you appointed to that organisation (i.e. by appointment by the

SECTION 4

Set out the GROUND(S) upon which you rely by placing a tick in the right hand column against the relevant category/ies below.

Eligible Applicant	Ground		
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SECTION 5

Detail in full the reasons why you submit the grounds selected in Section 4 apply in the case of your application and justify the grant of the dispensation you seek

I WILL BE AFFEDED BY THE BYLAW AND IF NOT ALLOWED TO VOTE OR SPEAK WE WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO FORM A QUORUM

Applicant's home address:	BRYN VYRHOE LAWYNTERRAD POWYS. SY2
Applicant's telephone number:	
Applicant's fax number:	
Applicant's E Mail address:	

SIGNED: _____

DATED: 20-01-2013

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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION BY MEMBER WITH PREJUDICIAL INTEREST

I, Councillor DENNIS EDWARDS

of LLANSANTFFRAID COUNCIL

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Erection of Pylons & Wind farms
Discussed in Council meetings of 11 members

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Owner of land in Route corridor

Owner of properties in the Village

SECTION 4

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In order to have a quorum in the Meetings

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Applicant's telephone number:	
Applicant's fax number:	
Applicant's E Mail address:	

SIGNED: _____

DATED: 20/1/2013

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I, Councillor ROBERT GYMNFOR THOMAS
of LLANSANTFFRAID + DEYTHEUR COUNCIL

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THE COM COUNCIL HAS 10 MEMBERS + MEETS MONTHLY. AS PART OF THAT MEETING MATTERS CONCERNING THE MID WALES CONNECTION AND WIND FARMS ARE DISCUSSED. THE VIEWS OF THE RESIDENTS ARE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT AND THE MATTERS ARE DEALT WITH FOLLOWING THE MAJORITY VIEW

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FUNDING -
PLANNING
LAND

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LANDOWNER IN ROUTE CORRIDOR
PROPERTY OWNERS IN ROUTE CORRIDOR
FAMILY + FRIENDS WITH PROPERTY AND LAND
IN ROUTE CORRIDOR
TOURISM + BUSINESS INTERESTS IN
THE CORRIDOR

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TO BE ABLE TO SPEAK ON
BEHALF OF RESIDENTS. AND ALSO
VOTE ON DECISIONS MADE IN
COUNCIL

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Applicant's telephone number:	07952 775 402
Applicant's fax number:	
Applicant's E Mail address:	clw.gwynfor.thomas@powys.gov.uk

SIGNED: _____

DATED: 23/1/12

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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

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of LANSANTFFLAD AND DELTAERD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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WIND FARM / PYLONS RE DISCUSS IN COUNCIL MEETINGS

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OWNER OF LAND / PROPERTY IN REUSE GRANTED

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SECTION 5

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I'm OVER TO HAVE A QUARANTINE IN MEETINGS

Applicant's home address:	
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SIGNED: _____

DATED: 21/1/13 _____

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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION BY MEMBER WITH PREJUDICIAL INTEREST

I, Councillor ALBERT ERNEST HUGHES

of LLANSANTFFRALD AND DEYTHEUR COMMUNITY COUNCIL

hereby apply to the Powys Standards Committee/Community Sub-Committee for a Dispensation to participate, as described in Section 1 below, in that business of the Council described in Section 2 below notwithstanding that I have the Prejudicial Interest(s) detailed in Section 3 below.

I make this application on the ground(s) set out in Section 4 below which I submit apply because of the reasons detailed in Section 5 below.

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Exercise Board functions (County Councillor only)	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 2

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1) Situation of pylons.
3) 11 members.

(B) If the business relates to or affects an organisation(s) please detail below:

- o how were you appointed to that organisation (i.e. by appointment by the

o what is the nature of the business:

- A Funding
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D. & E.

Our business is situated in the village of Blanton, just over-
looking the proposed corridor of the by-lanes, which affect view and
possibly unknown health problems to everyone in the village living
so near to them
we have been in the village most of our lives, in a close knit community
and therefore are very concerned about our friends.
Also the value of our property must be considered which in the present financial
situation is not to be disturbed, at any cost to ~~anyone~~ anyone

(C) Is the organisation a registered charity? If so, are you a Trustee of the charity?

SECTION 3

Detail the PREJUDICIAL interest(s) you have in the business referred to in Section 2 above. Please refer to the attached Guidance Notes (Attached) and include the relevant category reference e.g C.4 if the matter concerns a good friend of yours who stands to benefit as a result of a decision on the matter.

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SECTION 5

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I am concerned about the proposed route of the pylons so near to our village and the destruction they will cause to the Vynny valley.
 Also the production of electricity is stated to be very minimal, therefore the cost of the project is so prohibitive to the whole proposal.
 What is so wrong with Hydroelectric production?

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Applicant's telephone number:	01691 828 220
Applicant's fax number:	
Applicant's E Mail address:	

SIGNED: _____ / _____

DATED: 21st JANUARY 2013.

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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

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I, Councillor JOHN HOWARD OWEN
of LLANVANTFFRAID AND DEYTHEUR COUNCIL

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*Vote on aspects of Wind Farms + Pelam
is member of Community Council
No
agencies loss on Property
my Home in Llanvntffraid would be Derelict*

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I am a Home Owner within adjacent to the route corridor & also have friends & family situated with the corridor

(C) Is the organisation a registered charity? If so, are you a Trustee of the charity?

SECTION 3

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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE

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I, Councillor DIGBY JAVIES
of LHANSAFFRAN & JEDDWR COUNCIL

hereby apply to the Powys Standards Committee/Community Sub-Committee for a Dispensation to participate, as described in Section 1 below, in that business of the Council described in Section 2 below notwithstanding that I have the Prejudicial Interest(s) detailed in Section 3 below.

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All matters re National Grid. Mid Wales connection power line & pylons.

The Council (11 members) will meet & discuss as normal schedule of meetings

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I am a landlord & house owner in the NG "corridor" of the prime belt & by the way also have friends & neighbours who live in the corridor
N/A

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SECTION 5

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The power line & pylons would seriously damage the community amenities, landscape, property values and the total economy. As a resident & property owner I (Llindod Wells) am directly affected. However, as a councillor I am charged with the need to represent the community.

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Applicant's telephone number:	01691-828373
Applicant's fax number:	01691-828820
Applicant's E Mail address:	digbydavis@aol.com

SIGNED: _____

DATED: Jan. 21st 2013

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POWYS STANDARDS COMMITTEE / COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE
APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION BY MEMBER WITH PREJUDICIAL
INTEREST

I, Councillor J. MARTYN JONES
of LLANSANTFRAN COUNCIL

hereby apply to the Powys Standards Committee/Community Sub-Committee for a Dispensation to participate, as described in Section 1 below, in that business of the Council described in Section 2 below notwithstanding that I have the Prejudicial Interest(s) detailed in Section 3 below.

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*Execution of Policy & Work Plan
of 11 members.*

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I own property adjacent to the pylon corridor and rent land within the proposed corridor. I also have friends and family who are situated within the proposed corridor.

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No

SECTION 3

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[Empty box for detailing prejudicial interests]

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medias

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Application by	Councillors: D. Edwards; J.M. Jones; D.V. Williams; A.E. Hughes; J. Jones-Perrott; D. Davies; J.H. Owen; R.S. Dawson, R.G. Thomas.
Council	Llansanffraid Community Council
Involvement With	(i) Windfarms and Erection of Pylons
Business To Be Considered	B. Planning D. Land F. General Matters
	Council of 11 Councillors. The applicants are seeking a dispensation to: (i) Attend a meeting (ii) Speak at a meeting (iii) Vote at a meeting (iv) Seek to influence a decision on a matter (v) Make written representations (vi) Make oral representations
STEP 1 Personal Interest(s) under paragraph 10 of the Code.	Councillors: D. Davies (2) and (3); R.S. Dawson (2) and (3); D. Edwards (2) and (3); A.E. Hughes (2) and (3) J.M. Jones – (2) and (3); J. Jones-Perrott (2) and (3); J.H. Owen (2) and (3) R.G. Thomas (also a County Councillor – not on the Regulatory Committee) (1), (2), (3) and (4); D.V. Williams (1), (3) and (4); Paragraphs: (1) 10 (2) (a) (i) You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect any employment or business carried on by you. (2) 10 (2) (a) (vi) You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if it relates to, or is likely to affect any land in which you have a beneficial interest and which is in the area of your authority. (3) 10 (2) (c) (i) (bb) You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if a decision upon it might reasonably be regarded as affecting your well-being or financial position, or that of a person with whom you live, or any person with whom you have a close personal association to a greater extent than the majority of in all other cases, other council tax payers, rate payers or inhabitants of the authority's area.

	<p>(4) 10 (2) (c) (ii) (bb) You must regard yourself as having a personal interest in any business of your authority if a decision upon it might reasonably be regarded as affecting any employment or business carried on by persons as described in 10 (2) (c) (i) to a greater extent than the majority of in all other cases, other council tax payers, ratepayers or inhabitants of the authority's area</p>
<p>STEP 2 Exemptions under paragraph 12 (2) & (3) of the Code.</p>	<p>Town and Community Councillors have been granted an exemption by the Standards Sub-Committee in respect of non pecuniary prejudicial interests relating to alternative energy developments.</p> <p>Otherwise none of the exemptions apply.</p>
<p>STEP 3 Application of "public perception" test under paragraph 12 (1) of the Code.</p>	<p>It is suggested that the Sub-Committee approach the issue in this way i.e. to ask itself:</p> <p>"Is it reasonable to suppose that the public perception would regard the Councillor's personal interest, as so significant that whenever proposals regarding windfarms and the erection of pylons was discussed at the Town / Community Council the potential conflict of interest would be so significant as to be likely to prejudice his / her judgement of the public interest in performing his / her role as a Town / Community Councillor unless the business under discussion is of such a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious?"</p> <p>Financial – Prejudicial Interest</p> <p>Non-Financial – Exemption</p> <p>The other question that the Sub-Committee needs to ask is based on the proposed route of the pylons - "Does this personal interest affect the majority of the other council tax payers, rate payers or inhabitants of the authority's area to the same extent as the Councillors, or are the Councillors affected to a greater extent".</p>
<p>STEP 4 Ground(s) on which dispensation could be granted</p>	<p>The Sub-Committee is required to consider a dispensation in relation to matters other than business which would be of such a nature that it would be categorised as trivial, insignificant or uncontentious.</p> <p>The ground(s) which could be considered are:</p> <p>(a) No fewer than half of the Members of the relevant Authority or of a committee of the Authority (as the case may be) by which the business is to be considered has an interest which relates to that business. (Speak and Vote / Speak only)</p>
<p>STEP 5 Determine the application and Recommendation:-</p> <p>(i) Refuse (ii) Approve:-</p>	<p>Recommendation – The Sub-Committee will need to grant a dispensation so at least 4 Members of the Council (one third of the total membership) are able to participate and enable the Council to have a quorum to discuss these matters.</p>

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