

**REPORT TO:** Standards Committee  
**DATE:** 10<sup>th</sup> November 2010  
**REPORTING OFFICER:** Strategic Director, Resources  
**SUBJECT:** Recent Case Summaries from Standards for England  
**WARDS:** N/A

## **1.0 PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

1.1 To make Members aware of recent decisions in cases where breaches of the Code have been alleged in other authorities.

## **2.0 RECOMMENDATION**

2.1 That the report be noted.

## **3.0 SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

3.1 Member's attention is drawn to two case summaries which have recently been published on Standards for England's website.

3.2 These cases refer to West Devon Borough Council and Portsmouth City Council.

3.3 The summaries are provided for the information of Members and are intended to inform discussion at the meeting.

## **4.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS**

4.1 None.

## **5.0 OTHER IMPLICATIONS**

5.1 None.

## **6.0 IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNCIL'S PRIORITIES**

6.1 Children and Young People in Halton

None.

6.2 Employment, Learning and Skills in Halton

None.

6.3 A Healthy Halton

None.

6.4 A Safer Halton

None.

6.5 Halton's Urban Renewal

None.

## **7.0 RISK ANALYSIS**

7.1 No key issues have been identified which require control measures.

## **8.0 EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES**

8.1 The report of itself does not contain specific Equality and Diversity issues.

## **9.0 LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS UNDER SECTION 100D OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**

9.1 None.