



# 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*

<sup>F1</sup>**57 Standards Board for England.**

##### 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- F1** S. 57 repealed (31.1.2012 for specified purposes, 1.4.2012 in so far as not already in force) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 240(2), Sch. 4 para. 17, **Sch. 25 Pt.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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**[<sup>F2</sup>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)

**<sup>F3</sup>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**F3** S. 57A repealed (31.1.2012 for specified purposes, 1.7.2012 for specified purposes, 22.11.2012 in so far as not already in force) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s.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)

**<sup>F4</sup>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**F4** S. 57B repealed (31.1.2012 for specified purposes, 1.7.2012 for specified purposes, 22.11.2012 in so far as not already in force) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), s.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)

**<sup>F5</sup>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)

**<sup>F6</sup>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)

**<sup>F7</sup>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*

**<sup>F8</sup>59 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 [<sup>F9</sup>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)

**<sup>F10</sup>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)

**<sup>F11</sup>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)

**<sup>F17</sup>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*

**<sup>F18</sup>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)

**<sup>F20</sup>66A References to [<sup>F19</sup>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)

*[<sup>F21</sup>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)

*[<sup>F24</sup>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 [<sup>F25</sup>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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