
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order amends Part 1 of the Model Code of Conduct as set out in the Schedule to the Local Authorities (Model Code of Conduct) (Wales) Order 2008 (“the Order”) to add corporate joint committees established under Part 5 of the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021 ([asc 1](#)) to the list of relevant authorities. The effect of the amendment would be to make the mandatory Model Code of Conduct applicable to members of corporate joint committees.

The Model Code of Conduct governs the conduct of the members of relevant authorities in Wales.

The Welsh Ministers’ Code of Practice on the carrying out of Regulatory Impact Assessments was considered in relation to the regulations which establish corporate joint committees and connected orders and regulations. As a result, a regulatory impact assessment was prepared at the time of making those establishment regulations and is relied upon for the purpose of this Order. A copy can be obtained from the Local Government Strategic Finance Division, Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff, CF10 3NQ.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Local Authorities (Model Code of Conduct) (Wales) (Amendment) Order 2022.