

DECLARATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE

I Peter Channon

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having been elected to the office of Councillor of
Hayle Town Council

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declare that I take that office upon myself, and will duly and faithfully fulfil the duties of it according to the best of my judgement and ability.

I agree to abide by the Council's Code of Conduct and adopted policies, treat others with respect and promote the principles of high standards of behaviour in public life.

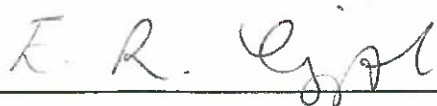
Signed



Date 12/06/2023

This declaration was made and signed before me,

Signed



Proper Officer of the Council

¹ Insert name of Councillor

² Insert name of Council



Date first completed	12 20 6 2023
Name	PETER CHANNON
Council	HAYLE TOWN COUNCIL
Update record (including checking on re-election)	
Date updated/checked	Page/Section No or Term of Office

Interest type:	Trade Union Membership
What the guidance says:	The guidance indicates that your duty to act in conformity with the Seven Principles of Public Life requires you to register interests such as your membership of any trade union. The prescribed disclosable pecuniary interest relating to sponsorship refers to such membership as being within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 and that is how the requirement under the guidance has been interpreted.
What this means:	You are required to register any membership of a trade union which is a body which falls within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992. This requirement relates only to you and not to your spouse, civil partner, etc.
Interests:	<p style="text-align: center;">NONE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">swat</p>

Interest type:	Corporate tenancies
What the regulations say:	Any tenancy where (to the member's knowledge)— (a) the landlord is the relevant authority; and (b) the tenant is a body in which the relevant person has a beneficial interest.
What this means:	This relates to any tenancy between (1) the council of which you are a member and (2) a firm in which you, your spouse, civil partner etc. are a partner or an incorporated entity (e.g. a company) of which you, your spouse, civil partner etc are a director or in the securities* of which you, your spouse, civil partner etc. have a beneficial interest. <i>* 'securities' means shares, debentures, debenture stock, loan stock, bonds, units of a collective investment scheme within the meaning of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 and other securities of any description, other than money deposited with a building society.</i>
Interests:	NONE

Interest type:	Land
What the regulations say:	Any beneficial interest in land which is within the area of the relevant authority.
What this means:	<p>Any land or property in the area of the council of which you are a member in relation to which you, your spouse, civil partner etc. (i) are the owner(s), lessee(s) or lessor(s); (ii) are otherwise legally entitled to occupy; (iii) are entitled to receive the rents or profits; (iv) are a lender with security over the land or property; or (v) otherwise have the right to claim a share or all of such land or property, the proceeds of sale of or the income from it. This will include home addresses as well as business addresses where the business is yours or you have a share in such land and property as a result of your interest in the business.</p> <p>You need to give enough detail for the land or property to be capable of identification, e.g. 33 Acacia Avenue, Acaciaville, AC1 1AC or field adjacent to the A30 at Acacia Springs comprising 4.4 acres and accessed from the gate onto the A3456.</p> <p>Do not include here those matters that are within 'Licences' or 'Corporate Tenancies' below.</p>
Interests:	<p style="text-align: center;">NONE 3456</p>

Interest type:	Sponsorship
What the regulations say:	Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from the relevant authority) made or provided within the relevant period in respect of any expenses incurred by the member in carrying out duties as a member, or towards the election expenses of the member. This includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992.
What this means:	<p>Any money, whether in cash or otherwise, or any financial benefit, such as the remission of monies you would otherwise have been required to pay or something else representing a financial benefit if any of these relate to your election expenses or your expenses in carrying out your duties as a member, so far as received in the 12 months ending with the day on which you register the payment or benefit. You will need to state what the payment or benefit was, from whom it was received (including any trade union) and what it related to. It does not include such of the above as have been received from the council you are a member of so, for example, you will not need to register expenses and allowances received from your council in your capacity as a member.</p> <p><i>This part of the form does not apply to your spouse, civil partner etc. If they are a member or co-opted member of a council they will have to disclose the information on their own register form.</i></p>
Interests:	<p style="text-align: center;">NONE</p>

Gifts and Hospitality

The Code of Conduct requires you to declare and gifts or hospitality over the value of £50 or, if multiple small gifts from the same person amount to over £100 in any one 12-month period.

Gifts and hospitality should not be recorded on this form but for Cornwall Councillors should be declared to ptcchanges@cornwall.gov.uk and for Town and Parish Councillors these should be reported to the Clerk to the Council.

As with your register of interests form, any gifts and hospitality you declare is publicly accessible information.

All members of principal and local councils have a legal duty under the Localism Act 2011 to register disclosable pecuniary interests in the register maintained by the Monitoring Officer for their area. The types of interests that must be registered are prescribed in regulations. Currently those regulations are The Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012. The Department for Communities and Local Government (DCLG) has also published guidance on interests – 'Openness and transparency on personal interests – A guide for councillors'. This was updated in September 2013 and now indicates that membership of a trade union is a personal interest which should be registered albeit not as a disclosable pecuniary interest. The guidance is available on the Government's web site – [Openness and transparency on personal interests: guidance for councillors - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](http://www.gov.uk).

This form reflects both the Regulations and the guidance.

Disclosable pecuniary interests and trade union membership must be registered within 28 days of either (i) taking office; or (ii) becoming aware of the interest, which includes where you have at a meeting declared either category of interest and which has not previously been registered.

You must disclose any interests which are within the categories below in relation to:

- you; **and**
- your spouse or civil partner, a person you are living with as your husband or wife, or a person your are living with as if you are civil partners (in relation to these latter interests you must be aware of the interest of the other person for the obligation to register to arise)

but in relation to trade union membership the requirement to disclose only relates to you and not your spouse, civil partner, etc.

Please note – Cornwall Council has not determined what interests you are required to register. The classes of interest that have to be registered have been determined by the Secretary of State as set out in the Regulations and the guidance referred to above.

Even if you have a sensitive interest you are still required to disclose it. For the definition of what a sensitive interest is please refer to your council's Code of Conduct. If in doubt, please contact one of the Monitoring Officer's staff for advice or email corporate&infogov@cornwall.gov.uk or leave a message on 01872 322704.

Space has been provided at the end of the form for you to register any interests that your council's Code of Conduct requires you to register in addition to those prescribed by regulations.

IMPORTANT – in relation to **disclosable pecuniary interests only** you will commit a criminal offence if, without reasonable excuse, you (i) fail to provide information that you are required to register; or (ii) provide information that is false or misleading and you know that the information is false or misleading or you are reckless as to whether the information is true and not misleading. If you commit such an offence you can be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale and be disqualified from holding public office for up to 5 years. (Section 34 of the Localism Act 2011)