



**Telford & Wrekin**

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## **Summary of Standards Committee Decision Pursuant to Section 8(1)(iv) of the Standards Committee (England) Regulations 2008**

Reference: 2010/7

On 4<sup>th</sup> August 2010 the Referrals Sub Committee of the Standards Committee considered a complaint from two members of the public concerning the alleged conduct of Councillor Adrian Williams, a member of Telford & Wrekin Council.

The complaint made allegations in relation to Councillor Williams's conduct concerning alleged comments made in an email and on a website posting.

The Sub Committee assessed the matter and decided to direct the Monitoring Officer to invite Councillor Williams to attend Code of Conduct training. The sub-committee took the view that the conduct outlined appeared to show that a breach of the Code of Conduct may have taken place but that the conduct complained of is not so serious that it would require a substantial formal sanction such as suspension or disqualification.

The Sub-Committee did not make any finding of fact and accordingly did not reach a conclusion as to whether Councillor Williams failed to comply with the Code of Conduct in relation to the complaint.