Committee:	THE STANDARDS COMMITTEE
Date:	17 June 2019
Title:	Allegations against members
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Purpose:	For information

1. Background

The purpose of this report is to inform the Committee of the Ombudsman's decisions on formal complaints against members.

2. Decisions

We have not received any decisions from the Ombudmsan since the last report. We are awrae of 4 complaints where the Ombuudsman is currently considering whether to investigate.

3. Analysis of the Complaints

Below is an analysis of the this year's complaints (2019/20) where a decision has been:

Member who is subject of the complaint	
Member of community council	
Member of Gwynedd Council	
Member of Gwynedd Council and community council	
Nature of the complainant	
Councillor	
Member of the public	
Officer	0
Nature of the allegation	
Overall conduct	
Declaration of Interest	
Overall conduct & Declaration of Interest	
Outcome	
No Investigation	
Investigation – No evidence of breaching the Code of Conduct	
Investigation – Evidence of breaching the code but no further steps required	
Investigation - referral to the Standards Committee	
Investigation - Referral to the Adjudication Panel for Wales	

4. Open Cases

The situation in relation to other cases is as follows:

- Ombudsman considering an investigation 4
- Ombudsman investigating

5. Recommendation

The Committee is asked to note the information.