



**REGISTER OF COUNCILLORS INTERESTS**

I, John Cotton..... (name)

an Elected / ~~Co-opted~~ Member of Birmingham City Council do hereby give notice that I have set out below my interests which I am required to declare under Birmingham City Council's Code of Conduct for Members.

Within 28 days of election to office, an Elected or Co-opted Member must register his/her pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests in a public register by providing written notification to the City Council's Monitoring Officer (City Solicitor)

You must declare your own interests on the form below and also those of your husband/wife/civil partner, which includes any person with whom you are living as husband/wife/civil partner. You do not need to name your husband/wife/civil partner.

Pecuniary Interests	Pecuniary Interests
<p><b>1. Employment, office, trade, profession or vocation:</b></p> <p>Your employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain, and that of your husband/wife/civil partner.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> "Office" includes position held as representative of the Council on the management of an external organisation if an Allowance is paid which exceeds reasonable expenses.</p>	<p><i>Councillor &amp; Cabinet Member</i> <i>LGA Peer</i> <i>Freelance Consultant</i></p> <p><i>Local Government Officer</i></p>
<p><b>2. Sponsorship</b></p> <p>Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit in respect of any expenses incurred in carrying out duties or towards election expenses; this includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union.</p>	<p><i>Birmingham Hodge Hill and Birmingham Yardley Constituency Labour Parties</i></p>

<b>Pecuniary Interests</b>	<b>Pecuniary Interests (continued)</b>
<p><b>3. Contracts</b></p> <p>Any contract which is made between you or your husband/wife/civil partner (or a body in which you or your husband/wife/civil partner has a beneficial interest) and the City Council under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed and which has not been fully discharged.</p>	
<p><b>4. Land</b></p> <p>Any beneficial interest in land held by you or your husband/wife/civil partner which is within the area of the City Council</p>	<p>Dispensation Granted by Monitoring Officer.</p>
<p><b>5. Licences</b></p> <p>Any licence (alone or jointly with others) to you or your husband/wife/civil partner to occupy land in Birmingham for a month or longer.</p>	
<p><b>6. Corporate tenancies</b></p> <p>Any tenancy where the landlord is the City Council and the tenant is a body in which you or your husband/wife/civil partner has a beneficial interest.</p>	

Pecuniary Interests	Pecuniary Interests (continued)
<p><b>7. Securities</b></p> <p>Any beneficial interest in which you or your husband/wife/civil partner has in securities of a body where:</p> <p>(a) that body has a place of business or land in the area of the City Council; and</p> <p>(b) either:</p> <p>(i) the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body; or</p> <p>(ii) if the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which you or a relevant person has a beneficial interest exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.</p>	
<p><b>8. Personal Wellbeing</b></p> <p>you also have a pecuniary interest where you attend a meeting of the Council where the business concerns your personal wellbeing or financial position or that of your husband/wife/partner – to a greater extent than the majority of residents in your Ward affected by the decision.</p>	<p>You will only know this when you attend a meeting of the Council and an item on the agenda affects your wellbeing or that of your husband/wife/partner, to the extent described.</p> <p>You must then declare a pecuniary interest at the beginning of the meeting or before the relevant item is discussed and not take part in the meeting when that agenda item is discussed.</p>

Non-Pecuniary Interests	
<p>1. any organisation of which you are a member or in a position of general control or management and to which you are appointed or nominated by Birmingham City Council.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> If you receive an Allowance from the organisation which exceeds your reasonable expenses then you should declare your interest under Pecuniary Interest Number 1 above.</p>	<p><i>Trustee, Birmingham Settlement</i></p> <p><i>Director, Retail Birmingham Ltd</i></p>

If there is insufficient space in any of the boxes provided, please use a supplementary sheet.

This is a public document to which members of the public will have free access to during normal office hours and copies will also be published on the City Council's Website.

### Declaration

**I recognise that I will be in breach of Birmingham City Council's Code of Conduct for Members if I:**

- (a) omit information that ought to be given in this notice; or
- (b) provide information that is materially false or misleading; or
- (c) fail to give further notices within 28 days of any change to the information set out above in order to bring up to date the information given in this notice.

Signe

Dated

*[Handwritten Signature]*

*13<sup>th</sup> February 2020*

Please return the signed Declaration to the Monitoring Officer [City Solicitor].

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