

CYNGOR SIR YNYS MON / ISLE OF ANGLESEY COUNTY COUNCIL	
COMMITTEE:	Standards Committee
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REPORT TITLE:	Update on the National Standards Committee Forum for Wales
PURPOSE OF THE REPORT:	As above
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1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 A National Standards Committee Forum has been set up in Wales, as a result of the recommendation made by the Penn Review on the Ethical Regime in Wales.
- 1.2 In accordance with the Forum's terms of reference, only the Chair of each Standards Committee attends the Forum meetings.

2. FORUM MEETINGS

- 2.1 Since the last Standards Committee meeting, no Forum meeting has been held.
- 2.2 The Chairs' notes from the 27th of January 2025 Forum meeting were shared with the Standards Committee members via email on 4th of February. This Forum meeting was discussed at the Standards Committee meeting on 6th February.
- 2.3 The next Forum meeting is scheduled on 23rd June 2025.

3. THE FORUM'S DOCUMENTATION

- 3.1 The Forum has agreed that, in relation to Forum notes - *"the notes may be circulated to Standards Committees, provided no individual complainant or councillor complained of could be identified. This will be kept under review at/after each meeting."*

4. RECOMMENDATION

- 4.1 For the Committee to note the contents of this report.