

## Template for Publication of Register

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### Guidelines for New Requirements under Section 70 of the Local Government Act

Under changes made to section 70 of the *Local Government Act 1999* the Chief Executive Officer is required to publish on the website, certain details about each Council Member that are recorded in the Register of interests.

The particular details to be published on the website are:

- the Member's income sources (within the meaning of Schedule 3 to the Local Government Act) or employer;
- the name of any political party, any body or association formed for political purposes or any trade or professional organisation (within the meaning of Schedule 3) of which the Member is a member;
- any gifts received by the Member that are required to be included in the information entered in the Register in relation to the member.

### Updating the Register Details

The section also places an obligation on a Chief Executive Officer to cause the details to be updated at regular intervals. Relevantly for this purpose, an amendment to section 67 of the *Local Government Act* now requires a Council Member to advise the Chief Executive Officer of any change to the Council Member's details that appear on the full Register of interests held by the council, within 1 month of the change occurring.

### Template Register for Publication on the Website

The draft template register attached will be used by Councils for publication on the Council Website.

## CLARE & GILBERT VALLEYS COUNCIL

### Excerpts from Council Members' Registers of Interests

Under section 70(a1) of the *Local Government Act 1999*, Council must publish on the website, in accordance with the regulations, the following details about Council Members as recorded in the Register of interests:

- the Member's income sources (within the meaning of Schedule 3 to the Local Government Act) or employer;
- the name of any political party, any body or association formed for political purposes or any trade or professional organisation (within the meaning of Schedule 3) of which the Member is a member;
- any gifts received by the Member that are required to be included in the information entered in the Register in relation to the Member.

The table below contains the required information which was current as at [date].

Council Member Name	Employer/Income Source	Name of Political Party/Body/Association formed for political purposes	Gifts Received worth \$750 or more (as per Schedule 3, s 2(2)(d))