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Councillor Conduct Register

WESTERN DOWNS REGIONAL COUNCIL

Reference Number	Section of the *Local Government Act 2009*	Date of Complaint (Section 150DZ(1)(a)	Summary of Complaint (Section 150DZ(1)(b)	Reason(s) the complaint was dismissed (Section 150DZ(1)(c)	Date of Decision (Section 150DY(2)(c)	Councillor Name (Section 150DY(2)(b) & 150DY(3)	Summary of Decision & Reasons for Decision (Section 150DY(2)(a))
C/19/00197	150DX(1)(d)	13/02/2019	It was alleged that the Councillor was dismissive of a complaint and that the Councillor used a mocking and sarcastic tone.	The Office of the Independent Assessor delegate made the decision to dismiss the complaint pursuant to Section 150DX(b)(iii) of the *Local Government Act 2009*, on the basis that the *complaint was lacking in substance*.			

In accordance with section 150DX of the *Local Government Act 2009* (LGA), Western Downs Regional Council must maintain and publish a Councillor Conduct Register. The register must record matters about: Unsuitable meeting conduct (section 150DX(1)(a)); Suspected inappropriate conduct (section 150DX(1)(b)); Decisions about misconduct (section 150DX(1)(c)); Conduct complaints dismissed by the Independent Assessor (section 150DX(1)(d)); and Decisions by the Independent Assessor to take no further action (section 150DX(1)(e)).
Note: This register is for complaints made post changes to the *Local Government Act 2009* commencing 3 December 2018.
Note: In accordance with section 150DY(3) of the LGA, the name of the subject Councillor may only be included if the local government or conduct tribunal decided that the Councillor engaged in inappropriate conduct or misconduct, or where the Councillor agrees to their name being recorded.