

2024/25



# Register of Members' Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

I, (FULL NAME), BENJAMIN CLAYTON

a member of Cleveland Fire Authority, give notice that I have set out below under the appropriate headings my pecuniary interests which I am required to declare in accordance with the Authority's approved Code of Conduct and in accordance with applicable regulations and any amendments thereto.

(Please complete all sections indicating "None" or "N/A" as appropriate.)

## 1. EMPLOYMENT, OFFICE, TRADE, PROFESSION OR VOCATION

You should show every employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain

JOIEAUX LIMITED - MANAGING DIRECTOR  
HARTLEPOOL BOROUGH COUNCIL - COUNCILLOR

### NOTES - Give a short description of the employment etc. concerned

- Employees should give the name of their employer. If employed by a company, give the name of the company paying your wages or salary, not that of the ultimate holding company.
- Where you hold an office, give the name of the person or body which appointed you. In the case of a public office, this will be the authority which pays you. In the case of a teacher in a maintained school, the local education authority; in the case of an aided school, the school governing body.
- If you are a partner in a firm, give the name of the firm.
- If you are a remunerated director, give the name of the organisation

## 2. SPONSORSHIP

You should declare the name of any person or body who has made any payments to you in the last year towards your expenses as a councillor or towards your election expenses. You do not need to declare the amounts of any payments: only the name of the person or body making them.

LABOUR PARTY  
CO-OPERATIVE PARTY  
UNISON

### NOTES - This includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act, 1992.

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**3. CONTRACTS WITH THE AUTHORITY**

(a) You should describe all contracts, of which you are aware, which are not fully discharged, and which are:

- (i) contracts for the supply of goods, services or works to the authority or on the authority's behalf, and

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- (ii) between the authority of which you are a member, and either yourself or a company in which you have a beneficial interest or of which you are a director.

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**NOTES** - You need not say what the financial arrangements are, but should say for how long the contract is.

**4. LAND IN THE AREA OF THE AUTHORITY**

MORTGAGEE OF A RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY WITHIN TAG AREA

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**NOTES** - You should include any land in the area of the authority in which you have a beneficial interest (that is, in which you have some proprietary interest for your own benefit). You should give the address or a brief description to identify it. If you live in the authority's area you should include your home under this heading as owner, lessee, or tenant.

You should also include any property from which you receive rent, or of which you are the mortgagee.

"Land" includes any buildings or parts of buildings.

**5. LICENCES TO OCCUPY LAND**

You should include land in the area of the authority which you have a right to occupy (alone or jointly with others), but neither own nor have a tenancy of and which licence is for a month or longer.

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"Land" includes any buildings or parts of buildings.

**6. CORPORATE TENANCIES**

You should list any tenancies of property of which you are aware where the landlord is the authority of which you are a member, and the tenant is a body in which you have a beneficial interest.

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**7. SECURITIES**

You should list the names of any body that (to your knowledge) has a place of business or land in the authority's area and in which you have a substantial interest. You do not need to show the extent of your interest.

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**NOTES** -

You have a substantial interest if you own shares or other securities in the body with a nominal value of more than £25,000 or more than 1/100th of the issued shares or securities. If there are several classes of shares or securities, the fraction of 1/100th applies to any of those classes.

The requirement also covers shares and securities held in the name of other people in which you have a beneficial interest.



**8. OTHER INTERESTS**

You should give the names of any other bodies of which you are a member, or are in a position of general control or management.

HARTLEPOOL BOROUGH COUNCIL

CLEVELAND FIRE AUTHORITY

UNISON

**NOTES -**

- a body to which you are appointed by the authority as its representative.
- a public authority or body exercising functions of a public nature
- a company, industrial and provident society, charity, or body directed to charitable purposes
- a body whose principal purposes include the influence of public opinion or policy, and a trade union or professional association

**9. INTERESTS OF CLOSE RELATIONS (RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURE)**

You should disclose the existence of any interests that close relations may have with any body that (to your knowledge) are active in the authority's area in which you have a substantial interest. A 'close relation' would be considered as a spouse, civil partner or someone living in a common household. Further, it will also include; a grandparent, non dependent child, brother or sister, the spouse or domestic partner of a child, a parent in law, a brother in law or a sister in law.

I recognise that it can be a criminal offence to:

- (1) fail to comply with an obligation to disclose a pecuniary interest
- (2) provide information that is materially false or misleading;
- (3) fail to give further notices in order to bring up to date information given in this notice.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

8<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024