



## Whiteley Town Council

### Declaration of acceptance of office

**LOCALISM ACT 2011 - SECTIONS 29 - 31  
AND  
THE RELEVANT AUTHORITIES  
(DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS) REGULATIONS 2012**

**NOTIFICATION BY MEMBER OR CO-OPTED MEMBER  
OF  
WHITELEY TOWN COUNCIL OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS**

I, SEAN GERRARD WHELAN

Being a Member or Co-opted Member of Whiteley Town Council hereby give notice that I, my spouse or civil partner, or someone I am living with as if we were husband and wife or civil partner ('partner') have the following disclosable pecuniary interests within the description set out in the Schedule to the Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012, made by the Secretary of State in accordance with Section 30 of the Localism Act 2011 ('the Localism Act').

*(In the boxes below, you are not required to distinguish between those interests which are yours and those which are of your partner etc. unless you wish to do so. If you do, please mark an \* beside those entries which relate to your partner etc).*

**1 Employment, Office, Trade, Profession or Vocation**

This means any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on **for profit or gain**, of yourself, or your partner.

*NOTE: you should include any self-employment as well as where someone else employs you, or your partner.*

**Whelan Pest Prevention Limited Managing Director  
Whelan Pest Prevention Franchising Limited MD**

## 2 Sponsorship

This means any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from the Town Council) made or provided to yourself, or your partner, within the period of 12 months ending on the date of this notification, in respect of any expenses incurred by yourself in carrying out your duties as a Member, or towards your election expenses.

This also includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992, Section 52.

I have claimed for the expenses as advised to Winchester City Council in accordance with guidelines for my campaign as an independent for Whiteley and Shedfield Local Election

## 3 Contracts

This means any contract made between yourself, or your partner, (or a body in which you, or your partner, have a beneficial interest), and the Town Council -

- (a) under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed; AND
- (b) which has not been fully discharged;

**Nil**

#### **4 Land**

This means any beneficial interest in land within the area of the Town Council of yourself, or your partner.

*NOTE: Land includes buildings, including your home. It does not include an easement, servitude, interest or rights in or over land which does not include the right for you or your partner (alone or with another) to occupy the land or to receive income.*

**14 Cobham Grove  
Whiteley  
PO15 7JQ**

#### **5 Licences**

This means any licence (alone or jointly with others) to occupy land in the administrative area of the Town Council held by yourself, or your partner, for a month or longer.

**NIL**

## 6 Corporate Tenancies

This means any tenancy where (to your knowledge) –

- (a) the landlord is the Town Council; AND
- (b) the tenant is a body in which you, or your partner, have a beneficial interest;

<b>NIL</b>
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## 7 Securities

This means any beneficial interest in securities of a body where –

- (a) that body (to your knowledge) has a place of business or land in the administrative area of the Town Council; AND
- (b) either -
  - (i) the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued shared capital of that body; OR
  - (ii) if the share capital of that body is more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which you, or your partner, have a beneficial interest exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.

Securities means shares, debentures, debenture stock, loan stock, bonds, units of a collective investment scheme within the meaning of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000, Chapter 8, and other securities of any description, other than money deposited with a building society.

*NOTE: A body in which you or your partner have a beneficial interest means a firm in which you or your partner is a partner, or a body*

**NIL**

*corporate of which you or your partner is a director, or in the securities of which you or your partner has a beneficial interest.*

I understand that (without reasonable excuse);

- (a) failure to register any disclosable pecuniary interest required to be registered under Section 30(1), 31(2), 31(3), or 31(7) of the Localism Act; or
- (b) to participate in any discussion or vote in any matter considered at a meeting where I have a disclosable pecuniary interest in the matter in contravention of Section 31(4) of the Localism Act; or
- (c) to knowingly or recklessly provide information under Section 30(1), 31(2), 31(3), or 31(7) of the Localism Act which is false or misleading;

is a criminal offence under Section 34 of the Localism Act, punishable by a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale (currently £5,000), and disqualification as a Member or Co-opted Member of the Town Council or any other relevant authority for a period not exceeding five years.

Signed :   
(Councillor/Co-opted Member)

Print name Sean Gerrard Whelan

Date: 28<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Signed :  (Town Clerk)

Print name N OLIVER

Date: 28<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Received by or on behalf of the Monitoring Officer:

Signed: .....

Print name .....David Blakemore.....

Date: .....20 June 2024.....

*NOTE: Actual signatures will be blocked out when forms are placed on the Council's website.*

This Register records information regarding Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and other Interests required by the Localism Act 2011 and the Town Code of Conduct to be registered as supplied from time to time by the Councillor named above.

If you have any queries regarding the information contained in this Register, please contact the Monitoring Officer of Winchester City Council for more information by emailing [democracy@winchester.gov.uk](mailto:democracy@winchester.gov.uk) or by telephone, 01962 848284. Alternatively, contact the Clerk at Whiteley Town Council at 01329 835019 email [townclerk@whiteleytowncouncil.co.uk](mailto:townclerk@whiteleytowncouncil.co.uk)

*NOTE: please see below for additional Register entry regarding Gifts and Hospitality.*

**Gifts and Hospitality**

Additional Register Entry required by the Local Code of the Town Council.

Any Gifts or Hospitality with an estimated value of £50 received as a result of your public office within the last three years of the submission of this form. The source of the gift or hospitality should also be registered.

nil

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