

Declaration of Interests Form

I, **BEN GOUGH**

Of Finham Parish Council hereby declare the following pecuniary interests

Employment, office, trade, profession or vocation: Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain.

N/A

Sponsorship: Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from the Parish Council) made or provided within the 12 months before this declaration in respect of any expenses incurred by you in carrying out duties as a member, or towards your election expenses. This includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992.

N/A

Contracts: Any contract which is made between the relevant person (or a body in which the relevant person has a beneficial interest) has **and** the Parish 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.

NB

(a) **"body in which the relevant person has a beneficial interest"** means a firm in which the relevant person is a partner or a body corporate of which the relevant person is a director, or in the securities of which the relevant person has a beneficial interest.

(b) **"director"** includes a member of the committee of management of an industrial and provident society;

(c) **"relevant person"** means the member and the member's spouse or civil partner (or a person with whom the member is living as husband and wife or as if they were civil partners).

(d) **"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 and other securities of any description, other than money deposited with a building society

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Land: Any beneficial interest in land which is within the area of the Parish Council

NB

(a) **"land"** excludes an easement, servitude, interest or right in or over land which does not carry with it a right for the relevant person (alone or jointly with another) to occupy the land or receive income.

(b) **"relevant person"** means the member and the member's spouse or civil partner (or a person with whom the member is living as husband and wife or as if they were civil partners).

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Licences: Any licence (alone or jointly with others) to occupy land in the area of the Parish Council for a month or longer.

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(b) **"relevant person"** means the member and the member's spouse or civil partner (or a person with whom the member is living as husband and wife or as if they were civil partners).

N/A

Corporate tenancies: Any tenancy where (to your knowledge)—

(a) the landlord is the Parish Council; **and**

(b) the tenant is a body in which the relevant person has a beneficial interest.

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Securities: Any beneficial interest in securities of a body where—

- (a) that body (to your knowledge) has a place of business or land in the area of the Parish Council; **and**
- (b) either—
- (i) the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body; **or**
 - (ii) if the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which the relevant person has a beneficial interest which exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.

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N/A

DECLARATION

Please read this declaration carefully and then sign and date it.

I give notice that I have set out above, under the appropriate headings, my pecuniary interests which I am required to register under the Localism Act 2012 and the Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012 and the Member Code of Conduct adopted by Finham Parish Council. I have indicated appropriately where I have no such interests under any such headings.

I understand that, under Section 31 of the Localism Act 2012, if I am aware that I have a disclosable pecuniary interest in any matter to be considered or being considered at a meeting of the City Council, which is not entered in the register or the subject of a pending notification, I must notify the Monitoring Officer of that interest within 28 days of the date of the meeting.

I further understand that, under Section 34 of the Localism Act 2012, I may commit a criminal offence and, on conviction, be liable to a maximum fine of £5,000 and to disqualification as a member for up to 5 years if:

- (1) without reasonable excuse, I fail to comply with an obligation to:
- a. notify the Monitoring Officer of any disclosable pecuniary interests which I have within 28 days of becoming a member or co-opted member of the Council; or
 - b. disclose a disclosable pecuniary interest to a meeting of the Council where to my knowledge I have such an interest in a matter being considered at the meeting and where the interest has not been entered onto the register of interests; or
 - c. notify the Monitoring Officer of a disclosable pecuniary interest within 28 days of the date of a disclosure at a meeting as set out in (b) above unless the interest is the subject of a pending notification; or
 - d. notify the Monitoring Officer of a disclosable pecuniary interest within 28 days of becoming aware that I have such an interest in any matter which is to be dealt with by me in the course of my discharging any function of the Council as a member acting alone, unless the interest is the subject of a pending notification; or

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(2) without reasonable excuse:

a. I participate in any discussion or further discussion or vote or further at a meeting in connection with a matter in which I have a disclosable pecuniary interest or

b. I take any steps in connection with a matter in which I have a disclosable pecuniary interest when discharging a function of the Council as a member acting alone, except for the purpose of enabling the matter to be dealt with otherwise than by me; or

(3) I knowingly provide information which is false or misleading or am reckless as to whether the information is true or not misleading in connection with my obligations under paragraphs (1)a., (1)b., (1)c. or (1)d. above.

Signe



.....Date

25/07/24

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RECEIVED: Signed.....

(Monitoring Officer of Coventry City Council)

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