

COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE

14.5 Scope of questions

A question shall not be:

- defamatory, frivolous or offensive;
- substantially the same as a question which has been put at a meeting of the Council in the past six months;
- such as to require the disclosure of confidential or exempt information; ~~or~~
- related to an individual planning or licensing application; or
- related to the ethical conduct of individual Members of Council.

16.4 Scope (of motions on notice)

(a) Motions must:

- (i) be about matters for which the Council has a responsibility or which affect the district.
- (ii) Not relate to the ethical conduct of individual Members of Council.
- (iii) be expressed in such a form that it shall conform with the requirements of the Council Procedure Rules ...

16.3 Putting the Motion at the Meeting

The Member whose name appears first on the Notice will move the motion during his or her speech and call for a seconder. If seconded, a member from the controlling political group or the opposition political group, as appropriate, will be entitled to a reply. ~~The~~ the motion shall then stand referred without further discussion to the Cabinet or appropriate Committee for determination or report unless the Council decides to debate the motion in accordance with Rule 19.

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PROCEDURE RULE

15.0 Call-In

- (a) Call-in should only be used in exceptional circumstances, for example, where members of the appropriate Overview and Scrutiny Panel have evidence which suggests that the Cabinet did not take the decision in accordance with the principles set out in Article 13 (Decision Making). It shall not apply to Cabinet recommendations made in relation to the approval of a policy or plan forming part of the Council's adopted Policy Framework.