REPORT OF THE MONITORING OFFICER

9.1 CODE OF PRACTICE FOR MEMBER INVOLVEMENT IN LICENSING MATTERS

The Director, Legal Services, submits a report enabling the necessary approvals to be given for a Code of Practice for Member involvement in licensing matters.

A copy of the report is attached.

Council is recommended; to approve the Code of Practice and confirm that it will come into effect once approved by Council; and to delegate authority to the Director, Legal Services, in consultation with the Director, Environmental Services and in consultation with the Chair of the Licensing Committee, to make any further amendments to the Code, should this be required in consequence of Council deliberations and any future changes to the Members' Code of Conduct.

> PERRY HOLMES DIRECTOR, CORPORATE GOVERNANCE