

Legal Topic Notes

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001	Councils' Powers to Discharge their Functions	Council business, law and procedure
002	The Chairman of Local Councils	Council business, law and procedure
003	The powers of a parish meeting in a parish without a separate Parish Council	Council business, law and procedure
004	The powers of a community meeting in a community without a separate Community Council	Council business, law and procedure
005	Parish Town and Community Council Meetings	Council business, law and procedure
006	Meetings of Parish Meetings	Council business, law and procedure
007	Non-Councillor Members of Committees	Council business, law and procedure
008	Elections	Council business, law and procedure
009	Handling Complaints	Council business, law and procedure
010	Royal Visits	Council business, law and procedure
011	Celebrations and Similar Events	Council business, law and procedure
012	Titles of Dignity	Council business, law and procedure
013	Policing your area	Crime and Disorder
014	Byelaws	Council business, law and procedure
015	Legal Proceedings	Legal Proceedings
016	Control of Litter	Planning, environment and licencing
017	Control of Dogs	Planning, environment and licencing
018	Local Councils' Power to Provide Parking Spaces	Highways and Parking*
019	Wheel-clamping	Highways and Parking*
020	Markets and other Events	Miscellaneous*
021	Local Council help for Village Halls	Council business, law and procedure
022	Employment Matters	Employment
023	Health and Safety	Health and Safety*
024	The Human Rights Act 1998	Legal Proceedings
025	Sex Discrimination	Discrimination*
026	Race Discrimination	Discrimination*
027	Disability Discrimination	Discrimination*
028	Basic Charity Law	Miscellaneous*
029	Straying Animals	Land and Property*
030	Defamation	Council business, law and procedure
031	Section 137 of the Local Government Act 1972	Council business, law and procedure
032	Local Councils and VAT	Council business, law and procedure
033	Councillors' Allowances	Council business, law and procedure
034	Retirement Gratuities	Employment
035	Contracts	Contract
036	Unfair Contract Terms Act 1977	Contract
037	Freedom of Information	Information Law
038	Data Protection	Information Law
039	Copyright	Information Law
040	Local Councils' Documents and Records	Council business, law and procedure
041	The Responsibilities of Councils as Landowners	Land and Property
042	Occupiers Liability	Land and Property
043	Private Access to Council Land	Land and Property
044	Trespass to Land	Land and Property
045	Disposal and Appropriation of Land by Local Councils	Land and Property
046	Registered Land	Land and Property
047	Easements	Land and Property
048	The Difference between Leases and Licenses	Land and Property
049	Business Tenancies	Land and Property

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050	The Agricultural Tenancies Act 1995	Land and Property
051	Agricultural Holdings Act 1986	Land and Property
052	Temporary Use of Allotment Land	Allotments*
053	Protection of Common Land	Common Land*
054	Protection of Ownerless Common Land	Common Land*
055	Claiming Ownerless Land	Land and Property
056	The Provision of Play and Sports Equipment on Village Greens	Miscellaneous*
057	Easements over Common Land and Village Greens	Miscellaneous*
058	Planning	Planning, environment and licencing
059	The Rights of Local Councils to be notified of Planning Applications and Decisions	Planning, environment and licencing
060	Copies of Planning Documents	Planning, environment and licencing
061	The Status of Parish Town and Community Councils at Public Enquiries	Planning, environment and licencing
062	Planning Control over Agricultural Land and Buildings	Planning, environment and licencing
063	Planning and Building Control Enforcement	Planning, environment and licencing
064	Tombstones and Memorials	Burial Grounds*
065	Closed Churchyards and Disused Burial Grounds	Burial Grounds*
066	Nuisance (Public and Statutory)	Land and Property
067	Nuisance (Private)	Land and Property
068	Negligence	Land and Property
069	ASBOs and Harassment	Legal Proceedings
070	Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005	Planning, environment and licencing
071	Naming and Numbering of Streets	Highways and parking*
072	Highways	Highways and parking*
073	Community Governance Reviews	Council business, law and procedure
074	Alternative names and styles for parish councils	Council business, law and procedure
075	Lease Negotiations	Land and Property
076	Energy performance requirements	Land and Property
077	Public Rights of Way	Highways and parking*
078	The Equality Act 2010	Employment and Discrimination
079	Staff Pensions	Employment
080	Members' conduct and the registration and disclosure interests (England)	Code of Conduct
081	Pre-Determination	Council business, law and procedure
082	Compulsory Purchase orders	Land and Property
083	Neighbourhood Planning	Planning, environment and licencing
084	Community Right to Challenge (England)	Miscellaneous*
085	The Community Right to Nominate and Bid for Assets of Community Value (England)	Miscellaneous*
086	The disclosure and barring service	Employment
087	Procurement	Finance
088	Event Licencing	Planning, environment and licencing