

BDC COMPLAINTS MADE AGAINST
COMPLAINTS RECEIVED 2024/2025

DATE OF RECEIPT	PART OF CODE OF CONDUCT ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN BREACHED	NAME OF COUNCIL	WHETHER A POTENTIAL BREACH WAS FOUND	REASONS FOR DECISION/ ACTION
13/05	Respect	Scarcliffe Parish Council	N/A (ongoing)	To be referred for investigation
24/06	Respect	Bolsover District Council	Yes.	Full details of the decision is set out in a report to Standards Committee on 27 th January 2025
11/07	Breach of confidentiality	South Normanton Parish Council	No	Lack of evidence
17/08	Breach of confidentiality	Tibshelf Parish Council	No	Councillor not working in capacity
22/08	Bringing the Council into disrepute	Shirebrook Town Council	N/A (ongoing)	

03/10	Respect Failure to lead by example	Creswell Parish Council	Yes	The Councillor concerned has apologised for any offence caused.
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22/10	Respect Failure to lead by example	Creswell Parish Council	Yes	The Councillor concerned has apologised for any offence caused.
24/10	Respect Bullying & harassment Breach of confidentiality Misuse of position Bringing the Council into disrepute Failure to declare interests.	Shirebrook Town Council	N/A (ongoing)	

28/10	Respect Failure to lead by example	Creswell Parish Council	No	The complaint concerned a decision to go into exempt items at the Parish Council. This was a procedural issue rather than a conduct one.
8/10	Failure to follow rules regarding declaration of interest Respect	Shirebrook Town Council	No	This has been dealt with informally by way of an advisory meeting with the councillor.
13/12	Respect	Shirebrook Town Council	No	This has been dealt with informally by way of an advisory meeting with the councillor.
02/01	Failure to act with impartiality Respect	Bolsover District Council	No	No evidence of failure to act with impartiality Not acting in councillor capacity with regards respect
12/01	Respect	Bolsover District Council	No	Not acting in capacity as councillor
26/01	Respect	Bolsover District Council	No	Complaint withdrawn

03/02	Bullying Please note 2 complaints of bullying received at the same time. This is being treated as one complaint	Creswell Parish Council	N/A	This is to be referred to an investigation.
17/02	Respect/Bringing Council into disrepute	Bolsover District Council	Yes	The Councillor has apologised for any offence caused
27/03	Bringing the Council into disrepute	Clowne Parish Council	N/A	Initial enquiries still been undertaken
27/03	Predetermination Please note this complaint has been made against 3 councillors arising from the same incident	Clowne Parish Council	N/A	Initial enquiries still been undertaken
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07/04	Failure to respond to questions at a meeting	Creswell Parish Council	N/A	Initial enquiries still been undertaken
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