FROM: COURT OF COMMON COUNCIL

**5 DECEMBER 2019** 

TO: STANDARDS COMMITTEE

24 JANUARY 2020

## 16. POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE

(Deputy Catherine McGuinness)

17 October 2019

International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance (IHRA) Definition on Anti-Semitism
Both the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government and the Leaders'
Committee of London Councils had recommended that UK and London local authorities
consider adopting the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance (IHRA) Definition on
Anti-Semitism. The Court of Common Council was now asked to consider these
recommendations in light of a reported increase in anti-Semitic incidents across the UK
during the first half of 2019, and the adoption of the definition by at least 19 London

boroughs.

Resolved - That the IHRA definition of anti-Semitism, including the agreed working examples (Appendix 1) be adopted, with the inclusion of the IHRA definition and working examples within the Members' and Officers' Code of Conduct approved.