

## OVERSTRAND MUNICIPALITY

### AMENDMENT BY-LAW ON RULES OF ORDER FOR INTERNAL ARRANGEMENTS 2017

#### GENERAL EXPLANATORY NOTE:

[       ] Words in bold type in square brackets indicate omissions from the existing enactment.

\_\_\_\_\_ Words underlined with a solid line indicate insertions in the existing enactment.

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**To amend provisions of the Overstrand By-Law on Rules of Order for Internal Arrangements 2015.**

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Overstrand Municipality as follows:

**Amendment of section 1 of the Overstrand Municipality Amendment By-law on Rules of Order for Internal Arrangements.**

1. Section 1: Definitions, of the Overstrand By-law on Rules of Order for Internal Arrangements ( hereinafter referred to as the principle By-law) is hereby amended:

By omitting the following from the definition of:

“Attire (Female)” [should be]; [jacket/blazer]; [or traditional wear, and], and [or electioneering].

By inserting the following in the definition of:

"Attire (Female)" at least clothing ; (excluding jeans); and; which does.

By omitting the following from the definition of:

"Attire (male)" [should be]; [blazer]; [long sleeve]; [dress]; [or traditional wear], and  
[or electioneering].

By inserting the following in the definition of:

"Attire (male)" at least; clothing; jacket; (excluding jeans); collared; and socks.

By omitting the following from the definition of:

"Smart Casual" means for men: [ without tie, the patterns and colour of the jacket],  
[and].

By inserting the following in the definition of:

"Smart Casual" means for men: at least; or; socks and shoes do not have to match the  
pants and a jacket is optional; which do not reflect any political affiliation.

By omitting the following from the definition of:

"Smart Casual" means for women: [a wide range of options of which]; [are acceptable  
and a jacket is optional].

By inserting the following in the definition of:

"Smart Casual" means for women: at least; dress , Bermuda type shorts (long shorts)  
and shoes ; which do not reflect any political affiliation.

**Amendment of section 10 of the Overstrand Municipality Amendment By-law on Rules of Order  
for Internal Arrangements.**

2. Section 10(1) of the principle by-law is hereby amended:

By inserting the following sub-sections: **9(3)** and **9(4)**.

Amendment of section 13 of the Overstrand Municipality Amendment By-law on Rules of Order for Internal Arrangements.

3. Section 13 of the principle by-law is hereby amended:

By omitting the words: **[vote will be recorded in the minutes]**.

By inserting the following after the word "councillor": **the Speaker must put the matter to vote by calling upon councillors to indicate by a show of hands, unless otherwise prescribed by any law or the Council resolves otherwise, whether they are all for that matter, whereupon the Speaker must announce that the vote was unanimous and supported by the number of votes cast.**

Amendment of section 14 of the Overstrand Municipality Amendment By-law on Rules for Internal Arrangements

4. Section 14 of the principle by-law is hereby amended:

By inserting the following after "legislation" **( Section 160(3)(b) of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa).**

5. Section 16(2) of the principle by-law is hereby amended:

By omitting the word **[in]** where it appears after the word "may";

By inserting the word **at** after the word "may";

By inserting the words: **in terms of section 130 of the MFMA** after the word "discretion".

Amendment of section 19 of the Overstrand Municipality Amendment By-law on Rules of Order for Internal Arrangements.

6. Section 19(1)(a) of the amendment by-law is hereby amended:

By omitting [unseemly] and inserting: **inappropriate and/or unbecoming**

7. Section 19(1)(d) of the principle by-law is amended:

By inserting after "...rules" **and specifically with regard to Councillors, the provisions of Item 2 of Schedule 1 to the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 32 of 2000.**

Short Title

This By-law is called the Overstrand Municipality Amendment By-law on Rules for Internal Arrangements 2017.