

Section 1 – Statement of accounts

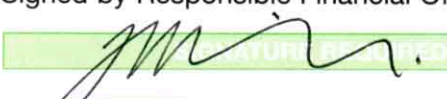
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In completing the boxes below please explain any significant variances, including any difference between Box 7 and Box 8, on a separate sheet and send this to the external auditor together with a copy of your bank reconciliation as at 31 March 2007. See page 6 and the *Practitioners' Guide* for further guidance.

	Year ending		Notes and guidance for compilers
	31 March 2006 £	31 March 2007 £	
1 Balances brought forward	2155	3242	Total balances and reserves at the beginning of the year as recorded in the council's financial records. Value must agree to Box 7 of previous year.
2 (+) Annual precept	3250	3250	Total amount of precept received in the year.
3 (+) Total other receipts	86	107	Total income or receipts as recorded in the cashbook minus the precept. Includes support, discretionary and revenue grants.
4 (-) Staff costs	944	1632	Total expenditure or payments made to and on behalf of all council employees. Include salaries and wages, PAYE and NI (employees and employers), pension contributions and related expenses.
5 (-) Loan interest/capital repayments	0	0	Total expenditure or payments of capital and interest made during the year on the council's borrowings (if any).
6 (-) Total other payments	1304	1327	Total expenditure or payments as recorded in the cashbook minus staff costs (line 4) and loan interest/capital repayments (line 5).
7 (=) Balances carried forward	3242	3640	Total balances and reserves at the end of the year. (Must equal (1+2+3) – (4+5+6))
8 Total cash and investments	3242	3640	The sum of all current and deposit bank accounts, cash holdings and investments held as at 31 March – to agree with bank reconciliation.
9 Total fixed assets and long term assets	0	0	The recorded book value at 31 March of all fixed assets owned by the council and any other long term assets e.g. loans to third parties.
10 Total borrowings	0	0	The outstanding capital balance as at 31 March of all loans from third parties (including PWLB).

Trust funds disclosure note – the council acts as sole trustee for and is responsible for managing [a] trust fund[s]/assets. (Readers should note that the figures above do not include any trust transactions.) NO

I certify that the statement of accounts contained in this annual return presents fairly the financial position of the council and its income and expenditure, or properly presents receipts and payments, as the case may be, for the year ended 31 March 2007.

Signed by Responsible Financial Officer:

 Date **09/05/07**

I confirm that these accounts were approved by the council and recorded as council minute reference: **Para 21.4 Min 09/05/07**
 Date **09/05/07**
 Signed by Chair of meeting approving council's accounts:

 Date **09.05.2007.**