

Rossendale Borough Council

Summary of Changes to the Whistleblowing Policy – September 2016

Introduction

1. The Whistle Blowing Policy has been reviewed, minor wording amends have been made throughout the Policy, such as; name and telephone contact details, the appointment of an Investigating Officer to be the single point of contact through-out the process
2. Section 4.2, confidentiality has been added to.
3. Section 6 and 8.3 have been added to advise the Whistle Blower re Data Protection Act.
4. Section 7.2, has been amended to help the Whistle blower to understand the process and manage their expectations of the information that will be shared with them regards their complaint.
5. Section 9.3 relating to a register to record any complaints and outcomes has been added.
6. Section 9, Monitoring and Review has been amended.
7. Section relating to Equality Considerations has been added.
8. Appendix 1 – Raising a Concern Form has been created.