Tees Valley Combined Authority: Register of Members' Interests

As a Member of the Tees Valley Combined Authority, I declare that I have the following disclosable pecuniary and/or non-pecuniary interests.

(Please state 'None' where appropriate, do not leave any boxes blank).

Name: Tania Cooper

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE OF CIRCUMSTANCES

Each Member shall review their individual register of interests before each, submitting any necessary revisions to the Monitoring Officer at the start of the meeting. Any recorded interests relevant to the meeting should also be declared at this point.

Even if a meeting has not taken place a Member must, within 28 clear working days of becoming aware of any change to the interests specified below, provide written notification to the Monitoring Officer, of that change.

***SPOUSE/PARTNER** – In the notice below my spouse or partner means anyone who meets the definition in the Localism Act, i.e. my spouse or civil partner, or a person with whom I am living as a spouse or a person with whom I am living as if we are civil partners, and I am aware that that person has the interest having carried out a reasonable level of investigation. Where your spouse or partner has recently been involved in any activity which would have been declarable, this should be mentioned, with the date the activity ended.

SECTION 1	ANY EMPLOYMENT, OFFICE, TRADE, PROFESSION OR VOCATION CARRIED FOR PROFIT OR GAIN	MYSELF	SPOUSE/PARTNER*
1.1	Name of: ○ your employer(s) ○ any business carried on by you ○ any other role in which you receive remuneration (this includes remunerated roles such as councillors).	Steel Benders UK Ltd	Steel Benders UK Ltd

1.2	Description of employment or business activity.	Steel Forming Services	Steel Forming Services
1.3	The name of any firm in which you are a partner.	Steel Benders UK Ltd (Director/Shareholder) METS Services Ltd (Director/Shareholders)	Steel Benders UK Ltd (Director/Shareholder) METS Services Ltd (Director/Shareholders)
1.4	The name of any company for which you are a remunerated director.	Steel Benders UK Ltd	Steel Benders UK Ltd
SECTION 2	**SPONSORSHIP**	**MYSELF**	**SPOUSE/PARTNER**
2.1	Any financial benefit obtained (other than from the Combined Authority) which is paid as a result of carrying out duties as a Member. This includes any payment or financial benefit from a Trade Union within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 (a).	None	None
SECTION 3	**CONTRACTS**	**MYSELF**	**SPOUSE/PARTNER**

3.1	Any contract for goods, works or services with the Combined Authority which has not been fully discharged by any organisation named at 1.1.	None	**None**
3.2	Any contract for goods, works or services entered into by any organisation named at 1.1 where either party is likely to have a commercial interest in the outcome of business being decided by the Combined Authority.	None	None
SECTION 4	**LAND OR PROPERTY**	**MYSELF**	**SPOUSE/PARTNER**
4.1	Any interest you or any organisation listed at 1.1 may have in land or property which is likely to be affected by a decision made by the Combined Authority This would include, within the area of the Combined Authority: ○ Any interest in any land in the Combined Authority areas, including your place(s) of residency**. Please enter the first part of your postcode, e.g. DL1, and the Local Authority where the property resides, e.g. Darlington.** ○ Any tenancy where the landlord is the Combined Authority, and the tenant is a body in which the relevant person has an interest. ○ Any licence for a month or longer to occupy land owned by the Combined Authority. For property interests, please state the first part of the postcode and the Local Authority where the property resides. If you own/lease more than one	TS22 (4 properties), TS25 (1 property), TS23 (2 properties), TS21 (1 property) None None	TS22 (4 properties), TS25 (1 property), TS23 (2 properties), TS21 (1 property) **None** **None**

	property in a single postcode area, please state this.		
SECTION 5	**SECURITIES**	**MYSELF**	**SPOUSE/PARTNER**
5.1	Any interest in securities of an organisation under 1.1 where: - (a) that body (to my knowledge) has a place of business or land in the area of the Combined Authority; and (b) either – (i) the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body; or (ii) if the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which has an interest exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.	None None None	None None None
SECTION 6	**GIFTS AND HOSPITALITY**	**MYSELF**	**SPOUSE/PARTNER**
6.1	Any gifts and/or hospitality received as a result of membership of the Combined Authority (above the value of £25).	**None**	**None**

OTHER INTERESTS

Membership of Organisations

I am a member of, or I am in a position of general control, a trustee of, or participate in the management of:

1. Any body to which I have been appointed or nominated by the Combined Authority:

Employment, Education and Skills Sub Committee for TVCA

2. Any body exercising functions of a public nature (e.g. school governing body or another Combined Authority):

Board Member for Business Durham Advisory Board Steering Committee Member – North East Regional Defence and Security Cluster Founding Member – Tees Maritime Cluster

3. Any body directed to charitable purposes:

Chair – North East STEM Foundation

4. Any body, one of whose principal purposes includes the influence of public opinion or policy **(INCLUDING ANY POLITICAL PARTY OR TRADE UNION):**

None

5. Any local authority (please state any interests you hold as LA leaders/cabinet members for LA land, resources and the LA's commercial interests):

None

6. Any other interest which I hold which might reasonably be likely to be perceived as affecting my conduct or influencing my actions in relation to my role.

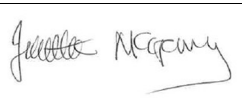
None that I am aware of

MEMBER'S DECLARATION AND SIGNATURE

I confirm that having carried out reasonable investigation, the information given above is a true and accurate record of my relevant interests, given in good faith and to the best of my knowledge;

Please ensure that you have signed and dated this document.

Date	11th May 2026
Member's Name *(Capitals – in full)*	TANIA COOPER
Signature	

RECEIPT BY MONITORING OFFICER

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