

Dear Sir / Standards Committee.

1. I do not agree that I was part off a committee that organised a charity cricket match to be held on the 4<sup>th</sup> May 2009.
2. I did not at any time ask any one for a donation to my Mayoral charities.
3. I do agree that I was in the Old Oak public house on the 13<sup>th</sup> of January and that I was asked to give advice as a councillor and I gave that advice openly and freely as I would to any member of the public.
4. As I was not a member of that committee and did not take part in any way in its formation or activities, I do not agree that I should have declared an interest at the area committee meeting.

I will be in my defence of the above producing witnesses that will testify that that I was not involved or a member of the above committee.

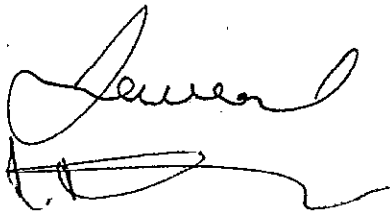
Yours sincerely  
Councillor Barrie Yates.



Charity Cricket Match Committee.

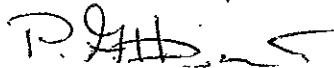
If you agree with my stament to the Standards Committee to be true and correct that I, Councillor Barrie Yates was not a member of your committee and did not take any part in its organisation and did not ask for any donation to my Mayoral charities and only gave informal advice to you, please acknowledge this by signing below.

Councillor Jim Marsh.



Mr Les Simpson.

Mr Paul Abbott.



Mr Greg Gorrell.

