

SHOTLEY PARISH COUNCIL

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RESPONSE TO FORMAL COMPLAINT

The Shotley Parish Council has received a Formal Complaint concerning the wording used in the minutes of its meeting of 19th October 2017.

The complaint refers to the use of the word 'Volatile' in paragraph 6 (vii).

After consideration, the Complaints Committee wishes to publish the following:

The Shotley Parish Council wishes it to be noted that the use of the word 'Volatile' was meant to illustrate the increase in by-elections for a very small number of parishes over the last two years.

The Shotley Parish Council apologises unreservedly for any misunderstanding or offence this may have caused.