

## **9. General principles of official conduct**

The principles of conduct that are to be observed by all public sector bodies and employees are that they —

- (a) are to comply with the provisions of —
  - (i) this Act and any other Act governing their conduct;
  - (ii) public sector standards and codes of ethics; and
  - (iii) any code of conduct applicable to the public sector body or employee concerned;
- (b) are to act with integrity in the performance of official duties and are to be scrupulous in the use of official information, equipment and facilities; and
- (c) are to exercise proper courtesy, consideration and sensitivity in their dealings with members of the public and employees.