

## Solent Evangelical Church Data Protection Policy

### Appendix 4 – Data Protection Complaints Process

Solent Evangelical Church (“we”) take your privacy concerns seriously. If you have any concerns about the way your information is being handled, please contact Ron Bygrave without delay. He can be contacted as follows:

Phone number: 023 92525128

Email address: ronbygrave@aol.co.uk

We will carefully investigate and review all complaints and take appropriate action in accordance with Data Protection Legislation. We will keep you informed of the progress of our investigation and the outcome. If you are not satisfied with the outcome, you may wish to contact the Information Commissioner’s Office at <https://ico.org.uk/concerns/>

Any complaint received by us must be referred to Ron Bygrave who will arrange for an investigation as follows:

1. A record will be made of the details of the complaint.
2. Consideration will be given as to whether the circumstances amount to a breach of Data Protection Legislation and action taken in accordance with the Data Breach Procedure.
3. The complainant will be kept informed of the progress of the complaint and of the outcome of the investigation.
4. At the conclusion of the investigation Ron Bygrave will reflect on the circumstances and recommend any improvements to systems or procedures.

Policy adopted on .....

(Date of Church Trustees/Leaders meeting)

Reviewed on.....