

**Medway Council**  
**Meeting of School Transport and Curriculum Appeals**  
**Committee**

**Thursday, 10 November 2016**

**9.30am to 12.30pm**

**Record of the meeting**

**Subject to approval as an accurate record at the next meeting of this committee**

**Present:** Councillors: Cooper, Franklin, Gilry, Royle (Chairman) and Griffin

**In Attendance:** Councillor Jane Chitty, Present as Ward Councillor for Case ST687  
Shelley Marsh, Student Services Operations Manager  
Michael Turner, Democratic Services Officer

**422 Apologies for absence**

There were no apologies for absence.

**423 Record of meeting**

The record of the meeting held on 5 October 2016 was agreed and signed by the Chairman as correct.

**424 Urgent matters by reason of special circumstances**

There were none.

**425 Declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests**

Disclosable pecuniary interests

There were none.

Other interests

There were none.

**426 School Transport and Curriculum Appeals Committee - Terms of reference**

The report was noted.

**427 Exclusion of the press and public**

The Committee agreed that the press and public be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the exempt material relating to agenda item 7 because consideration of these matters in public would disclose information falling within one or more categories of exempt information contained in Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 as specified in agenda item 7 and, in all the circumstances of the case, the Committee considered that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information.

**428 Home to school transport appeals - matters for decision**

**Discussion:**

Members were advised that since the agenda had been despatched Case ST686 had, with the agreement of the appellant, been deferred.

The Committee considered 3 appeals in respect of the provision of home to school transport.

**Decision:**

- (a) That case number ST687, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.
- (b) That case number ST688 as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.
- (c) That case number ST689 as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was not upheld.

**Chairman**

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