

Medway Council
Meeting of School Transport and Curriculum Appeals
Committee

Thursday, 13 July 2017

9.30am to 12.20pm

Record of the meeting

Present: Councillors: Cooper, Gilry, Mrs Josie Iles, Royle (Chairman) and Griffin

In Attendance: Simon Harrington, Programme Lead, School Services
Kyle Rogers, Paralegal (Education)
Michael Turner, Democratic Services Officer

151 Apologies for absence

There were no apologies for absence.

152 Record of meeting

The record of the meeting held on 14 June 2017 was agreed and signed by the Chairman as correct.

153 Urgent matters by reason of special circumstances

There were none.

154 Declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests

Disclosable pecuniary interests

There were none.

Other interests

There were none.

155 School Transport and Curriculum Appeals Committee - Terms of reference

The report was noted.

156 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.

157 Home to school transport appeals - matters for decision

Discussion:

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

Decision:

- (a) That case number ST 697, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.
- (b) That case number ST 700, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was not upheld.
- (c) That case number ST 699, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.
- (d) That case number ST 696, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld for a fixed period, ie until the end of Term 4 in the following Academic Year.

Chairman

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