

Medway Council
Meeting of School Transport and Curriculum Appeals
Committee

Thursday, 7 September 2017

9.15am to 4.15pm

Record of the meeting

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

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

Substitutes: None.

In Attendance: Simon Harrington, Programme Lead, School Services
Jon Pitt, Democratic Services Officer
Wendy Vincent, Head of Service – SEN and Disability
Kyle Rogers, Paralegal (Education)

284 Apologies for absence

There were none.

285 Urgent matters by reason of special circumstances

There were none.

286 Declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests

Disclosable pecuniary interests

There were none.

Other interests

There were none.

287 School Transport and Curriculum Appeals Committee - Terms of reference

The report was noted.

288 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.

289 Home to school transport appeals - matters for decision

Discussion:

The Committee considered 7 appeals in respect of the provision of home to school transport.

Decision:

- (a) That case number ST701, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.
- (b) That case number STSEN6, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.
- (c) That case number ST710, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was deferred for a route assessment to be undertaken.
- (d) That case number ST711 as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was deferred for a route assessment to be undertaken.
- (e) That case number ST712 as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was not upheld.
- (f) That case number ST713 as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.
- (g) That case number ST714 as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.

Chairman

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