

Medway Council
Meeting of School Transport and Curriculum Appeals
Committee

Thursday, 30 November 2017

9.30am to 12.00pm

Record of the meeting

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

Substitutes: None.

In Attendance: Simon Harrington, Programme Lead, School Services
Jon Pitt, Democratic Services Officer
Kyle Rogers, Trainee Solicitor

526 Apologies for absence

There were no apologies for absence.

527 Record of meeting

The record of the meeting held on 9 November was agreed and signed by the Chairman as correct.

528 Urgent matters by reason of special circumstances

There were none.

529 Declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests

Disclosable pecuniary interests

There were none.

Other interests

There were none.

530 School Transport and Curriculum Appeals Committee - Terms of reference

The report was noted.

531 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.

532 Home to school transport appeals - matters for decision

Discussion:

The Committee considered 4 appeals in respect of the provision of home to school transport.

Decision:

- (a) That case number ST727, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld for a fixed period.
- (b) That case number ST726, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was deferred as the parent(s) / guardian(s) were unable to attend.
- (c) That case number ST725, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was not upheld.
- (d) That case number ST723, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was not upheld.

Chairman

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