

Medway Council
Meeting of School Transport and Curriculum Appeals
Committee

Thursday, 19 April 2018

9.30am to 11.00am

Record of the meeting

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

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

Substitutes: None.

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

947 Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Josie Iles.

948 Record of meeting

The record of the meeting held on 8 February 2018 was agreed and signed by the Chairman as correct.

949 Urgent matters by reason of special circumstances

There were none.

950 Declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and Other Significant Interests

Disclosable pecuniary interests

There were none.

Other significant interests

There were none.

Other interests

There were none.

951 School Transport and Curriculum Appeals Committee - Terms of reference

The report was noted.

952 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.

953 Home to school transport appeals - matters for decision

Discussion:

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

Decision:

- (a) That case number ST729, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was deferred for further evidence to be provided.
- (b) That case number ST730, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was not upheld.
- (c) That case number ST731, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was not upheld.

Chairman

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