

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

**Thursday, 1 August 2019**

**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: Carr, Sylvia Griffin, Mrs Josie Iles (Chairman) and Johnson.
- Substitutes:** Councillor Price for Cooper.
- In Attendance:** Simon Harrington-Whitnall, School Admissions and Transport Manager  
Sameera Khan, Assistant Head of Legal Services  
Jon Pitt, Democratic Services Officer

**198 Apologies for absence**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Cooper with Councillor Price substituting.

**199 Record of meeting**

The record of the meeting held on 11 July 2019 was agreed and signed by the Chairman as correct.

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

There were none.

**201 Declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and Other Significant Interests**

Disclosable pecuniary interests

There were none.

Other significant interests (OSIs)

There were none.

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### Other interests

There were none.

### **202 School Transport and Curriculum Appeals Committee - Terms of reference**

The Committee noted the report.

### **203 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.

### **204 Home to school transport appeals - matters for decision**

#### **Discussion:**

The Committee considered 5 appeals in respect of the provision of home to school transport.

#### **Decision:**

- (a) That case number ST760, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was not upheld.
- (b) That case number ST762, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.
- (c) That case number ST763, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.
- (d) That case number ST764, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was not upheld.
- (e) That case number ST765, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld for a fixed period.

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**Chairman**

**Date:**

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