

Medway Council
Meeting of School Transport and Curriculum Appeals
Committee

Thursday, 2 February 2023

9.30am to 11.30am

Record of the meeting

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

Present: Councillors: Mrs Josie Iles (Chairman), Carr (Vice-Chairman),
Sylvia Griffin and Johnson

Substitutes: Councillors:
Price (Substitute for Cooper)

In Attendance: Stephanie Davis, Democratic Services Officer
Victoria O'Neill, Legal Advisor
Laura Phillips, School Admissions and Transport Deputy
Manager - Transport

579 Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence was received from Councillor Cooper. Councillor Price was in attendance as substitute.

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The minutes will be agreed at the next meeting of the Committee.

581 Urgent matters by reason of special circumstances

There were none.

582 Declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and Other Significant Interests

Disclosable pecuniary interests

There were none.

Other significant interests (OSIs)

There were none.

Other interests

There were none.

583 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 6 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 6 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.

584 Home to school transport appeals - matters for decision

Discussion:

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

Decision:

- (a) That case number STA816, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was not upheld.
- (b) That case number STA822 as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.

Chairman

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