### **Medway Council**

# Meeting of School Transport and Curriculum Appeals Committee

## Wednesday, 23 April 2025 9.55am to 10.13am

## Record of the meeting

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

Present: Councillors: Mandaracas (Chairperson), Anang, Barrett,

Coombs and Price

In Attendance: Nicola Couchman, Democratic Services Officer

Victoria O'Neill, Legal Advisor

Sanjiv Thind, Acting Deputy Transport Manager

#### 843 Apologies for absence

There were none.

#### 844 Record of meeting

The record of the meeting held on 20 March 2025 was agreed and signed by the Chairperson as correct.

#### 845 Urgent matters by reason of special circumstances

There were none.

## 846 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.

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#### 847 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.

#### 848 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 STA851, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.
- (b) That case number STA852, as set out in the exempt annex to the agenda, was upheld.

#### Chairperson

Date:

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