

Appeals Sub-Committee – Meeting held on Wednesday, 12th October, 2011.

Present:- Councillors Dale-Gough, Dodds and M S Mann

Apologies for Absence:- Councillor Davis

PART I

1. Election of Chair

Resolved – That Councillor Dodds be appointed Chair for the duration of the meeting.

(Councillor Dodds in the Chair)

2. Declarations of Interest

None.

3. Minutes of the Meeting held on 19th August 2011

The minutes of the meeting held on 19th August 2011 were approved as a correct record.

4. Home to School Transport Policy

Resolved:- That the Home to School Transport Policy for 2011/12 be noted.

5. It is recommended that the Press and Public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the item in Part 2 of the Agenda, as it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information relating to individuals as defined in Paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 (amended).

Resolved:- That the Press and Public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the items in Part 2 of the Agenda, as they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information relating to individuals as defined in Paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 (amended).

6. Home to School Transport Appeals

The Sub-Committee considered a number of appeals against the refusal by officers of applications for home to school transport. The circumstances of each case did not fulfil the necessary criteria for assistance. For each appeal, details were presented by the local authority representative of the reasons for refusal together with the grounds of appeal submitted by the parents of the pupils in question. The Appeals Sub-Committee also considered verbal representations made by Appellants at the hearing. The Appeals were considered under the general home to school transport policy.

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Resolved: That the following decisions be taken in respect of the appeals for home to school transport as set out below:-

APPELLANT	DECISION
TA46-1011	Refused
TA42-1011	Refused
TA43-1011	Refused
TA45-1011	Refused
TA44-1011	Refused
TA47-1011	Allowed
TA41-1011	Refused

Chair

(Note: The Meeting opened at 9.20 am and closed at 12.35 pm)