

Appeals Sub-Committee – Meeting held on Wednesday, 23rd October, 2013.

Present:- Councillors Rasib, Shah and Wright

Apologies for Absence:- Councillor M S Mann

PART I

84. Election of Chair

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

(Councillor Rasib in the Chair)

85. Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

86. Minutes of the last meeting - 11th April 2013

Resolved – That the minutes of the meeting held on 11th April 2013 be approved as a correct record.

87. Appeals Sub Committee Procedure for hearing Home to School Transport Appeals

Resolved – That the Appeals Sub-Committee procedure for hearing Home to School Transport Appeals be noted.

88. Home to School Transport Policy

Resolved – That the Home to School Transport Policy be noted.

89. Exclusion of the Press and Public

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).

90. 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

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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.

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

Appellant	Decision
TA33-1213	Refused
TA34-1213	Refused
TA35-1213	Allowed
TA36-1213	Allowed
TA37-1213	Refused
TA38-1213	Allowed

Chair

(Note: The Meeting opened at 10.00 am and closed at 12.30 pm)