

Appeals Sub-Committee – Meeting held on Friday, 23 November, 2018

Present:- Councillors M Holledge, Smith and Rasib

Apologies for Absence:- Councillor Davis.

PART I

51. Election of Chair

Resolved - That Councillor Smith be appointed Chair for the duration of the meeting.

(Councillor Smith in the Chair)

52. Declarations of Interest

Councillor Rasib declared that one of the appellants resided in his ward but was not personally known to him.

53. Guidance on Predetermination/ Predisposition - To Note

Resolved - That Members confirmed that they had read and understood the guidance on predetermination and predisposition.

54. Minutes of the Meeting held on 2 November 2018

Resolved - That the minutes of the meeting held on 2 November 2018 be approved as a correct record.

55. Appeals Sub Committee Procedure for hearing a Transport Appeal

Resolved - That the Members confirmed that the Appeals Sub-Committee Procedure for hearing Home to School Transport Appeals had been read and understood.

56. Home to School Transport Policy

Resolved - That the Members confirmed that the Home to School Transport Policy had been read and understood.

57. Exclusion of 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).

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58. 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 and written 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
TA12-1819	Withdrawn
TA23-1819	Refused
TA24-1819	Refused
TA25-1819	Allowed

Chair

(Note: The Meeting opened at 10.10 am and closed at 12.18 pm)