

## **DORSET COUNCIL - APPEALS COMMITTEE**

### **MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON FRIDAY 8 NOVEMBER 2019**

**Present:** Cllrs Nocturin Lacey-Clarke (Chairman), Carole Jones (Vice-Chairman), Mike Barron, David Gray, Stella Jones and Howard Legg

**Apologies:** Cllrs Paul Harrison, Nick Ireland, Paul Kimber, Emma Parker, Jane Somper and John Worth

**Officers present (for all or part of the meeting):**

Emily Bearman (Casework Officer, School Admissions), Vicky Diaz (Transport Team Manager), Simon Horlock (Transport Development Support Officer) and Liz Eaton (Democratic Services Officer)

**14. Declarations of Interest**

No declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests were made at the meeting.

**15. Public Participation**

There were no public questions or statements received at the meeting.

**16. Urgent items**

There were no urgent items.

**17. Exempt Business**

Decision

That the press and the public be excluded for the following item(s) in view of the likely disclosure of exempt information within the meaning of Paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 12 A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).

**18. School Transport Appeals (Paragraphs 1 and 2)**

The Committee considered a number of appeals against the Council's refusal to provide pupils with transport support.

**Resolved**

1. That the appeal on behalf of BC against the Council's refusal to provide transport support between her home and Sturminster Newton High School, be allowed until the end of term July 2020.
2. That the appeal on behalf of SB-T against the Council's refusal to provide transport support between her home and Queen Elizabeth's School, be refused.

3. That the appeal on behalf of IC against the Council's refusal to provide transport support between her home and Queen Elizabeth's School, be allowed until the end of term July 2020.
4. That the appeal on behalf of M-MB against the Council's refusal to provide transport support between her home and Queen Elizabeth's School, be refused.
5. That the appeal on behalf of EG against the Council's refusal to provide transport support between their home and Weymouth College, be refused.
6. That the appeal on behalf of AH against the Council's refusal to provide transport support between her home and St Andrew's CE VA Primary School, be refused.

**Duration of meeting:** 10.00 am - 12.17 pm

**Chairman**

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