

BOURNEMOUTH, CHRISTCHURCH AND POOLE COUNCIL
APPEALS COMMITTEE

Minutes of the Meeting held on 02 December 2021 at 10.00 am

Present:-

Cllr S C Anderson – Chairman

Cllr N Hedges – Vice-Chairman

Present: Cllr M Le Poidevin and Cllr P Hilliard

64. Apologies

Apologies for absence had been received from Councillors Filer and Miles and Councillors Hedges and Hilliard were attending.

65. Substitute Members

There were no substitute members.

66. Declarations of Interests

No declarations of interest were received on this occasion.

67. Confirmation of Minutes

The sets of minutes of the meetings held on 3 and 17 November 2021 will be considered at the meeting of the Appeals Committee, to be held on 6 January 2022.

68. Exclusion of the Press and Public

RESOLVED that:- The Committee excluded the Press and Public for item 6 of the Agenda under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds of the likely disclosure of exempt information, as defined in Paragraphs 1 and 2 in Part I of Schedule 12A of the Act, as the public interest in withholding the information outweighs such interest in disclosing the information.

69. Home to School Transport Appeal - Bournemouth Resident

Exempt Report as defined in Paragraphs 1 and 2 in Part I of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

The Committee considered an appeal against the refusal to provide home to school transport assistance in the form of a school administered minibus, as detailed in the report, a copy of which had been circulated to each Member and a copy of which appears as Appendix A to these minutes in the Minute Book.

DECISION MADE:

In considering the appeal, the Committee had regard to all the supporting information provided by the Local Authority and the appellant, including the verbal submissions made by the Local Authority and the appellant at the meeting.

RESOLVED that having taken careful note of all the evidence presented by all parties, the appeal, in respect of the appellant named in the report, be not granted.

The Committee found that the home to school transport policy had been applied correctly and agreed that there were no exceptional circumstances to depart from the home to school transport policy on this occasion.

Voting: unanimous.

The meeting ended at 10.55 am

CHAIRMAN