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To: The Chairman and Members of

the Appeals Committee

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APPEALS COMMITTEE

Monday, 6th February, 2017

A meeting of the Appeals Committee is to be held on the above date, at 9.45 am in the Committee Suite - County Hall to consider the following matters.

> **P NORREY** Chief Executive

AGENDA

1 Minutes (Pages 1 - 2)

Minutes of the meeting held on 9 January 2017 attached.

PART 1 - OPEN COMMITTEE

- 2 Apologies for Absence
- 3 Items Requiring Urgent Attention

Items which, in the opinion of the Chairman, should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency.

PART 11 - ITEMS WHICH MAY BE TAKEN IN THE ABSENCE OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

4 Exclusion of the Press and Public

> Recommendation: that the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 12A of the Act, namely information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual relating to their financial affairs and in accordance with Section 36 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 by virtue of the fact that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

5 Budget Monitoring

Head of Services for Communities to report.

6 School Transport Appeals

Timetable attached, together with briefing notes prepared by the Head of Education and Learning and representations from appellants.

Members are reminded that Part II Reports contain confidential information and should therefore be treated accordingly. They should not be disclosed or passed on to any other person(s). Members are also reminded of the need to dispose of such reports carefully and are therefore invited to return them to the Democratic Services Officer at the conclusion of the meeting for disposal.

MEMBERS ARE REQUESTED TO SIGN THE ATTENDANCE REGISTER

Membership

Councillors J Knight (Chairman), J Hawkins, S Randall-Johnson, E Wragg and R Julian

Declaration of Interests

Members are reminded that they must declare any interest they may have in any item to be considered at this meeting, prior to any discussion taking place on that item.

Access to Information

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Agenda Item 1

APPEALS COMMITTEE 9/01/17

APPEALS COMMITTEE

9 January 2017

Present:-

Councillors J Knight (Chairman), J Hawkins, S Randall-Johnson, E Wragg and R Julian

* 43 Minutes

RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting held on 12 December 2016 be signed as a correct record.

* 44 Items Requiring Urgent Attention

There were no items requiring urgent attention.

* 45 Exclusion of the Press and Public

RESOLVED that the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 12A of the Act, namely information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual relating to their financial affairs and in accordance with Section 36 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 by virtue of the fact that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

* 46 Budget Monitoring

(An item taken under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 during which the press and public were excluded)

The Committee received the Report of the Head of Services for Communities on the financial impact of the Committee's decisions for the current financial year 2016/17.

* 47 <u>Deferred Appeals</u>

(An item taken under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 during which the press and public were excluded)

The Committee considered the recommendation of members who had inspected the following and now confirmed the routes were available:-

ST 71 HL Little Torrington - Great Torrington School

ST 73 TC & Westward Ho - Bideford College. JC

RESOLVED that the appeals in respect of the above be refused.

* 48 <u>School Transport Appeals</u>

(An item taken under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 during which the press and public were excluded)

The Committee considered reports from the Head of Education & Learning on appeals and written and verbal submissions from appellants who attended as follows:-

Agenda Item 1

APPEALS COMMITTEE 9/01/17

ST 75 RF & Bovey Tracey - Heathfield St Catherine's RC Ms F HF

ST 77 RE & Marldon - Paignton Kings Ash Academy Mrs E LE

RESOLVED:-

(a) that the following appeal(s) be refused:-

ST 75 RF & Bovey Tracey - Heathfield St Catherine's RC Ms F HF

(b) that the following appeal(s) be deferred due to new information:-

ST 77 RE & Marldon - Paignton Kings Ash Academy
LE Mrs E, Mr E, Mrs E snr
Cllr Rowe

(c) that the following appeal(s) be deferred at the parents' request:-

ST 76 SR Newton St Cyres - Bicton College

ST 70 RT Barnstaple - Exeter College

*DENOTES DELEGATED MATTER WITH POWER TO ACT

The Meeting started at 10.00 am and finished at 12.00 pm