

## **EDUCATION TRANSPORT APPEALS SUB-COMMITTEE**

**TUESDAY, 13 DECEMBER 2011**

PRESENT:- Councillors Andrew Bennett, Junab Ali and Sinead Darker.

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Doreen Dart.

### **43. Appointment of Chair**

Resolved – That Councillor Andrew Bennett be Chair of the Sub-Committee.

(Councillor Bennett took the Chair).

### **44. Declarations of Interest**

The Chair reminded Members of the need to declare any known interests in any matters to be considered at the meeting. No declarations were made.

### **45. Minutes**

Resolved – That the minutes of the meetings held on 21<sup>st</sup> November 2011, be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

### **46. Exempt Items - Exclusion of Press and Public**

Resolved - That, in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded during the discussion of the matters referred in Agenda Item 5 on the grounds that it would involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act, and that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information concerned (Minute 47 refers).

### **47. Home to School Transport Appeals**

On consideration of (a) a report of the Group Director, Children setting out education transport appeals that officers could not determine under delegated authority, and (b) the comments of parents attending the meeting and their written submissions.

Resolved – (1) That, due to the exceptional circumstances outlined in the appeal, appeal number TA/11/434 be upheld.

(2) That, due to there being no exceptional circumstances, appeal number TA/11/495 be refused.