# SOUTHEND-ON-SEA BOROUGH COUNCIL

### Meeting of Appeals Committee B

#### Date: Thursday, 7th October, 2021 Place: Committee Room 1 - Civic Suite

Present:Councillor T Cowdrey (Chair)<br/>Councillors K Evans, K Robinson, \*T Cox and \*D Garne

\*Substitute in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 31.

- In Attendance: R Harris and A Smith
- **Start/End Time:** 9.30 am 1.00 pm

## 391 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Walker (substitute: Cllr Garne), Warren (substitute: Cllr Cox) and Stafford.

#### **392** Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest at this meeting.

#### 393 Exclusion of the Public

Resolved:-

That, under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the items of business set out below, on the grounds that they would involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Act and that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

#### 394 School Transport Appeal - AD

The Committee considered a report of the Executive Director (Children and Public Health), together with supporting correspondence from the parent of pupil AD, in connection with applications for home to school transport assistance.

The appellant was in attendance and presented their case and reasons. The appellant was supported by Councillor Habermel.

Resolved:

That the appeal be upheld and home to school transport assistance be granted for pupil AD.

## 395 School Transport Appeal - OK

The Committee considered a report of the Executive Director (Children and Public Health), together with supporting correspondence from the parent of pupil OK, in connection with applications for home to school transport assistance.

The appellant was in attendance and presented their case and reasons. The appellant was supported by Councillor Ward.

Resolved:

That the appeal be upheld and home to school transport assistance be granted for pupil OK.

Chair: