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## Decision Summary

**Committee:**  
**Date:**  
**Committee Clerk:**  
**TEL:**

**APPEALS PANEL  
TUESDAY 24 MARCH 2026  
Claire Gardiner  
01484 221000**

**Chair**  
Councillor Caroline Holt

**Councillors Attended**  
Councillor Gwen Lowe  
Councillor Alex Vickers

**Attendees**  
Heather Thompson, Appeals Officer

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### **1 Membership of the Panel**

To elect a Chair for the meeting.

To receive apologies for absence from those Members who are unable to attend the meeting.

**RESOLVED –**  
That Councillor Holt be appointed Chair of the meeting.

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### **2 Minutes of Previous Meeting**

To approve the Minutes of the meeting of the Panel held on the 10<sup>th</sup> February 2026.

**RESOLVED –**  
That the Minutes of the meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2026 be approved as a correct record.

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## **6 School Transport Appeal (Pre-16) - LS**

This report is recommended for consideration in private because the information contained in it is exempt information within Paragraph 1 of part 1 to schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 as amended by the Local Government (access to Information) variation order 2006. It is considered the report contains information relating to any individual.

The public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosure of the information in terms of accountability, transparency and openness in council decision making.

To consider the appeal at 9:30am

### **RESOLVED –**

That the appeal in respect of LS be upheld.

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## **5 School Transport Appeal (Pre-16) - MSA & MAA**

This report is recommended for consideration in private because the information contained in it is exempt information within Paragraph 1 of part 1 to schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 as amended by the Local Government (access to Information) variation order 2006. It is considered the report contains information relating to any individual.

The public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosure of the information in terms of accountability, transparency and openness in council decision making.

To consider the appeal at 10:15am

### **RESOLVED –**

That the appeal in respect of MSA & MAA be refused.

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