APPEALS SUB-COMMITTEE

Tuesday, 6 September 2011

Present:

Councillors J Hale AER Jones M Johnston

13 APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR

On a motion by Councillor Johnston, seconded by Councillor Hale, it was -

Resolved – That Councillor A Jones take the Chair for this meeting.

14 EXEMPT INFORMATION - EXCLUSION OF MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

Resolved - That, under section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined by paragraph 1 of Part I of Schedule 12A (as amended) to that Act. The public interest test has been applied and favours exclusion.

15 DISMISSAL APPEAL

The Sub-Committee convened to consider the appeal by an employee in the Technical Services Department against the decision of the Director to dismiss him from his current post. The appellant was represented by Mr Nelson, solicitor with Haworth and Gallagher.

Having heard the case put forward by the department and then the appellant's case, but prior to the conclusion of cross-examination, the solicitor for the appellant then requested that the Sub-Committee adjourn, to enable written medical evidence to be obtained regarding the appellant's health prior to 16 November, 2010.

Resolved – That the Sub-Committee adjourn until a date mutually convenient for Members, the Director, appellant and his solicitor following receipt of the written medical evidence.