



**maintaining confidentiality outweighed the public interest in disclosure because of the need to protect the identity of the applicant and the family.**

The Panel considered the written representations of the appellant in respect of the refusal of the Stage 1 Review Panel to grant W.D. & D.D. free school transport to a school which was not the nearest or LEA designated school for the home address and therefore, did not meet the criteria outlined in the Council's policy for the provision of assistance.

The Panel considered the individual circumstances of the case, together with the observations of the departmental officers.

**RESOLVED that the appeal submitted by W.D. & D.D. for free Home to School Transport be upheld.**

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**CHAIR**

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**DATE**

Note: These minutes are subject to confirmation at the next meeting.