MINUTE

of

APPEALS COMMITTEE

Minute of Meeting held at 10.00am in the Committee Room, Council Headquarters, Giffnock on 21 March 2019.

Present:

Councillor Betty Cunningham (Vice Chair)
Councillor Barbara Grant
Councillor Stewart Miller

Councillor Barbara Grant Councillor Annette Ireland

Councillor Cunningham in the Chair

Attending:

Gerry Mahon, Chief Officer – Legal and Procurement; Alison Findlay, Policy and Employment Law Adviser; and Paul O'Neil, Committee Services Officer.

Apology:

Councillor Angela Convery.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

839. There were no declarations of interest intimated.

Resolution to Exclude Press and Public

At this point in the meeting, on the motion of the Chair, the committee unanimously resolved that in accordance with the provisions of Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, as amended, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 1 of Part I of Schedule 7A to the Act.

DISMISSAL APPEAL - HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE PARTNERSHIP

840. The Appellant appeared, accompanied by a friend, in connection with her appeal. Candy Millard, Head of Health and Social Care Localities appeared on behalf of management.

Both parties made their submissions to the Committee and were heard in answer to questions on their submissions, during which Ms Gayle Smart, Localities Intensive Services Manager, entered the meeting as a witness for management and was heard in response to questions from both parties and Elected Members.

Following consideration, both parties were recalled and advised by the Chair that the Committee had agreed that the grounds of the appeal had not been substantiated and that the appeal was not upheld.

CHAIR