

APPEALS COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD AT THE COUNCIL OFFICES, DUFFRYN HOUSE, YSTRAD MYNACH ON THURSDAY, 9TH AUGUST 2007 AT 9.00 AM

PRESENT:

Councillor J.R. Davies - Vice Chairman - presiding

Councillors:

D.M. Gray, K. Lloyd, G.R. Price, Mrs. J.A. Pritchard, A.S. Williams

Together with:

G. Hardacre (Head of People Management), D. Perkins (Head of Legal Services)

Also present - A. Williams (Assistant Director - Resourcing and Performance), L. Haile (Principal Personnel Officer)

The Applicant

APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor A.J. Pritchard.

1. TO CONSIDER AND DETERMINE AN APPEAL AGAINST DISMISSAL - KO'H

Members considered the public interest test certificate from the Proper Officer and concluded that on balance the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information and it was

RESOLVED that in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 the public be excluded from the remainder of the meeting because of the likely disclosure to them of exempt information as identified in paragraph 12 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

Members were concerned that KO'H had not properly understood the process that would be followed at the Appeal hearing. It was therefore agreed that the meeting be adjourned to 9.00 a.m. on Tuesday, 14th August 2007 to enable KOH adequate time to prepare.