

**By:** Peter Sass: Head of Democratic Services  
**To:** Cabinet Scrutiny Committee – 27 June 2011  
**Subject:** Proposals to Change the Discretionary Elements of Home to School Transport Provision

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### **Background**

(1) Members wish to examine in detail the specific impacts upon children from low-income families, the over-representation of consultation respondents living in affluent areas and what was done to mitigate this, and the discretionary element of the policy which is dependent on children from low-income families attending the nearest grammar school.

### **Guests**

(1) Mrs S Hohler, Cabinet Member, Education, Learning and Skills, Mr A Roberts, Interim Corporate Director, Education, Learning and Skills and Mr S Bagshaw, Head of Admissions and Transport have been invited to attend the meeting between 2.30pm and 3.30pm to answer Members' questions on this item.

### **Options for the Cabinet Scrutiny Committee**

(1) The Cabinet Scrutiny Committee may:

- (a) make no comments
- (b) express comments but not require reconsideration of the decision
- (c) require implementation of the decision to be postponed pending reconsideration of the matter in the light of the Committee's comments by whoever took the decision or
- (d) require implementation of the decision to be postponed pending consideration of the matter by the full Council.

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