

By: Head of Democratic Services  
To: Regulation Committee – 2 September 2014  
Subject: Home to School Transport Appeals update  
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Summary: To provide Members with an overview on Home to School Transport appeal statistics for the period between 1 January 2014 to 20 August 2014 and a brief comparison with transport appeals statistics from 2010 to 2013.

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### **1. Home to School Transport Appeal Statistics 2014**

(1.1) For the period between 1 January 2014 to 20 August 2014 a total of 56 individual appeals were considered by Member Transport Appeal Panels of this Committee. 54% were upheld at least in part (e.g. time limited assistance). A breakdown of these appeals on a month by month basis is set out in Appendix 1 along with a comparison with appeals held in 2010 to 2013.

(1.2) There are a further 45 appeals that are still waiting to be heard. These have been scheduled for September 2014.

### **2. Transport Appeal Statistics – 2013**

(2.1) For the period between 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2013 a total of 109 appeals were considered by Transport Appeal Panels. 30% were upheld at least in part (e.g. time-limited assistance).

(2.2) It is interesting to note that in 2013 60% of the total number appeals were heard between August – 31 December 2013.

<b>3. Recommendation</b> Members are asked to note this report.
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**TABLE 1  
HOME TO SCHOOL  
TRANSPORT APPEALS -1 JANUARY – 20 August 2014**

<b>Month</b>	<b>Upheld</b>	<b>Not Upheld</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>% Upheld</b>
January	8	2	10	80%
February	3	2	5	60%
March	3	4	7	43%
April	2	4	6	33%
May	6	1	7	86%
June	3	4	7	43%
July	4	3	7	57%
August (on 20 <sup>th</sup> )	1	6	7	14%
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>54%</b>

**TABLE 2  
HOME TO SCHOOL TRANSPORT APPEALS - 2010-2013**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Upheld</b>	<b>Not Upheld</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>% Upheld</b>
2010	38	46	84	45%
2011	23	43	66	35%
2012	26	80	106	24%
2013	33	76	109	30%