

**APPENDIX XIII**

**EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL**

**APPEALS SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE**

**MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON FRIDAY 15 AUGUST 1997 AT 1315 HRS  
IN MEETING ROOM 2, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS,  
LONDON ROAD, KILMARNOCK**

**PRESENT:** Councillors Eric Jackson, Robert Beattie, Daniel Coffey and Jimmy Boyd.

**ATTENDING:** Iain McLachlan, Director of Personnel Services; and Julie Armstrong, Senior Administrative Officer.

**CHAIR:** Councillor Eric Jackson, Chair.

**EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

1. The Sub-Committee resolved that under 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 Schedule 7A of the Act.

**GRIEVANCE APPEAL NO 1/97**

**2.1 SUBMISSIONS**

There was submitted a report dated 6 August 1997 (circulated) by the Director of Personnel Services on the background to the grievance appeal in relation to a member of staff within the Commercial Operations Department.

**2.2 CONSIDERATION OF APPEAL**

After hearing both parties, the Sub-Committee agreed that the grounds of the grievance appeal had not been substantiated and the appeal was not upheld.

Councillor Coffey intimated his dissent to the decision.

The meeting terminated at 1415 hrs.