

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

EMERGENCY POWERS COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 10 SEPTEMBER 1998 AT 1120 HOURS IN THE MEETING ROOM, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS, LONDON ROAD, KILMARNOCK

PRESENT: Councillors Drew McIntyre, Provost Robert Stirling, Councillors Daniel Coffey, Eric Ross and James Boyd.

ATTENDING: Fiona Lees, Depute Chief Executive; Barbara Haughan, Director of Support Services; Roddy Wallace, Head of Administration; Kate McVey, Head of Legal Services; John Griffith, Head of Leisure Services and Julie Armstrong, Senior Administrative Officer.

APOLOGIES: Councillors David Sneller and Douglas Reid.

CHAIR: Councillor Drew McIntyre, Vice-Chair.

EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

1. The 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 9 of Part 1 of Schedule 7A of the Act".

DEAN PARK RIDING CENTRE

2. There was submitted a joint report dated 1 September 1998 (circulated) by the Directors of Community Services and of Support Services on the results of the marketing exercise carried out in connection with the above property and which sought approval for the award of a lease for the property to the most suitable applicant.

It was agreed:-

- (i) to accept the bid by the applicant detailed in the report for the lease of the Riding Centre at Dean Castle Country Park;
- (ii) that the Head of Legal Services conclude a lease agreement incorporating the conditions contained in the report;
- (iii) that T.V.P.E apply in this case; and
- (iv) otherwise to note the terms of the report.

The meeting terminated at 1125 hours.