

Bury Metropolitan Borough Council

To: CHIEF EXECUTIVE

For Urgent Delivery

For the immediate attention of the Head of Democratic Services , Chief Executive's Department, Town Hall, Bury

From: COUNCILLOR Mike

Connolly.....

NOTICE OF 'CALL-IN' OF A LEADER/CABINET MEMBER DECISION

in accordance with the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules in the Council Constitution

This notice shall require the Chief Executive to call a meeting of the appropriate Scrutiny Committee within 5 clear working days of the receipt of this Notice.

DECISION TO BE CALLED IN:

DECISION TAKER	Yes Or No			
Cllr R Casserta		Meeting Date:	Minute No:	
Leader/Cabinet Member Decision	YES	12 OCTOBER 2010		
Officer Key Decision				
Subject of Decision Home to School Transport Policy.....Denominational Schools.....				
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Reason for 'Call-In'				
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Please see attached sheet				
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DECISION CALLED IN BY:

(Any 8 Members or the Chair or any 2 or more Members of the appropriate Scrutiny Committee)

Name of Councillor		Signature
1. Trevor Holt	Jane Lewis	<i>Trevor Holt Jane Lewis</i>
Mike Connolly	Alan Matthews	<i>Mike Connolly Alan Matthews</i>
John Smith		<i>John Smith</i>
2. Ann Audin	Alan Quinn	<i>Ann Audin Alan Quinn</i>
Ken Audin	Keith Rothwell	<i>Ken Audin Keith Rothwell</i>
Derek Boden	Rishi Shori	<i>Derek Boden Rishi Shori</i>
3. Dorothy Cassidy	Sandra Walmsley	<i>Dorothy Cassidy Sandra Walmsley</i>
Joan Grimshaw		<i>Joan Grimshaw</i>
Anthony Cummings		<i>Anthony Cummings</i>

Reason for 'Call-In' (continued)

This proposal is a direct attack on Faith Schools and Parents and Carers who choose Faith Schools for their children.

Clearly clashes and does not support the notion of Parental choice

Where do these proposals sit with the Council's Equality and Diversity Policies?

The costings in the document are vague and not detailed enough – need to provide more accurate costings and savings.

The savings in this report are minimal and do not have a major effect on the savings needed, whilst disadvantaging sections of the community.

Why have only denominational schools been singled out for savings?