Notes of:	APPOINTMENTS AND APPEALS COMMITTEE
Venue:	Futures Park, Bacup
Date of Meeting:	1 October 2008
PRESENT:	Councillor Sandiford (in the Chair) Councillor Essex Councillor Crawforth (substituting for Robertson)
IN ATTENDANCE:	Various Officers of the Council were in attendance during the meeting

1. APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR

It was agreed that Councillor Sandiford would Chair the meeting.

2. APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Robertson.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were submitted.

4. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

The Press and Public were excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following item of business on the grounds that it involved the disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraphs 1 and 2 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972.

5. APPEAL

The Committee met to consider a grievance appeal. At this stage Councillor Crawforth left the meeting due to ill health and following a brief adjournment, Councillor Aldred substituted. The meeting then resumed.

Resolved:

That the appeal be dismissed.