FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by

FINAL DECISION

Joseph Tallo,

Complainant

Docket #FIC 2016-0374

against

Superintendent of Schools, Shelton Public Schools; and Shelton Public Schools,

Respondents

December 7, 2016

The above-captioned matter was scheduled for a hearing as a contested case on August 8, 2016, at which time the complainant and respondents appeared. Following a preliminary introduction of the case and review of the hearing procedures on the record, the parties agreed to go off the record to see if they could stipulate to documents as evidence. While off the record, the parties held a settlement conference without the presence of the hearing officer. After the settlement conference, the complainant and the respondents requested that the hearing be continued to provide the parties with an opportunity to reach a possible settlement of the complaint in this matter. The hearing was continued.

The continued hearing was scheduled for September 27, 2016. Subsequently, at the request of the hearing officer, the continued hearing was rescheduled for September 29, 2016. However, by email received on September 16, 2016, the complainant notified the Commission that he wished to withdraw his complaint. The Commission takes administrative notice of such withdrawal.

The following order by the Commission is hereby recommended on the basis of the record concerning the above-captioned complaint:

1. Based on the withdrawal of the complaint, the case is hereby dismissed.

Approved by Order of the Freedom of Information Commission at its regular meeting of December 7, 2016.

Cynthia A. Cannata

Acting Clerk of the Commission

PURSUANT TO SECTION 4-180(c), G.S., THE FOLLOWING ARE THE NAMES OF EACH PARTY AND THE MOST RECENT MAILING ADDRESS, PROVIDED TO THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION, OF THE PARTIES OR THEIR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE.

THE PARTIES TO THIS CONTESTED CASE ARE:

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Superintendent of Schools, Shelton Public Schools; and Shelton Public Schools c/o Christine Chinni, Esq. Chinni & Meuser LLC 1 Darling Drive Avon, CT 06001

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