

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. Norwalk Board of Education

Appearing on behalf of the Parents: Mother, pro se

Appearing on behalf of Norwalk Board of Education: Atty. Marsha Belman Moses, Berchem, Moses & Devlin, P.C., 75 Broad Street, Milford, CT 06460

Appearing before: Attorney Patricia M. Strong, Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

The Parent (Mother) filed a due process hearing request with the Norwalk Board of Education on November 22, 2006. The Board sent a copy to the State Department of Education (SDE) on that date. This Hearing Officer was assigned to the case on November 24. On November 30 a notice of a prehearing conference scheduled for December 8 was sent to the Parent and to the Board's Interim Director of Special Education, Mr. Robert Chiapetta. On November 30 the SDE sent the Hearing Officer a copy of a mediation notice scheduled on December 18. This notice was addressed to the Parent and to the Board's attorney. On December 4 the Hearing Officer received a letter from the Parent stating that she wished to withdraw the request for a hearing. On December 7 the Parent sent a second letter to the Hearing Officer stating that she was withdrawing the hearing request because the matter was resolved by Mr. Chiapetta's office. The mailing date for the decision is February 5, 2007.

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It is ordered that this case be dismissed.