

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. Westport Board of Education

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Appearing before: Attorney Janis C. Jerman  
Hearing Officer

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER**

**SUMMARY:**

This special education hearing was requested via letter dated October 18, 2007 and received on October 29, 2007. The 30-day resolution period ran through November 28, 2007. The parties were scheduled for a resolution meeting on November 28, 2007. The deadline for mailing the final decision and order was January 12, 2008.

The issue in dispute was identified as follows: Must the full educational and therapeutic costs for Student's placement at Deveraux Glenholme School for the relevant portion of 2006-07 school year, 2007 summer program and 2007-08 school year be paid by the Westport Board of Education?

On November 14, 2007, a telephonic pre-hearing conference was held and hearings were scheduled to begin on December 13, 2007. Prior to the hearing convening, the parties resolved the matter. Via e-mail dated December 10, 2007, Student withdrew the due process request without prejudice. Student represents that the matter has settled and that the parties need to prepare, review and execute the final settlement agreement.

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:**

In light of the above facts, the above-captioned case is hereby dismissed without prejudice.