

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. New Haven Board of Education

Appearing on behalf of the Parents: Attorney Erin Shaffer, New Haven Legal Assistance Association, 426 State St., New Haven, CT 06510

Appearing on behalf of the Board: Attorney Marsha Belman Moses, Berchem, Moses & Devlin, 75 Broad St., Milford, CT 06460

Appearing before: Attorney Mary Elizabeth Oppenheim, Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

1. Whether the Board's proposed change of placement of the Student to the Urban Youth Middle School for the 2007-2008 school year is appropriate.
2. If not, whether the Student shall be placed in a therapeutic environment with increased behavioral supports such as Boys and Girls Village Day School, The Children's Center of Hamden (Day Treatment Program), Cedarhurst School or Northwest Village School.

SUMMARY:

The Board received this request for hearing on January 9, 2008 and a prehearing conference was held on January 17. The Parent's attorney submitted a clarification of issue number 2, to which the Board's objection was overruled. On February 5, prior to the first hearing date, the Parent's attorney submitted notification that this matter had settled.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

The matter is **DISMISSED**.