

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. Ridgefield Board of Education

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

Appearing before: Attorney Elisabeth Borrino, Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

1. Whether the Board failed to provide FAPE for 2006-2007 and extended school year 2007,
2. Whether the Board failed to provide FAPE for 2007-2008 and extended school year 2008;
3. Whether the student is entitled to compensatory and related services;
4. Whether the parents should be reimbursed for residential placement for the latter part of the 2006-2007 school year, extended school year 2007, for school year 2007-2008, extended school year 2008, and 2008-2009 school year for such residential placement.
5. Whether the Hearing Officer has jurisdiction over the student's educational placement, including reimbursement for such placement, for summer 2008 and the 2008-2009 school year.

SUMMARY:

The Board received this request for hearing filed by the Parent on April 4, 2008. On April 17, 2008, a Prehearing Conference was held and the matter was scheduled for multiple hearing dates. On May 23, 2008, Counsel for the Parent submitted notification that the parties resolved this matter and withdrew the due process request with prejudice.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

The matter is **DISMISSED**, with prejudice.