

STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Student v. Regional School District No. 17 Board of Education

Appearing on behalf of the Parent: Parent, *pro se*

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Appearing before: Attorney Janis C. Jerman  
Hearing Officer

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER**

On October 23, 2008, the Regional School District No. 17 Board of Education (hereinafter "BOE") filed a request for impartial due process hearing with the State Board of Education. The BOE sought an order supporting denial of the Parent's request for an independent functional behavioral assessment at public expense. The request for impartial due process hearing was not initially sent to the Parent who requested a copy on October 31. The request for impartial due process hearing was mailed to the Parent on November 4.

On November 7, the BOE, through its attorney, filed a request to withdraw the request for impartial due process hearing on the basis that the Parent was no longer requesting an independent functional behavioral assessment.

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In light of the above facts, the above-captioned case is hereby dismissed.