# STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Student v. Milford Board of Education

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Appearing before:

Sylvia Ho, Esq. Hearing Officer

#### FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

## **ISSUES:**

- 1. Did the Board provide appropriate program, including extended year programs for the December 16, 2011-2012, 2012-2013 school years?
- 2. Did the Board offer an appropriate program for the 2013-2014 school year?
- 3. Did the Board offer an appropriate transition program to student?
- 4. Is the Learning Incentive Program appropriate?

## PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:

The Parent filed the Due Process Complaint and Request for Hearing on December 16, 2013. The Hearing Officer was appointed on December 17, 2014 and conducted a Prehearing Conference on December 24, 2013. The hearing was scheduled for February 24, 2014. On February 12, 2014, the Parent's attorney reported to the Hearing Officer that the parties had reached an agreement and that the Parent was withdrawing the Due Process Complaint without prejudice.

## FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

The matter is **DISMISSED** without prejudice.

If the local or regional board of education or the unified school district responsible for providing special education for the student requiring special education does not take action on the findings or prescription of the hearing officer within fifteen days after receipt thereof, the State Board of Education shall take appropriate action to enforce the findings or prescription of the hearing officer.

Appeals from the hearing decision of the hearing officer may be made to state or federal court by either party in accordance with the provisions of Section 4-183, Connecticut General Statutes, and Title 20, United States Code 1415(i)(2)(A).

Hearing Officer Signature

Sylvia Ho

Hearing Officer

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