# STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Student and New Britain Board of Education

Appearing on behalf of the Student:

Parent, Pro Se

Appearing on behalf of the Board of Education:

Attorney Julie Fay

Shipman & Goodwin LLP One Constitution Plaza Hartford, CT 06103

Appearing before:

Attorney Ann F. Bird Hearing Officer

## FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

#### **ISSUE:**

1. Did the New Britain Board of Education fail to comply with a mediated settlement agreement between the parties?

### PROCEDURAL HISTORY:

The Student requested a special education due process hearing on November 6, 2014. This Impartial Hearing Officer was assigned to the case on November 7, 2014. A prehearing conference was conducted on November 20, 2014. The Student's Parent appeared on behalf of the Student and Attorney Julie Fay appeared on behalf of the New Britain Board of Education.

At the conference, the Student stated that the dispute had been fully and finally resolved, and that this case should be dismissed.

#### FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

It is ordered that the Student's request for dismissal is granted and this matter is dismissed.

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

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Hearing Officer

Name in Print