

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. Torrington Board of Education

Appearing on behalf of the Parent:

Paul Mullen
Surrogate Parent

Appearing on behalf of the Board:

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Appearing before:

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Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

1. Did the Board offer an appropriate program at the January 26, 2017 PPT meeting?
2. If not, does Student require a therapeutic placement?

PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:

The Parent filed the Due Process Complaint and Request for Hearing on January 30, 2017. The Hearing Officer was appointed on February 8, 2017 and conducted a Prehearing Conference on February 23, 2017. The hearing was scheduled for April 7, 2017. On March 31, 2017, the Surrogate Parent reported to the Hearing Officer that the parties had reached an agreement at mediation and that the Surrogate Parent was withdrawing the Due Process Complaint with prejudice.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

The matter is **DISMISSED** with prejudice.