

STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Student and Bozrah Board of Education  
and Norwich Free Academy

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Appearing before: Attorney Ann F. Bird  
Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

1. Did the Bozrah Board of Education and/or the Norwich Free Academy deprive the Student of specialized instruction, related services, accommodations and/or modifications necessary to provide him a Free Appropriate Public Education for the 2017-2018 School Year?
  - a. If so, what specialized instruction, related services, accommodations and/or modifications are necessary to provide the Student a Free Appropriate Public Education?
  - b. If so, is the Student entitled to compensatory education?
2. Did the Bozrah Board of Education and/or the Norwich Free Academy unilaterally change the Student's placement in March 2018?
  - a. If so, is the Student entitled to compensatory education and/or what other remedy is appropriate?

PROCEDURAL HISTORY:

The Student initiated this special education due process case on April 10, 2018. This Impartial Hearing Officer was assigned to the case on April 11, 2018. A Prehearing Conference was convened on April 25, 2018. Megan Collins appeared on behalf of the Student. Attorney Kyle McClain appeared on behalf of the Bozrah Board of Education and Attorney Marsha Moses

appeared on behalf of the Norwich Free Academy. It was established that the deadline for filing the final decision in this case is June 23, 2018. Evidentiary hearings were scheduled for July 2, 2018 and July 9, 2018.

On June 15, 2018, the Student filed a Motion to Withdraw this matter as it has been resolved through settlement.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

It is ordered that the Student's Motion to Withdraw is granted and the matter is dismissed with prejudice.