

March 1, 2018

Final Decision and Order 18-0251

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. Avon Board of Education

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Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

1. Whether the Board failed to comply with the substantive and procedural requirements set forth in the IDEA for the 2015-16 School Year?
2. Whether the Board offered FAPE for the 2015-16 School Year?
3. Whether the Board failed to comply with the substantive and procedural requirements set forth in the IDEA 2016-17?
4. Whether the Board offered FAPE for the 2016-17 School Year?

PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:

The Parents brought the Due Process Complaint and Hearing Request on December 18, 2017. The Hearing Officer was appointed on December 21, 2017. A Prehearing Telephone Conference took place on January 26, 2018. On February 28, 2018, the Parents withdrew their Due Process Complaint with prejudice.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

The matter is **DISMISSED**