# STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Student v. Easton Board of Education

Appearing on behalf of the Parent: Parent Pro Se

Appearing on behalf of the Board: Marsha Moses, Esq.

Berchem, Moses & Devlin, PC

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Appearing before: Sylvia Ho, Esq.

Hearing Officer

#### FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

#### **ISSUES:**

1. Did the Board offer an appropriate program for the 2015-2016 school year?

2. Is student academically prepared for the 6<sup>th</sup> grade?

3. Did the Board provide an appropriate program for Student for the 2 years prior to the filing of Hearing request?

## PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:

The Parent filed the Due Process Complaint and Request for Hearing on May 8, 2015. The Hearing Officer was appointed on May 11, 2015 and conducted a Prehearing Conference on June 3, 2015. The hearing was scheduled for July 21, 2015. On June 26, 2015, the Parent reported to the Hearing Officer 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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