

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. Middletown Board of Education

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Appearing before: Robert L. Skelley, Esq.
Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

No issues were identified as this matter was resolved prior to the prehearing conference.

PROCEDURAL HISTORY:

This matter was filed on January 28, 2015 by the Parents. The prehearing conference was set for February 9, 2015. On February 5, 2015, counsel for the Board emailed the Hearing Officer to indicate that the Parties had been successful in mediation and had reached tentative agreement. The Board requested time to memorialize the agreement and to subsequently cancel the prehearing conference. On February 18, 2015, the Parent withdrew the complaint with prejudice.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

With the withdrawal of the complaint by the Parent on February 18, 2015, and with no further issues to be decided, this matter is **DISMISSED**, *with 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

Robert L. Skelley, Esq.

Hearing Officer Name in Print