

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Windham Board of Education v. Student

Appearing on behalf of the Parent:

Parent *pro se*

Appearing on behalf of the Board:

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Appearing before:

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Hearing Officer

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER**

**ISSUES:**

1. Is the Student eligible for special education services?
2. Should the Board be required to provide independent psychiatric, independent functional behavioral assessment, and independent occupational therapy evaluations and independent reading assessment at public expense?

**PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:**

The Board filed the Due Process Complaint and Request for Hearing on June 28, 2013. The mailing date of the Final Decision is August 16, 2013. The Hearing Officer conducted a Prehearing Conference on July 19, 2013. During the Prehearing Conference, the parties reported that they had settled their disagreement. The Board requested that the Hearing Request be dismissed without prejudice.

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:**

The matter is **DISMISSED** without prejudice.