# STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Student v. Wilton Board of Education

Appearing on behalf of the Student:

Parent, Pro se

Appearing on behalf of the Board:

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Appearing before:

Attorney Mary Elizabeth Oppenheim

Hearing Officer

### FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

#### ISSUES:

- 1. Whether the Board failed to identify the Student as eligible for special education and provide the Student with FAPE;
- 2. Whether the Student shall be placed at the Forman School for the 2013-14 school year at Board expense.

## PROCEDURAL HISTORY/DISCUSSION:

This request for hearing was received by the Board on April 25, 2013 and a prehearing conference convened on May 2, 2013. While the Parent was able to participate with the Board's attorney at the prehearing conference, near the conclusion of the prehearing conference, her phone lost its charge and the prehearing conference concluded. A second prehearing conference was scheduled for May 3, 2013. Prior to the second prehearing conference, the Parent submitted notification that she requested that her request for due process be withdrawn without prejudice. Therefore, this matter is dismissed.

## **FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:**

The matter is **DISMISSED**.