

July 13, 2011

Final Decision and Order 11-0460

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. Westport Board of Education

Appearing on behalf of the 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's proposed program for the Student offered at the May 19, 2011 PPT meeting is appropriate;
2. If not, whether the Parents' proposals for the home program and recalibration of baselines for the goals are appropriate revisions to the Student's program.

**PROCEDURAL HISTORY/DISCUSSION:**

This request for hearing was received by the Board on May 20, 2011 and a prehearing conference convened on May 26, 2011. After the prehearing conference and prior to the scheduled hearing date, the Parents submitted notification that they were withdrawing their request for due process with prejudice. Therefore, this matter is dismissed.

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:**

The matter is **DISMISSED**.