

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Board of Education v. Student

Appearing on behalf of the Parent:

*Pro Se*

Appearing on behalf of the Board:

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Appearing before:

Sylvia Ho, Esq.  
Hearing Officer

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER**

**ISSUES:**

1. Was the Board's psychoeducational evaluation appropriate?
2. Is the Board obligated to fund independent psychoeducational evaluations at public expense?

**PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:**


The Board brought the Due Process Complaint and Hearing Request on November 17, 2014. The Hearing Officer was appointed on November 18, 2014. The Hearing Officer conducted a Prehearing Conference on December 3, 2014 and scheduled a hearing for December 19, 2014. On December 19, 2014, the Board's attorney informed the Hearing Officer that the Board was withdrawing its Hearing Request.

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:**

The matter is **DISMISSED**.

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).

  
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Hearing Officer Signature

Sylvia Ho  
Hearing Officer          Name in Print