# STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Student v. Hartford Board of Education

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Hearing Officer

## **FINAL DECISION AND ORDER**

### **ISSUES:**

- 1. Did the Board provide Student with FAPE for five years prior to the filing of the Complaint?
- 2. Did the Board violate the Student's right to a FAPE under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973?
- 3. Did the Board violate the Student's rights under the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1992?
- 4. Did the Board violate the Student's rights of equal protection under the Connecticut and U.S. Constitution?
- 5. Did the Board violate the Student's rights under the Equal Education Opportunity Act of 1974 and/or Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 based upon his national origin?

#### PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:

The Parent filed the Due Process Complaint and Request for Hearing on March 27, 2017. The Hearing Officer was appointed on March 30, 2017 and conducted a Prehearing Conference on April 17, 2017. The hearing was scheduled for May 31, 2017, June 1 and June 2, 2017. The hearing convened on May 31, 2017. The Parent's attorney reported that the parties had settled the dispute and that the Parent was withdrawing the Due Process Complaint with prejudice.

#### **FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:**

The matter is **DISMISSED** with prejudice.