# STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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**Hearing Officer** 

#### FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

### **ISSUES**

I. Whether the child is eligible to be identified as a child in need of special education services?

## PROCEDURAL HISTORY

The Parent through counsel requested a due process hearing. The parties agreed to extend the date for final decision on the record to allow adequate time to negotiate a settlement. They were able to reach agreement in the matter and the Board of Education requested that the matter be dismissed with prejudice. The matter was resolved within 45 days as extended by the parties to pursue settlement negotiations.

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1. The case is dismissed with prejudice.