STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Student v. Greenwich Board of Education

Appearing on Behalf of the Parents: Pro Se

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Appearing Before: Attorney Justino Rosado, Hearing Officer

ISSUES:

- 1. Was the Student improperly exited from special education and related services as defined in Individuals with Disabilities Educational Act (IDEA) 20 U.S.C. §1401 et seq. and Connecticut General Statute §10-76a? If not;
- 2. Is the Student now eligible to receive special education and related services as defined in Individuals with Disabilities Educational Act (IDEA) 20 U.S.C. §1401 et seq. and Connecticut General Statute §10-76a?

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

SUMMARY and PROCEDURAL HISTORY:

The Student is a 10 years and 2 months old boy who has been previously identified with a Specific Learning Disability and is not entitled to receive a free and appropriate public education ("FAPE") as defined in the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) 20 U.S.C. §1401 et seq. and Connecticut General Statute §10-76a.

At a PPT meeting the PPT determined that the Student was no longer eligible to receive special education and related services as defined in the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) 20 U.S.C. §1401 et seq. and Connecticut General Statute §10-76a. The Parent objected and requested that the Student should be identified as a student entitled to receive special education and related services. The Board denied the Parent's request and the Parent filed for due process.

On or about June 26, 2009, the Board received notice of the Parent's request for due process. An impartial hearing officer was appointed on June 24, 2009 and a pre-hearing conference was held on July 1, 2009. A hearing date of August 31, 2009 was chosen by the parties. The parties scheduled a resolution meeting on or about July 7, 2009.

In an electronic transmission dated August 10, 2009, the Parent informed the hearing officer that the matter was unresolved and the Parent requested that the hearing be withdrawn without prejudice. The date for the mailing of the Final Decision and Order is September 19, 2009.

.FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

THE MATTER IS DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE.