

July 6, 2015

Final Decision and Order 15-0578

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Monroe Board of Education v. Student

Appearing on behalf of the Parent: *Pro Se*

Appearing on behalf of the Board: Marsha Moses, Esq.
Berchem, Devlin & Moses, PC
75 Broad Street
Milford, CT 06460

Appearing before: Sylvia Ho, Esq.
Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

1. Was the Board's evaluation appropriate?
2. Is the Parent entitled to an independent educational evaluation at public expense?

PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:

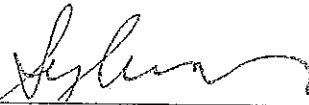
The Board brought the Due Process Complaint and Hearing Request on June 10, 2015. The Hearing Officer was appointed on June 11, 2015. The Hearing Officer wrote the parties and scheduled a Prehearing Conference on June 11, 2015. On June 29, 2015, the Mother notified the Board and Hearing Officer that Parents were withdrawing their request for an independent educational evaluation. On June 30, 2015, the Board withdrew the Due Process Complaint and 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).



Hearing Officer Signature

Sylvia Ho

Hearing Officer

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