### STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Student v. Stratford Board of Education

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# FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

### ISSUES:

- 1. Whether the Board offered FAPE for the 2017-2018 school year, and ESY 2018?
- 2. Whether the Board offered FAPE for the 2018-2019 school year?
- 3. Whether the Parents are entitled to reimbursement for Easton Country Day School and related services for the 2017-2018 school year, and ESY 2018?
- 4. Whether Easton Country Day School is the appropriate placement for 2018-2019 school year to provide the Student FAPE?

## PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:

The Parents filed the Due Process Complaint and Request for Hearing on August 22, 2018. The Hearing Officer was appointed on August 23, 2018, and a prehearing conference was held on September 7, 2018. The mailing date was set to November 6, 2018. On October 4, 2018, the Board emailed the hearing officer and advised that the matter had settled, and on October 16, 2018, the Parents withdrew the matter with prejudice.

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In light of the above, the matter is **DISMISSED**.