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Final Decision and Order 20-0470

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

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Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

1. Did the Board fail to provide the Student with FAPE for June of 2018, as well as the 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 school years?
2. If the District failed to provide FAPE, is the student entitled to an out of district placement at district expense for the 2020-2021 school year?
3. Is the Student entitled to any of the following:
 - psychological testing?
 - psychiatric testing?
 - speech and language testing?
 - academic testing?
4. Is the Student entitled to any of the following home-based services:
 - tutoring?
 - ABA services?
 - counseling services?
 - parent training services?
 - home to school transition support services?
5. Is the Student entitled to any other relief determined to be appropriate by the Hearing Officer?

PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:

The Parents filed the Due Process Complaint and Request for Hearing on June 9, 2020. The Hearing Officer was appointed on June 10, 2020. A Prehearing Conference was held on June 16, 2020. The issues in the case were set forth, and a hearing date was set for September 29, 2020. An extension of the mailing date was granted and new hearing dates of November 6th and 10th were set. The Hearing Officer was notified via email on November 4, 2020 that the parents were withdrawing their request for a due process hearing.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

The matter is **DISMISSED** with prejudice.