

July 29, 2021

Final Decision and Order 21-0413

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**  
**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

**Wilton Board of Education v. Student**

Appearing on behalf of the Student: Parents, self-represented

Appearing on behalf of Wilton Board  
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**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER**

**ISSUE:**

Are the parents entitled to an independent educational evaluation of the Student at public expense?

**PROCEDURAL HISTORY/SUMMARY:**

The Board filed their Due Process Complaint and Request for Hearing on June 14, 2021. The Hearing Officer was appointed on June 16, 2021. On July 14, 2021, via email, the Parents withdrew their request for an independent educational evaluation, without prejudice and the Board withdrew its request for a hearing.

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:**

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