

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. West Hartford Board of Education

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Appearing before: Attorney Christine B. Spak, Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

SUMMARY:

The issues in this matter included unilateral placement in an out of district school. The prehearing was held on March 14, 2010. The hearing began on April 10, 2001 at which time the parties requested time to attempt to settle the matter and this was granted. The parties reached an agreement at the hearing that the matter would be dismissed with prejudice by April 30, 2001 or would go forward to hearing on Monday, April 30, 2001. On Friday, April 27, 2001, the hearing officer received a letter from the student's counsel that the parties were continuing to work on the agreement and expected in the future to withdraw with prejudice. The implication was that the hearing date of April 30, 2001 was no longer needed.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

This matter is **dismissed with prejudice.**