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Special Education Due Process

End of Year Report July 1, 2012 – June 30, 2013

Due Process Hearings

47 petitions for due process hearings were filed¹

0 hearings conducted

38 withdrawn or dismissed (resolved without a hearing)

9 cases remained open

Expedited Hearings

7 petitions for expedited hearings filed

6 withdrawn with resolution agreements

1 dismissed by administrative law judge

Resolution

27 resolution meetings were convened (59%)

13 resolution settlement agreements (48% successful)

10 mediations conducted (22%)

8 mediation agreements (40% successful)

7 independent agreements negotiated between parties and attorneys (15%)

Activity- 6/30/2013-8/30/2013

Due Process Hearings

4 cases were closed

3 resolution meetings convened, and 3 resolution agreements signed

1 mediation convened, and 1 settlement agreement signed

3 cases remain open and scheduled for hearings

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