

**SPECIAL MEETING
EAST HARTFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**Tuesday,
March 31, 2009**

A Special Meeting of the East Hartford Board of Education was held on Tuesday, March 31, 2009, at the Board of Education Administrative Offices, 1110 Main Street, East Hartford, Connecticut.

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 PM by Mary Alice Dwyer Hughes

PRESENT Mary Alice Dwyer Hughes
Ram Aberasturia
Karen Howe
Anita Morrison
Marcus Oladell, IV

ALSO PRESENT Student
Mother
Alexis Highsmith, Attorney, Greater Hartford Legal Aid
Matthew Ryan, Principal, East Hartford High School
Michael Moan, Director of Security
Jody Lefkowitz, Director, Pupil Personnel Services

MOTION By Marcus Oladell, IV
Seconded by Karen Howe
To adjourn to Executive Session @ 8:31 P.M. to discuss confidential student matter and documentation pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes 10-233d(6)
Motion unanimously carried.

Returned to open session @ 9:12 P.M.

MOTION By Anita Morrison
Seconded by Ram Aberasturia

The Board moved that the student, who is the subject of this hearing, did commit an expellable offense.

Motion unanimously carried.

MOTION By Ram Aberasturia
Seconded by Anita Morrison
To adjourn to Executive Session @ 9:14 P.M.

Motion unanimously carried.

Return to open session @ 9:40 P.M.

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MOTION By Anita Morrison
Seconded by Ram Aberasturia

The Board moved that the student, who is the subject of this hearing, shall be expelled from all school property and school-sponsored events for a period of $\frac{3}{4}$ of a calendar year. During that period, the student will be offered an alternative educational opportunity to be determined by the Administration.

With good grades, good attendance and no further disciplinary problems, the student will be allowed to return to East Hartford High School at the beginning of the next school year, September 1, 2009 still under the terms of the expulsion.

MOTION By Ram Aberasturia
Seconded by Anita Morrison
To adjourn at 9:42 P.M.
Motion unanimously carried.

Recorded by: Jody Lefkowitz, Director, Pupil Personnel Services