

**SPECIAL MEETING
East Hartford Board of Education**

**Thursday,
October 30, 2008**

A Special Meeting of the East Hartford Board of Education was held on Thursday, October 30, 2008 at the East Hartford Board of Education, East Hartford, Connecticut.

The meeting was called to order at 8:25 PM by Ram Aberasturia

PRESENT Karen Howe
Ram Aberasturia
Robert Damaschi (left at 9:05 p.m.)
Dorese Roberts
Anita Morrison

ALSO PRESENT Student
Father
Beverly Lawrence, Asst. Principal, East Hartford High School
Lisa McMahon, Interpreter
Jody Lefkowitz, Director, Pupil Personnel Services

MOTION By Anita Morrison
Seconded by Dorese Roberts
To adjourn to executive session to discuss confidential
Student matter pursuant to Connecticut General
Statutes 10-233d(6)
Motion unanimously carried

Returned to open session

MOTION By Anita Morrison
Seconded by Dorese Roberts

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

Motion unanimously carried

MOTION By Karen Howe
Seconded by Dorese Roberts
To adjourn to executive session

Motion unanimously carried

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MOTION By Karen Howe
Seconded by Anita Morrison

The Board moved that the student, who is the subject of this hearing, shall be expelled from all school property and school-sponsored events until the end of the school year. The student can return to East Hartford High School on December 1, 2008. During that period, the student will be offered and alternative educational opportunity at Synergy School. Any further disciplinary infractions, behavioral issues or non-maintaining of passing level grades will result in the student being placed in an alternative educational setting until the end of the expulsion period. In addition, student will conduct 50 hours of community service to be completed by the end of the school year.

MOTION By Dorese Roberts
Seconded by Karen Howe
To adjourn at 10:35 p.m.
Motion unanimously carried

Recorded by: Jody Lefkowitz, Director, Pupil Personnel Services