

**SPECIAL MEETING  
East Hartford Board of Education**

**Monday,  
April 5, 2010**

A Special Meeting of the East Hartford Board of Education was held on Monday, April 5, 2010 at the Connecticut IB Academy, East Hartford, Connecticut.

**The meeting was called to order at 5:35 PM by Robert Damaschi**

**MOTION** To adjourn to Executive Session @ 5:36 p.m. to discuss confidential student matter pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes 10-233d(6)  
By Anita Morrison  
Seconded by Ram Aberasturia  
Motion unanimously carried

**PRESENT** **Mary Alice Dwyer Hughes**  
**Robert Damaschi**  
**Anita Morrison**  
**Jeffrey Currey**  
**Ram Aberasturia**

**ALSO**

**PRESENT** Student  
Mother  
Father  
John Karzar, Principal, Stevens Alternative High School  
Lisa McMahon, Interpreter  
Dr. Sharon Bremner, Director, Pupil Personnel Services

Return to Open Session @ 5:55 p.m.

**The Board of Education finds that the student, who is the subject of this hearing, did on March 11, 2010 engage in the following conduct: possession of marijuana with intent to sell. This conduct endangered persons and violated publicized policies of the Board and constitutes an expellable offense.**

**MOTION** By Anita Morrison  
Seconded by Jeffrey Currey  
Motion unanimously carried

**MOTION** To return to Executive Session @ 6:04 p.m.  
By Jeffrey Currey  
Seconded by Anita Morrison  
Motion unanimously carried

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Return to Open Session @ 6:06 p.m.

**The student, who is the subject of this hearing, shall be expelled from all school property and school-sponsored events for a period of 180 school days. During that period, the student will be given an alternative educational opportunity determined by administration. The student must finish and graduate by the end of this calendar school year.**

**MOTION** By Anita Morrison  
Seconded by Ram Aberasturia

**MOTION** To adjourn @ 6:07 p.m.  
By Ram Aberasturia  
Seconded by Anita Morrison  
Motion unanimously carried

Recorded by: Dr. Sharon Bremner, Director, Pupil Personnel Services