

**SPECIAL MEETING
EAST HARTFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**THURSDAY
JANUARY 14, 2016**

A Special Meeting of the East Hartford Board of Education was held on Thursday, January 14, 2016 at the Board of Education, 1110 Main Street, East Hartford, Connecticut.

The meeting was called to order at 5:02 PM by Elisa Bartlett, Impartial Hearing Officer.

PRESENT Student
Father
Dr. Sharon Bremner, Director, Pupil Personnel Services

Return to open session @ 5:15 PM.

The hearing officer found the following:

I find that the student, who is the subject of this hearing, was expelled from Middletown High School on December 21, 2015, by the Middletown Board of Education. The student was expelled for the following conduct: the student's behavior was seriously disruptive of the educational process and violated a publicized policy of the Board of Education by endangering persons, engaging in robbery, breach of peace and possession of a facsimile firearm, which was classified as a dangerous weapon by the Board. This conduct violates publicized policies of the East Hartford Board of Education and constitutes an expellable offense.

Based upon these findings, I adopt the expulsion decision of the Middletown Board of Education, with the effect that the student who is the subject of this hearing is expelled from all school property and school-sponsored events of the East Hartford Public Schools through October 24, 2016, with the ability of the Student to be conditionally readmitted to East Hartford High School on the first day of the 2016-17 school year if he regularly attends the alternative program, and both during and upon return to the regular program at school, has no behavior that will result in a suspension or expulsion. During the period of expulsion, the student will be offered an alternative educational opportunity by the Administration.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:55 PM.

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