

**SPECIAL MEETING  
EAST HARTFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**TUESDAY,  
MARCH 21, 2017**

A Special Meeting of the East Hartford Board of Education was held on Tuesday, March 21, 2017 at the Board of Education, 1110 Main Street, East Hartford, Connecticut.

**The meeting was called to order at 5:25PM by Stephanie Watkins.**

**MOTION** To adjourn to executive session @ 5:25 PM to discuss confidential student matter pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes 10-233d (6)  
By Dorese Roberts  
Seconded by Tom Rup  
Motion unanimously carried.

**PRESENT** Stephanie Watkins  
Tom Rup  
Dorese Roberts

**ALSO  
PRESENT** Student  
Mother  
Student's brother  
Deborah Houghton, Assistant Principal, East Hartford Middle School  
Dr. Sharon Bremner, Director, Pupil Personnel Services

Return to open session @ 5:55 PM

**The Board moved that the student, who is the subject of this hearing, did on March 5, 2017 engaged in the following conduct: threatening to shoot up the school. This conduct endangered persons and property in the community and violated publicized policies of the Board and constitutes an expellable offense.**

**MOTION** By Dorese Roberts  
Seconded by Tom Rup  
Motion unanimously carried.

**MOTION** To adjourn to executive session @ 5:56 PM  
By Dorese Roberts  
Seconded by Tom Rup  
Motion unanimously carried.

Return to open session @ 6:10 PM

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**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 180 school days. During that period, the student will be offered an alternative educational opportunity to be determined by the Administration.**

**MOTION** By Tom Rup  
Seconded by Dorese Roberts  
Motion unanimously carried.

**MOTION** To adjourn @ 6:11 PM  
By Dorese Roberts  
Seconded by Tom Rup  
Motion unanimously carried.

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

**APPROVED BY BOARD OF EDUCATION**