

BEFORE THE
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of:

PARENT ON BEHALF OF STUDENT,

v.

PLACER HILLS UNION SCHOOL
DISTRICT.

OAH CASE NO. 2013060210

ORDER FOLLOWING ORDER TO
SHOW CAUSE HEARING

On September 9, 2013, an Order to Show Cause Hearing as to Why Student Should Not Pay Expenses for Failure to Appear at the Prehearing Conference (PHC) on August 30, 2013, was held before Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Rebecca Freie. Student's advocate, Robert Closson, Ed.D., appeared, as did David Girard, Attorney at Law, on behalf of Placer Hills Union School District (District).

Student's advocate timely submitted a declaration explaining his failure to appear on August 30, 2013. He explained during the hearing that his failure to appear was due to faulty cell phone service as he was in a rural location at the time of the PHC on that date, and his cell phone did not ring. The ALJ accepted this explanation, and hereby dismisses the Order to Show Cause. However, Dr. Closson was warned that failure to abide by an OAH order in the future, either in this case or another case filed before OAH on behalf of another student, may result in sanctions being imposed in the future.

Dated: September 11, 2013

/s/

REBECCA FREIE

Administrative Law Judge

Office of Administrative Hearings