

BEFORE THE
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF:
PARENTS ON BEHALF OF STUDENT,

v.

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT.

OAH CASE NUMBER 2026060060

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO REOPEN CASE

JULY 2, 2026

On June 30, 2026, the Office of Administrative Hearings issued a dismissal vacating all hearing dates, and closing the file.

On July 2, 2026, Student filed a request to reopen the case. Student filed a subsequent due process hearing request and before it was assigned a case number, realized counsel inadvertently named the incorrect respondent. Recognizing the error, Student submitted a request to dismiss the case and identified the case number as "unassigned." In searching OAH's database, this case was the only open case with an assigned case number. Accordingly, the dismissal was processed and this case dismissed. Student then filed a Notice of Errata and request to reopen this case as Student did not intend that the instant case be dismissed.

Typically, OAH provides three day's notice for a response from a respondent. However, given the facts of this case and the expediency with which the case needs to be reopened, this order issued on an expedited basis.

Prior to dismissal, the prehearing conference was scheduled for Friday, July 3, 2026, at 10AM. Given that this order will not be issued until nearly that time, the prehearing conference is rescheduled but the hearing dates preserved. Nothing prevents either party from seeking an additional continuance.

ORDER

The request to reopen the case is granted. This matter is now scheduled:

- Prehearing Conference: Monday, July 6, 2026, at 10AM.
- Due Process Hearing: July 14-16, 2026. The hearing starts at 9:30 a.m. on the first day and 9:00 a.m. on all other days unless the ALJ orders otherwise.

The parties shall immediately give witnesses the hearing dates. If necessary, they can subpoena witnesses to ensure the witnesses is available to testify. A witness will not be considered unavailable if the party did not properly notify or subpoena a witness.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



Joy Redmon

Presiding Administrative Law Judge

Office of Administrative Hearings