BEFORE THE
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of:	
PARENT ON BEHALF OF STUDENT,	OAH Case No. 2017020006
v.	ORDER FOLLOWING PREHEARING CONFERENCE; ORDER GRANTING CONTINUANCE
RIVERSIDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT.	

On March 27, 2017, a telephonic prehearing conference was held before Administrative Law Judge Judith L. Pasewark, Office of Administrative Hearings. Timothy Walker appeared on behalf of Riverside Unified School District. Theresa Sester, Advocate, appeared on behalf of Student. The PHC was recorded.

Based upon discussion with the parties, the ALJ issues the following order:

1. Hearing Dates, Times, and Location. The hearing is continued on motion of District and shall take place on April 18, 19, and 20, 2017, and continue day to day, Monday through Thursday, at the discretion of the ALJ. The hearing shall take place at the District's offices located at 5700 Arlington Avenue, Conference Room A, Riverside, California 92501. The hearing shall begin at 9:30 a.m. the first day of the hearing and at 9:00 a.m. all other days, unless otherwise ordered.

A telephonic Prehearing Conference shall take place on April 10, 2017, at 10:00 a.m. OAH shall initiate the telephone call.

The parties shall immediately notify all potential witnesses of the hearing dates, and shall subpoena witnesses if necessary, to ensure that the witnesses will be available to testify. A witness will not be regarded as unavailable for purposes of showing "good cause" to continue the hearing if the witness is not properly notified of the hearing date or properly subpoenaed, as applicable.

2. Settlement. The parties are encouraged to continue working together to reach an agreement before the due process hearing. The parties shall inform OAH in writing immediately should they reach a settlement or otherwise resolve the dispute before the scheduled hearing. In addition, if a settlement is reached within five days of the scheduled start of the due process hearing, the parties shall also inform OAH of the settlement by telephone at (916) 263-0880.

Dates for hearing will not be cancelled until the letter of withdrawal or signature page of the signed agreement has been received by OAH. If an agreement in principle is reached, the parties should plan to attend the scheduled hearing unless different arrangements have been agreed upon by the assigned ALJ. The assigned ALJ will check for messages the evening prior to the hearing or the morning of the hearing.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATE: March 27, 2017

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Judith Pasewark
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JUDITH PASEWARK
Administrative Law Judge
Office of Administrative Hearings