

BEFORE THE
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of:

CAPISTRANO UNIFIED SCHOOL
DISTRICT,

v.

PARENTS ON BEHALF OF STUDENT.

OAH CASE NO. 2011030128

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR
CONTINUANCE AND SETTING
MEDIATION, PREHEARING
CONFERENCE AND DUE PROCESS
HEARING

On March 8, 2011, Parents, on behalf of Student, filed with the Office of Administrative Hearings (OAH) a request to continue and reset the initially scheduled hearing dates in the case. Counsel for the District has not responded to this request.

A due process hearing must be conducted and a decision rendered within 45 days of receipt of the due process notice unless an extension is granted. (34 C.F.R. § 300.515(a); Ed. Code, §§ 56502, subd. (f), 56505, subd. (f)(3).) Speedy resolution of the due process hearing is mandated by law and continuance of the hearing may be granted only upon a showing of good cause. (Ed. Code, § 56505, subd. (f)(3).) In ruling upon a motion for continuance, OAH is guided by the provisions found within the Administrative Procedure Act and the California Rules of Court that concern motions to continue. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 1, § 1020; Cal. Rules of Court, rule 3.1332 .)

OAH has reviewed the request for good cause and the request is:

Granted. All dates are vacated. This matter will be set as follows:

Mediation:	04/14/2011, 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Trial Setting Conference:	N/A
Prehearing Conference:	04/27/2011, at 10:00 a.m.
Due Process Hearing:	05/03/2011.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 15, 2011

/s/

TIMOTHY L. NEWLOVE
Presiding Administrative Law Judge
Office of Administrative Hearings