

BEFORE THE
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of:

PARENT ON BEHALF OF STUDENT,

v.

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL
DISTRICT.

OAH CASE NO. 2011120449

ORDER GRANTING SECOND
REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE AND
SETTING MED/PHC/HRG

On February 21, 2012, the parties filed a second stipulated request to continue the matter to mutually agreed dates. The reason given was that the parties wanted additional time to attempt to negotiate a settlement based on agreed-upon assessments.

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 for good cause. (34 C.F.R. § 300.515(a); Ed. Code, §§ 56502, subd. (f), 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.) Generally, continuances of matters are disfavored. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 3.1332(c).)

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:	March 29, 2012 at 9:00 AM
Prehearing Conference:	April 11, 2012 at 1:30 PM
Due Process Hearing:	April 24-26, 2012 at 9:00 AM

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 21, 2012

/s/

RICHARD T. BREEN
Presiding Administrative Law Judge
Office of Administrative Hearings