

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. 2015030587

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO
FILE AMENDED COMPLAINT

On March 6, 2015, Parent on behalf of Student filed with the Office of Administrative Hearings a Due Process Hearing Request (complaint), naming the Los Angeles Unified School District as respondent. On March 13, 2015, Student filed with OAH an Amended Request for Due Process Hearing (amended complaint). The amended complaint names as respondents Los Angeles and the New Design Charter School, where Student currently attends. This will be deemed a motion for leave to file an amended complaint. No opposition was received.

An amended complaint may be filed when either (a) the other party consents in writing and is given the opportunity to resolve the complaint through a resolution session, or (b) the hearing officer grants permission, provided the hearing officer may grant such permission at any time more than five (5) days prior to the due process hearing. (20 U.S.C. §1415(c)(2)(E)(i).)¹ The filing of an amended complaint restarts the applicable timelines for the due process hearing. (20 U.S.C. §1415(c)(2)(E)(ii).)

The motion to amend is timely and is granted. The amended complaint shall be deemed filed on the date of this order.. All applicable timelines shall be reset as of the date of this order. OAH will issue a scheduling order with the new dates.

¹ All statutory citations are to Title 20 United States Code unless otherwise indicated.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATE: March 20, 2015

/s/

ROBERT HELFAND
Administrative Law Judge
Office of Administrative Hearings