

BEFORE THE  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of:

PARENT ON BEHALF OF STUDENT,

v.

CULVER CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL  
DISTRICT.

OAH CASE NO. 2011020121

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

On March 11, 2011, the Culver City Unified School District (District) filed a request to continue the prehearing conference (PHC) and due process hearing (DPH) dates in this matter. On March 16, 2011, in a telephone conference originally scheduled for the PHC in this matter, Student's mother (Mother) advised that she had no opposition to District's 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.) 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 30, 2011 at 9:30 a.m.
Prehearing Conference:	April 18, 2011 at 10:00 a.m.
Due Process Hearing:	April 25-28, 2011. The first day of hearing shall begin at 1:00 p.m. All subsequent days will begin at 9:30 a.m.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 16, 2011

/s/

CARLA L. GARRETT  
Administrative Law Judge  
Office of Administrative Hearings