2. DISMISSAL FROM SERVICES

Prior Written Notice of Special Education Action

This notice informs you of the action proposed or refused by the district:

Evaluation

- Initial evaluation of your child for special education services*
- Refuses initial evaluation of your child for special education services
- Reevaluation of your child for special education services*
- Refuses reevaluation of your child for special education services
- Additional evaluation of your child related to their IEP*
- Refuses additional evaluation of your child related to their IEP
- Independent Educational Evaluation (IEE)
- Refuses an Independent Educational Evaluation (IEE)
- Functional Behavior Assessment (FBA)*
- Other:
- *Parent/guardian written consent required

Identification

- Eligible for special education and related services
- No longer eligible for special education and related services
- No longer qualifies for special education and related services (Graduated with a regular diploma or Reached maximum age.)
- Eligibility is being changed to
- No longer in need of related services in the area of
- Other:

Educational Placement

- Initial placement determination
- Change the child's placement to
- Refuses changing the child's placement to in resource room for English.
- Because of disciplinary action, the district will change the child's placement to
-] The child is no longer in need of related services in the area of] Other:

Provision of FAPE

- Change in accommodations/modifications
- Change in services
- Other:

THE ACTION(s) WILL TAKE EFFECT

The following action(s) apply to this notice and a description is given below:

1. Explanation of why the district proposed or refused to take action(s):

The district will no longer be providing speech services for (student) as he/she no longer meets SI eligibility criteria as a child with a disability. (Student's) current reevaluation results indicate that his/her articulation skills are age-appropriate.

2. Description of the evaluation procedures, tests, records and reports used to make the decision.

The team used the articulation scores from the (date testing), parent and early childhood teacher input and the skill based assessment to make this decision.

3. Description of options considered prior to this decision and the reason each option was declined.

Although (student) did show some articulation errors with s-blends (spl-spr-str-skr), these sounds are typically developed at a later age. The team discussed the evaluation results and determined (student) is right on track in his/her articulation development. Because (student) is only 5 years old at this time the team decided to allow him/her time to develop these sounds in a natural progression.

4. Description of other relevant factors that contributed to this decision.

Both parent and school district indicated that (student) is communicating well with others in all settings.

A copy of the "Parental Rights for Public School Students Receiving Special Education Services - Notice of Procedural Safeguards" is enclosed.

You have protections under procedural safeguards. A copy of the "Parental Rights for Public School Students Receiving Special Education Services - Notice of Procedural Safeguards" must be given to you at least one time per year. You may also obtain a copy of this booklet at any time from your local special education office or from the NDDPI website at: www.nd.gov/dpi.