STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

STATE OF GEORGIA

C. R. B.,

:

Appellant,

CASE NO. 1994-42

vs.

: DECISION

COLUMBIA COUNTY:

BOARD OF EDUCATION, :

:

Appellee. :

This is an appeal by C.R.B. (Student) from a decision by the Columbia County Board of Education (Local Board) to suspend him for the remainder of the 1993-1994 school year because he was truant while on probation from another disciplinary incident. The Student claims the Local Board's decision was an abuse of discretion because it failed to consider his special circumstances. The issues raised by the Student are moot because the period of suspension has passed and the State Board of Education in unable to provide the Student with any relief The Student's appeal, therefore, is hereby DISMISSED.

This 11th day of August, 1994.

Mrs. King, Mr. Owens, Mr. Sessoms, Dr. Thomas and Mr. Williams were not present.

Robert M. Brinson Vice Chairman for Appeals