STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

STATE OF GEORGIA

D. W.,	:	
Appellant	:	
	:	**CASE NO. 1998-32**
vs.	:	
GWINNETT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION	:	
	:	**DECISION**
Appellee	:	

The Student claims that the appeal was mailed on May 18, 1998. The mailing of an appeal, however, does not constitute the filing of an appeal with the local superintendent. Instead, the appeal has to be physically in the hands of the local superintendent within the 30-day period. Since the appeal in this case was filed three days late, the appeal must be, and is hereby DISMISSED.

This 10th day of September 1998.

Ms. Willou Smith & Mr. Phil Wilheit were not present.
The seat for the 2nd Congressional District

Larry Thompson
Vice Chairman for Appeals