## STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

## STATE OF GEORGIA

T. B.,

Appellant,

vs. CASE NO. 2010-23

HENRY COUNTY : DECISION

BOARD OF EDUCATION,

Appellee.

This is an appeal by T. B. (Student) from a decision by the Henry County Board of Education to uphold the decision of a student disciplinary tribunal to expel her from regular school until the end of the first semester of the 2009-2010 school year after finding her guilty of fighting. The Student failed to file a brief or request oral argument. The Student's appeal, therefore, is deemed to have been abandoned. *Chris M. v. McIntosh Cnty. Bd. of Educ.*, Case No. 1995-47 (Ga. SBE, Jan. 11, 1996). Additionally, the expulsion period has passed and the State Board of Education cannot provide the Student with any relief, thus making the issues raised moot. Accordingly, the appeal is hereby DISMISSED.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of January 2010.

William Bradley Bryant

Vice Chairman for Appeals