STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

STATE OF GEORGIA

D. R.,	:	
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Appellant,	:	
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W/G	:	CASE NO. 2006-33
vs.	:	C115E 1(0. 2000 55
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<b>GWINNETT COUNTY</b>	•	DECISION
BOARD OF EDUCATION,	:	
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Appellee.	:	

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DISMISSED.

This day of February 2006.

William Bradley Bryant Vice Chairman for Appeals

## **SUMMARY**

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