

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**STATE OF GEORGIA**

<b>A. S.,</b>	:	
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<b>Appellant,</b>	:	
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<b>vs.</b>	:	<b>CASE NO. 2007-21</b>
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<b>DEKALB COUNTY</b>	:	<b>DECISION</b>
<b>BOARD OF EDUCATION,</b>	:	
	:	
<b>Appellee.</b>	:	

This is an appeal by A. S. (Student) from a decision by the Dekalb County Board of Education to uphold the decision of a student disciplinary tribunal to expel him from regular school through the end of the 2006-2007 school year, with the option of attending an alternative school during his expulsion period, after finding him guilty of possessing a weapon on campus, committing simple battery, and creating a school disturbance. 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). Accordingly, the appeal is hereby DISMISSED.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of February 2007.

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William Bradley Bryant  
Vice Chairman for Appeals