

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SOUTH ORANGE AND MAPLEWOOD, NEW JERSEY
PUBLIC BOARD MEETING
December 20, 2021**

FOR ACTION

RESOLUTION NO. 4237

SUBJECT: AFFIRM HIB APPEAL #223122_SME_10072021

WHEREAS, on December 20, 2021 an HIB appeal hearing was held by a Committee of the Board involving a Harassment/Intimidation/Bullying matter HIB Report #223122_SME_10072021;

WHEREAS, at the hearing, the Board heard from the Anti-Bullying Specialist, the Principal and the parent who filed the appeal on behalf of their child; and

WHEREAS, the Committee carefully considered the relevant information; and

WHEREAS, the Committee has made a recommendation to the full Board during the executive portion of its December 20, 2021 Board meeting and the Board has carefully considered the matter and the recommendation of the Committee;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT the Board hereby affirms the determination that the incident DID constitute HIB within the meaning of New Jersey's statute and the Board's policy on Harassment/ Intimidation/Bullying as to Student #5957303090; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT the Administration take appropriate supportive, restorative, remedial or punitive action; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board Secretary is further directed to notify all individuals affected by this decision of the Board's determination.