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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SOUTH ORANGE AND MAPLEWOOD, NEW JERSEY PUBLIC BOARD MEETING MARCH 27, 2025

FOR ACTION

RESOLUTION NO. 4747

SUBJECT: HIB APPEAL #272882 SME 11192024

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2025 an HIB appeal hearing was held by a Committee of the Board in closed session involving a Harassment/Intimidation/Bullying matter HIB Report #272882 SME 11192024;

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 March 27, 2025 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 NOT constitute HIB within the meaning of New Jersey's statute and the Board's policy on Harassment/ Intimidation/Bullying as to Student #2525302303; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT the Administration take appropriate supportive, restorative, remedial 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.