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OAL DKT. NO. EDU 18796-17
AGENCY DKT. NO. 264-11/17

N.G., on behalf of minor child, N.R.,	:	
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PETITIONER,	:	
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V.	:	COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION
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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE	:	DECISION
CITY OF ORANGE, ESSEX COUNTY,	:	
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RESPONDENT.	:	
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The record of this matter and the Initial Decision of the Office of Administrative Law have been reviewed. The parties did not file exceptions to the Initial Decision.

Upon such review, the Commissioner concurs with the Administrative Law Judge that this matter was properly transmitted to the Commissioner by the Office of Administrative Law pursuant to *N.J.A.C.* 1:1-14.4, based on the petitioner’s failure to appear at the hearing scheduled for October 30, 2018. Petitioner did not file an explanation for her failure to appear, notwithstanding the opportunity to do so.

Accordingly, this matter is no longer deemed to be a contested case before the Commissioner and is hereby dismissed with prejudice.

IT IS SO ORDERED.*

COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION

Date of Decision: December 6, 2018

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* This decision may be appealed to the Appellate Division of the Superior Court pursuant to *P.L.* 2008, *c.* 36 (*N.J.S.A.* 18A:6-9.1).