



State of New Jersey
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW

FINAL DECISION

EMERGENT RELIEF

OAL DKT. NO. EDS 07587-2026

AGENCY DKT. NO. 2026-40997

C.R. ON BEHALF OF C.R.,

Petitioners,

v.

PHILLIPSBURG TOWN

BOARD OF EDUCATION,

Respondent.

C.R., pro se

Ryan J. Clark, Esq., for respondent (Lenox Law Firm, attorneys)

Record Closed: May 21, 2026

Decided: May 22, 2026

BEFORE, **MICHAEL R. STANZIONE**, ALJ:

THIS MATTER was brought before this tribunal by petitioners upon application for emergent relief. Papers were submitted in support of and in opposition to the application. Petitioners failed to appear for scheduled oral argument on May 21, 2026.

IT IS on this 21st day of May, 2026,

ORDERED that the application for emergent relief is **DENIED** for petitioners' failure to appear and the reasons stated on the record.

This order on application for emergency relief remains in effect until a final decision is issued on the merits of the case. If the parent or adult student believes that this order is not being fully implemented, then the parent or adult student is directed to communicate that belief in writing to the Director of the Office of Special Education. Since the parents requested the due process hearing, this case is returned to the Department of Education for a local resolution session under 20 U.S.C. § 1415(f)(1)(B)(i).

May 22, 2026

DATE


MICHAEL R. STANZIONE, ALJ

Date Received at Agency:

May 22, 2026

Date Sent to Parties:

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