ORDER

On January 30, 2012, S.N.A.'s parents appealed the local board's decision denying S.N.A., their son, early entry into kindergarten. In order to gain early entrance to kindergarten in Anne Arundel County Public Schools, the child needs to score in the 8th stanine or above on the SESAT-1. S.N.A scored in the 5th stanine. Thus, he failed to meet the eligibility criteria for early kindergarten entrance.

Therefore, it is this 22nd day of May, 2012 by the Maryland State Board of Education,

ORDERED, that the appeal referenced above be and the same is hereby dismissed.

MARYLAND STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

James H. DeGraffenreidt, Jr.
President