

Freedom of Information Commission
of the State of Connecticut

In the Matter of a Complaint by)
Wallingford Post, Complainant) Report of Hearing Officer
against) Docket #FIC 76-20
State of Connecticut; Commissioner)
of Mental Health; and Meriden-)
Wallingford Catchment Area) March 29, 1976
Council,)
Respondents)

The above captioned matter was heard as a contested case on March 9, 1976, at which time the complainant and the respondents appeared and entered on the record a stipulation withdrawing the complaint.

Pursuant to the stipulation of the parties, it is recommended that the Commission find the following facts:

1. The respondent, the Meriden-Wallingford Catchment Area Council, went into executive session at its meeting on December 29, 1975 improperly, in that (1) the vote to go into executive session was less than the two-thirds required by Section 6 of P.A. 75-342 and (2) the matters discussed at such session were outside the scope of executive sessions as defined in section 1(e) of P.A. 75-342.

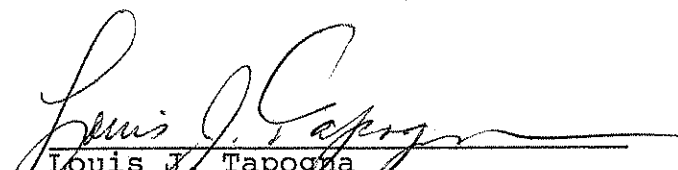
2. The complaint has been withdrawn on the assurance of the respondents that henceforth the respondents will conduct their activities in strict conformance with P.A. 75-342.

3. It is recommended that, subject to the foregoing finding, this complaint be dismissed.


Commissioner Herbert Brucker

as Hearing Officer

Approved by order of the Freedom of Information Commission
on April 14, 1976.


Louis J. Tapogna
Clerk of the Commission