

5. Complaint amendment

You or the LEA may make changes to the complaint only if:

- a. The other party approves of the changes in writing and is given the chance to resolve the due process complaint through a resolution meeting, described below; **or**
- b. At any time, but no later than five days before the due process hearing begins, the hearing officer grants permission for the changes.

If the complaining party (you or the LEA) makes changes to the due process complaint, the timelines for the resolution meeting (within 15 calendar days of receiving the complaint) and the time period for resolution (within 30 calendar days of receiving the complaint) start again on the date the amended complaint is filed.