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House Resolution No. 14

House of Representatives, February 25, 2025

The House Committee on Judiciary reported through REP. STAFSTROM of the 129th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the resolution ought to be adopted.

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SETTLEMENT AND RELEASE AGREEMENT IN COLLEEN LORD, ET AL. V. CARLOS PADRO, ET AL.

Resolved by this House:

- 1 That the provisions of the settlement and release agreement in the
- 2 action Colleen Lord, et al. v. Carlos Padro, et al., United States District
- 3 Court, District of Connecticut, Civil Action No. 3:22CV322, dated
- 4 January 9, 2025, requiring an expenditure from the General Fund budget
- 5 in excess of two million five hundred thousand dollars and submitted
- 6 by the Attorney General to this Assembly for approval in accordance
- 7 with section 3-125a of the general statutes, is approved.

JUD *House Favorable*

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 25 \$
Comptroller - Adjudicated Claims Account	GF - Cost	3,750,000

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The resolution results in an expenditure of \$3,750,000 from the Adjudicated Claims account for the settlement between Colleen Lord, et al v. Carlos Padro et al.

The Out Years

The settlement is one-time in nature and does not result in a fiscal impact in the out years.

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SUMMARY

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Resolutions.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Judiciary Committee

House Favorable

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