



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 6174**

LCO No. 3227



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:

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**AN ACT ESTABLISHING A CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST THE STATE  
FOR INJURY OR ILLNESS CAUSED TO A STUDENT AS A RESULT  
OF VACCINATION OR MEDICINAL TREATMENT REQUIREMENTS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to allow a student to bring a
- 2 cause of action in the Superior Court against the State of Connecticut
- 3 for: (1) Actual damages for injuries or illness caused by a vaccination or
- 4 medicinal treatment program if the state required students at a school
- 5 or institution of higher education in this state to receive such vaccination
- 6 or medicinal treatment program as a condition of school admission; and
- 7 (2) punitive damages, if the state knowingly requires the vaccination or
- 8 medicinal treatment without confirming its safety based on publicly
- 9 available medical testing and documentation.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To create a cause of action allowing a student to recover actual and punitive damages for injuries or illness caused by a vaccination or medicinal treatment program if the state required the student to receive the vaccine or medicinal treatment as a condition of school admission.