

# Judiciary Committee JOINT FAVORABLE REPORT

**Bill No.:** HB-5486

**Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE CIVIL LAWS IN THIS STATE.

**Vote Date:** 4/1/2024

**Vote Action:** Joint Favorable

**PH Date:** 3/18/2024

**File No.:**

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## **SPONSORS OF BILL:**

Judiciary Committee

## **REASONS FOR BILL:**

This was a Judiciary Committee contingency reserve bill to study the civil laws in this state.

## **RESPONSE FROM ADMINISTRATION/AGENCY:**

**Deborah Del Prete Sullivan, Legal Counsel, Director, Office of Chief Public Defender:**

She testified in support the bill, requesting to be included into the membership to help carry out the study as their work with indigent defendants and substantial experience gives them a unique perspective on Connecticut's civil laws.

## **NATURE AND SOURCES OF SUPPORT:**

None expressed.

## **NATURE AND SOURCES OF OPPOSITION:**

None expressed.

**Reported by:** Murray Cento

**Date:** 3-22-24