

JS 44 (Rev 09/19)

CIVIL COVER SHEET

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I. (a) PLAINTIFFS
Soule, Selina, a minor, by Bianca Stanesco, her mother; Mitchell, Chelsea, a minor, by Christina Mitchell, her mother; Smith, Alanna, a minor, by Cheryl Radachowsky, her mother,
(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff Hartford County
(c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)
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DEFENDANTS
Connecticut Association of Schools, Inc. d/b/a Connecticut Athletic Conference; Bloomfield, Cromwell, Glastonbury, Canton, Danbury Public Schools Board of Education
County of Residence of First Listed Defendant New Haven County, CT
NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED
Attorneys (If Known)

II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION (Place an "X" in One Box Only)
1 U.S. Government Plaintiff
2 U.S. Government Defendant
3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party)
4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III)

III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff and One Box for Defendant)
Table with columns: CITIZENSHIP, PTF, DEF, INCORPORATED OR PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN THIS STATE, PTF, DEF

IV. NATURE OF SUIT (Place an "X" in One Box Only)
Table with columns: CONTRACT, REAL PROPERTY, TORTS, CIVIL RIGHTS, PRISONER PETITIONS, FORFEITURE/PENALTY, LABOR, IMMIGRATION, BANKRUPTCY, FEDERAL TAX SUITS, OTHER STATUTES

V. ORIGIN (Place an "X" in One Box Only)
1 Original Proceeding
2 Removed from State Court
3 Remanded from Appellate Court
4 Reinstated or Reopened
5 Transferred from Another District (specify)
6 Multidistrict Litigation - Transfer
8 Multidistrict Litigation - Direct File

VI. CAUSE OF ACTION
Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing (Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity):
Title IX, 20 U.S. C. Section 1681.
Brief description of cause:
Denial of equal athletic opportunities to girls through CIAC policy allowing males to compete in females' sports.

VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT:
CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER RULE 23, F.R.Cv.P. DEMAND \$ Prelim Inj, damages to be determined at trial
CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:
JURY DEMAND: X Yes [] No

VIII. RELATED CASE(S) IF ANY (See instructions):
JUDGE DOCKET NUMBER

DATE 02/12/2020 SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD /s/ Howard M. Wood III

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