

STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND OPPORTUNITIES  
REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING  
VIA *MICROSOFT TEAMS*

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Wednesday, September 10, 2025  
2:00 p.m. Via Teams



**AGENDA**

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**I. CALL TO ORDER**

**II. CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT & ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUORUM**

**III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Review and approve August 13, 2025, Regular Commission Meeting Minutes

**IV. AFFIRMATIVE ACTION RECOMMENDATIONS – VOTE REQUIRED**

Presented by Deputy Director Cheryl Sharp

**Staff Recommendation: APPROVE**

- Office of the Attorney General
- Department of Children & Families
- Office of the State Comptroller

**Staff Recommendation: DISAPPROVE**

- Office of the Chief Medical Examiner

**V. CONTRACT COMPLIANCE REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION**

1. Renewal of the Exemption for UConn Health Center

Certain Grant-Based, Collaborative and Consulting Agreements  
Presented by HRO Attorney Spencer Hill

**VI. REQUEST TO REOPEN**

1. Michael Asante v. New Haven Police Department  
CHRO Case No. 2430722  
Presented by HRO Attorney Courtney Shields
2. Feifei Xia v. Stamford Youth Hockey Association  
CHRO Case No. 2520259  
Presented by HRO Attorney Robin S. Kinstler Fox
3. Stella Onochie v. Achievement First Hartford Academy, Inc.  
CHRO Case No. 2510276  
Presented by HRO Attorney Stephanie O'Loughlin

**VII. DIVISION REPORTS**

- Executive Director's Report, Executive Director Tanya Hughes
- Deputy Director's Report, Deputy Director Cheryl Sharp
- Legislative Update, Legislative and Administrative Advisor Darcy Strand
- Legal Update, Managing Legal Directors, Michelle Dumas Keuler and Kimberly Jacobsen

**VIII. ANNOUNCEMENT OF TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next Commission Meeting will occur on Wednesday, October 8, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. via Microsoft Teams.

**IX. ADJOURNMENT**