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Date: August 8, 2025

To: Budget and Finance Committee

From: The Department of Children, Youth and Their Families

Re: Explaining the Retroactive Need for the FY25-26 Student Success Fund Contract

The Department of Children Youth and Their Families (DCYF) was allocated \$35 million for the FY25-26 Student Success Fund per the Annual Appropriation Ordinance signed on July 24, 2025. Due to all the necessary review and scheduling processes, the Department is requesting for this resolution to be retroactive to cover the full year. Thank you for your consideration!

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