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**"MEMBERS' VICTORY: Wendy Kaplan and Anne Glennon win 9-0 in Supreme Court; Title IX claim does not preclude gender-discrimination claim under §1983!"**

Brian East of Austin, TX congratulates NELA members Wendy Kaplan and Anne Glennon of Boston and the others on their legal team, who just won a 9-0 victory in *Fitzgerald v. Barnstable School Committee*, in which the Supreme Court held that Title IX does not bar a parallel § 1983 claim for sex discrimination in a school sexual harassment case.

Joshua Friedman of Larchmont, NY states that that precedent will help our clients.