



Appropriations Conference Chairs

Bump Issues

**Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice / House
Justice Appropriations**

SENATE BUMP OFFER #1

- New Proviso / Back of the Bill

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	SENATE LANGUAGE	HOUSE LANGUAGE	SENATE OFFER #1	HOUSE OFFER #1
1.		<p>From the positions and funds appropriated from the Grants and Donations Trust Fund in Specific Appropriations 818, 852, 865, 878, 890, 903, and 923, \$1,911,682 is provided to prosecute insurance fraud cases and \$604,104 is provided to prosecute workers compensation insurance fraud cases, as follows:</p> <p>Insurance Fraud Cases</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fourth Judicial Circuit (3 positions) ----- \$250,818 Ninth Judicial Circuit (5 positions) ----- \$431,719 Eleventh Judicial Circuit (5 positions) ----- \$614,038 Thirteenth Judicial Circuit (2 positions) ----- \$152,179 Fifteenth Judicial Circuit (2 positions) ----- \$160,242 Seventeenth Judicial Circuit (2 positions) ----- \$160,242 Twentieth Judicial Circuit (2 positions) ----- \$142,444 <p>Prosecution of Workers Compensation Insurance Fraud</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eleventh Judicial Circuit (2 positions) ----- \$147,724 Thirteenth Judicial Circuit (2 positions) ----- \$137,852 Fifteenth Judicial Circuit (2 positions) ----- \$159,264 Seventeenth Judicial Circuit (2 positions) ----- \$159,264 <p>Beginning July 1, 2017, the Department of Financial Services shall release 25 percent of the funds to each state attorney's office. Prior to subsequent quarterly fund releases, each state attorney's office must submit the following caseload data to the Department of Financial Services: the percentage of cases prosecuted of the total number of cases referred by the department; the number of cases not prosecuted and the reasons prosecution was not pursued; the staff assigned to each case; expenditures made; and the current status of each case. The Department of Financial Services shall determine if case activity warrants the continued release of funds.</p>	House	

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2.		<p>Compensation to Retired Judges</p> <p>From the funds in Specific Appropriation *****, \$200,000 from recurring general revenue funds is provided for full time senior judicial services as follows: \$100,000 for Citrus County and \$100,000 for Flagler County. These funds may not be used for senior judicial services in any other court.</p> <p>OPS</p> <p>From the funds in Specific Appropriation *****, \$104,000 from recurring general revenue funds is provided for administrative support to senior judges as follows: \$52,000 for Citrus County and \$52,000 for Flagler County.</p>	House	
3.	<p>Funds and positions in Specific Appropriation ***** are provided for a state attorney to prosecute a capital felony case that has been reassigned to that state attorney's office. A state attorney must submit a budget amendment, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 216, Florida Statutes, to request the allocation of positions and funds from the lump sum appropriation category. A state attorney may continue to use positions and funds allocated from the lump sum appropriation category until such time that the state attorney ceases the prosecution of the reassigned capital felony case. If funds in this specific appropriation are unobligated in the last quarter of the 2017-2018 fiscal year, the State Attorney in the Ninth Judicial Circuit may submit a budget amendment to request the return of the remaining appropriation on a nonrecurring basis.</p>		Senate	
4.		<p>From the funds in Specific Appropriations 1276 through 1285, the Department of Law Enforcement shall develop a process for the implementation of a single basic abilities examination for all applicants in a law enforcement or corrections recruit training program. The Department shall establish standards and criteria for acceptable exam delivery and performance. The Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission shall adopt a plan and rule to implement a single examination. The implementation plan shall be reported to the Governor, the President of the Senate President, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives on or before Jan 1, 2018.</p>	House	

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5.		From the funds in Specific Appropriations XXXX through XXXX, the Supreme Court shall provide a report detailing the cases, as of September 30, 2017, for which a decision or disposition has not been rendered within 180 days after: oral argument was heard, or after the date on which the case was submitted to the court panel for a decision without oral argument. The report shall include: each case name and number; case type; brief description; date the case was added to the docket; date of oral argument or date the case was submitted for decision without oral argument; an explanation of the court's failure to render a decision or disposition within 180 days; and the date that the court expects to render a decision or disposition regarding each case. The Supreme Court shall provide the report to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by December 1, 2017.	Senate	
6.	BACK OF THE BILL SECTION ????. The Legislature hereby adopts by reference the changes to the approved budget as set forth in Budget Amendment EOG #B0406 as submitted by the Governor on March 17, 2017, on behalf of the Department of Corrections for approval by the Legislative Budget Commission. The Governor shall modify the approved operating budget for Fiscal Year 2016-2017 consistent with the amendment. This section is effective upon becoming law.		Senate	
7.	SECTION ????. The Legislature hereby adopts by reference the changes to the approved budget as set forth in Budget Amendment EOG #B0483 as submitted by the Governor on April 17, 2017, on behalf of the Justice Administrative Commission for approval by the Legislative Budget Commission. The Governor shall modify the approved operating budget for Fiscal Year 2016-2017 consistent with the amendment. This section is effective upon becoming law.		Senate	