

THE FLORIDA SENATE
2017 SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION PASSED
Special Master on Claim Bills

CS/HB 6521 — Relief/Mary Mifflin-Gee/City of Miami

by Civil Justice and Claims Subcommittee and Rep. Jenne (CS/SB 46 by Judiciary Committee and Senator Montford)

The bill authorizes and directs the City of Miami to pay \$2.3 million into a special needs trust for the relief of Mary Mifflin-Gee. The city's fire rescue personnel failed to properly secure Ms. Mifflin-Gee onto a gurney when they were loading her into an ambulance. When Ms. Mifflin-Gee fell from the gurney, she suffered a severe traumatic brain injury.

If approved by the Governor, or allowed to become law without the Governor's signature, these provisions take effect upon becoming law.

Vote: Senate 35-1; House 111-3