Senate Special Master

CLAIM BILLS

During the 2003 session, 29 claim bills were filed in the Senate. There were 24 companion bills filed in the House of Representatives. Also, there were two House claim bills filed that did not have a Senate companion.

Of the 29 bills filed in the Senate, 12 were approved by the House and Senate. At this time, none of the claim bills have been approved by the Governor. If they all become law, they will authorize or direct payment of \$5,088,410, all of which would be paid from local government budget accounts.

Eight Senate bills died in a Senate committee; 2 Senate bills died in House Messages; 2 Senate bills died on the Senate Calendar; and 5 Senate bills were withdrawn from further consideration by their sponsors.

The following claim bills were approved:	

Bill	By Senator Saunders	Relief: Jacob P. Darna v. Lee County School Board; \$75,000	Vote: Senate / House	
S 20			32-5	114-1
S 26	Senator Posey (passed as H 797)	Alan S. Hammer v. Brevard County; \$75,705	33-6	114-1
S 30	Senator Crist	James T. Edwards v. Hillsborough County; \$2,400,000	32-6	102-0
S 34	Senator Posey (passed as H 799)	Howard and Donna Evarts v. Brevard County; \$75,705	33-5	112-2
S 36	Senator Diaz de la Portilla (passed as H 303)	Jonathan and Erika Snell v. Miami-Dade County; \$337,000	33-5	111-2
S 40	Senator Pruitt	Richard and Denise Ebner v. St. Lucie County; \$50,000	32-5	116-0
S 42	Senator Posey (passed as H 377)	Taylor Rosemond, Alvin and Shirley Rosemond v. Indian River County School Board; \$60,000	34-6	115-0
S 44	Senator Posey (passed as H 1249)	Clay and Tatiana Haywood v. Indian River County School Board; \$225,000	33-5	114-0
S 46	Senator Campbell (passed as H 1691)	Denise Yahraus v. Sarasota County; \$1,050,000	28-10	114-1
S 48	Senator Diaz de la Portilla (passed as H 1689)	Asbel Llerena v. City of Hialeah; \$200,000	34-4	113-1
S 180	Senator Hill (passed as H 305)	Tylor Griffeth vs. Indian River County School Board; \$40,000	34-5	112-1
S 214	Senator Bennett (passed as H 95)	John W. Martz v. Hernando County; \$500,000	33-6	116-0

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