## THE FLORIDA SENATE 2017 SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION PASSED

## **Committee on Judiciary**

## 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, these provisions take effect upon becoming law.

*Vote: Senate 35-1; House 111-3* 

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