

## Court of Claims

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### General Revenue Fund

#### **GRF 015321 Operating Expenses**

FY 2008 Actual	FY 2009 Actual	FY 2010 Actual	FY 2011 Actual	FY 2012 Appropriation	FY 2013 Appropriation
\$2,603,050	\$2,701,237	\$2,670,384	\$2,923,375	<b>\$2,573,508</b>	<b>\$2,501,052</b>
	3.8%	-1.1%	9.5%	<b>-12.0%</b>	<b>-2.8%</b>

**Source:** General Revenue Fund

**Legal Basis:** Section 253.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 153 of 129th G.A. (originally established by Am. Sub. H.B. 694 of the 114th G.A., the main operating appropriations act covering FY 1982 and FY 1983)

**Purpose:** The line item funds the payroll, purchased personal services, supplies and maintenance, and equipment costs of the Court of Claims' Civil Division.

#### **GRF 015402 Wrongful Imprisonment Compensation**

FY 2008 Actual	FY 2009 Actual	FY 2010 Actual	FY 2011 Actual	FY 2012 Appropriation	FY 2013 Appropriation
\$0	\$772,316	\$1,088,396	\$3,664,717	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
	N/A	40.9%	236.7%	<b>-100%</b>	<b>N/A</b>

**Source:** General Revenue Fund

**Legal Basis:** As needed line item; ORC 2743.48

**Purpose:** The line item is used to pay a sum of money to those who have been judged wrongfully imprisoned, in addition to reasonable attorney fees and other expenses. When a wrongful imprisonment judgment is journalized, the Controlling Board, upon certification by the Court of Claims, transfers the sum necessary to the line item. Since the Controlling Board provides money for the awards on an as-needed basis, the line item does not receive a direct appropriation through the main operating appropriations act passed by each General Assembly. The necessary funds are typically transferred from a line item appropriated to the Controlling Board for the purpose of assisting state agencies and political subdivisions in responding to unexpected events, disasters, and emergency situations.

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### State Special Revenue Fund Group

#### **5K20 015603      CLA Victims of Crime**

FY 2008 Actual	FY 2009 Actual	FY 2010 Actual	FY 2011 Actual	FY 2012 Appropriation	FY 2013 Appropriation
\$1,350,493	\$1,342,666	\$1,226,348	\$1,345,351	<b>\$1,582,684</b>	<b>\$1,582,684</b>
	-0.6%	-8.7%	9.7%	<b>17.6%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>

**Source:** State Special Revenue Fund Group: Cash transferred by the Director of Budget and Management from the Office of the Attorney General's Victims of Crime Fund (Fund 4020), also known as the Reparations Fund

**Legal Basis:** ORC 2743.531; Section 253.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 153 of 129th G.A. (originally established by Am. Sub. S.B. 153 of the 123rd G.A.)

**Purpose:** The fund and related line item are statutorily restricted for purpose of paying for the Court of Claims' appellate role in the Victims of Crime Compensation Program. Specifically, the fund and line item pay for: (1) the compensation of commissioners and judges of the Court of Claims necessary to hear appeals from decisions made by the Attorney General on claims allowed under the Victims of Crime Act, and (2) any other administrative expenses of hearing and determining such appeals.