

FOREIGN CLAIMS SETTLEMENT COMMISSION

(Dollars in Thousands)

	SALARIES AND EXPENSES		
	Pos.	FTE	Amount
2006 Enacted (with Rescissions)	11	11	1,303
2007 President's Budget (Information Only).....	11	11	1,559
2007 Continuing Resolution Level (Information Only).....	11	11	1,303
2007 Estimate *	11	11	1,417
2008 Request	11	11	1,709
Change 2008 from 2007 Estimate	0	0	292
Adjustments to Base			
Increases:			
2008 pay raise (3.0%).....	0	0	223
2007 pay raise annualization (2.2%).....	0	0	12
GSA Rent.....	0	0	40
Change in Compensable Days.....	0	0	9
Thrift Savings Plan.....	0	0	5
Health Insurance	0	0	2
DHS Security	0	0	1
Subtotal Increases	0	0	292
Total Adjustments to Base	0	0	292
2008 Current Services	11	11	1,709
2008 Request	11	11	1,709
Change 2008 from 2007 Estimate	0	0	292

* The Department of Justice 2008 budget request was built on a starting point that recognized progress in enacting the FY 2007 appropriation. The starting point used (referred to throughout this document as the "Estimate") is the average of the Senate Committee and House passed marks, less one percent, unless noted otherwise.

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<u>Comparison by activity and program</u>	<u>2007 Estimate</u>			<u>FY08 Current Services</u>			<u>2008 Request</u>			<u>Total Program Changes</u>		
	<u>Perm Pos.</u>	<u>FTE</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Perm Pos.</u>	<u>FTE</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Perm Pos.</u>	<u>FTE</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Perm Pos.</u>	<u>FTE</u>	<u>Amount</u>
1 Foreign Claims.....	11	11	\$1,407	11	11	\$1,709	11	11	\$1,709	0	0	\$0
Total.....	11	11	1,407	11	11	1,709	11	11	1,709	0	0	0

The principal mission of the Foreign Settlement Claims Commission is to adjudicate claims of U.S. nationals against foreign governments, exercising jurisdiction conferred by the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended, and other authorizing legislation. To date, the Commission has compiled and administered 44 international and war related claims programs including claims against 18 countries: Yugoslavia, Panama, Bulgaria, Hungary, Romania, Italy, the former Soviet Union, the former Czechoslovakia, Poland, Cuba, China, the former German Democratic Republic, Vietnam, Ethiopia, Egypt, Iran, Albania, and the Federal Republic of Germany.