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# S. RES. 83

Referring S. 846 entitled “A bill for the relief of J.L. Simmons Company, Inc., of Champaign, Illinois” to the chief judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims for a report thereon.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 8, 2001

Mr. DURBIN submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

DECEMBER 20 (legislative day, DECEMBER 18), 2001  
Committee discharged; considered and agreed to

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## RESOLUTION

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1       *Resolved,*

2       **SECTION 1. REFERRAL.**

3       S. 846 entitled “A bill for the relief of J.L. Simmons  
4       Company, Inc., of Champaign, Illinois”, now pending in  
5       the Senate, together with all the accompanying papers, is  
6       referred to the chief judge of the United States Court of  
7       Federal Claims.

1 **SEC. 2. PROCEEDING AND REPORT.**

2 The chief judge shall—

3 (1) proceed according to the provisions of sec-  
4 tions 1492 and 2509 of title 28, United States Code,  
5 notwithstanding the bar of any statute of limita-  
6 tions, laches, or bar of sovereign immunity; and

7 (2) report back to the Senate, at the earliest  
8 practicable date, providing—

9 (A) such findings of fact and conclusions  
10 as are sufficient to inform Congress of the na-  
11 ture, extent, and character of the claim for  
12 compensation referred to in such bill as a legal  
13 or equitable claim against the United States, or  
14 a gratuity; and

15 (B) the amount, if any, legally or equitably  
16 due from the United States to J.L. Simmons  
17 Company, Inc., of Champaign, Illinois.

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