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11	Senators Smith and Saunders moved the following amendment to
12	<pre>substitute amendment (240980):</pre>
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14	Senate Amendment (with title amendment)
15	On page 1, line 15, through
16	page 2, line 2, delete those lines
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18	and insert:
19	On page 2, lines 1-15, delete those lines
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21	and insert:
22	(2) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, in order
23	to maintain a class action seeking monetary relief, the class
24	must allege and prove actual damages. In any such class
25	action, the monetary recovery shall be limited to equitable
26	relief, if appropriate, and the amount of actual damages.
27	Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit or
28	restrict the ability of the Attorney General to bring a class
29	action for the recovery of statutory penalties, if otherwise
30	authorized by law. However, class action claimants may seek to
31	obtain, if appropriate, nonmonetary relief, including
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1	injunctive relief and orders, declaratory relief and orders,
2	judgments enjoining wrongful conduct, or equitable relief,
3	regardless of whether the class action claimants can prove any
4	actual monetary damages. Nothing in this section shall be
5	construed to in any way limit or restrict the availability of
6	such nonmonetary relief nor does this section limit any remedy
7	available under chapter 501, 772, or 760, Florida Statutes.
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11	And the title is amended as follows:
12	On page 2, line 7-11, delete those lines
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14	and insert:
15	On page 1, line 9, after the word "than"
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17	insert: equitable relief and
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