

**ROBINSON vs.  
CAULKINS  
INDIANTOWN  
CITRUS COMPANY**

**Settlement Update**

Over 700 claims have been received from persons seeking to participate in the \$13.5 million racial discrimination class action settlement obtained by Searcy Denney Scarola Barnhart & Shipley, P.A. lawyers, Jack Scarola and Moses Baker, (now Circuit Court Judge Baker), in cooperation with referring attorneys, I. Jeffrey Pheterson, Joseph Vassallo, and Florida Rural Legal Services Director Peter Helwig. The claims have been measured against a complex, Court approved distribution formula and settlement shares have been allocated to individual class members ranging from \$1,000 to almost three-quarters of a million dollars.

This distribution of settlement checks and execution of the closing papers and releases constitutes the final chapter in this historic case. ■