Popup Select Box

(i) **Tips**

If you have thousands of selections to choose from, **Popup Select Box** is an ideal form element to use as you will be choosing from listing with pagination and search filter, improving loading speed and user experience.

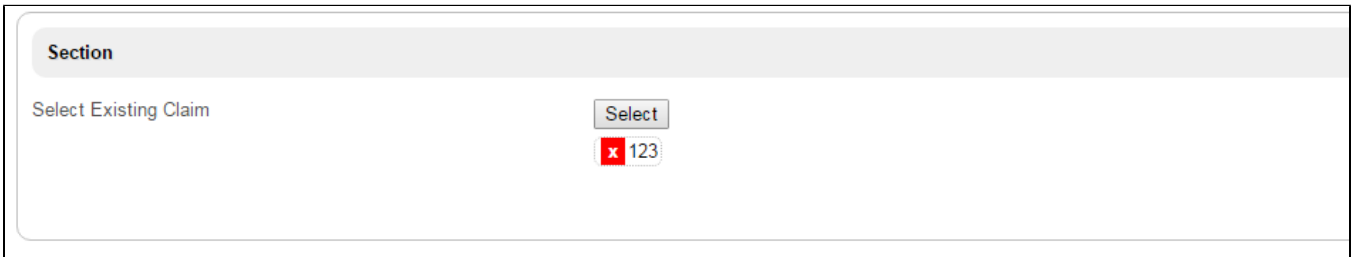Figure 1: Screenshot showing Popup Select Box in Form Builder

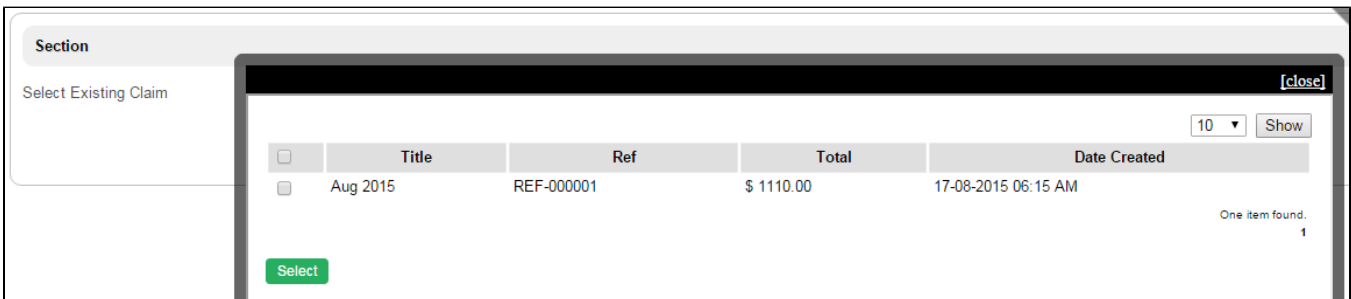Figure 2: Screenshot showing Popup Select Box in actual Form

Figure 3: Screenshot showing Popup Select Box in actual Form - Performing selection
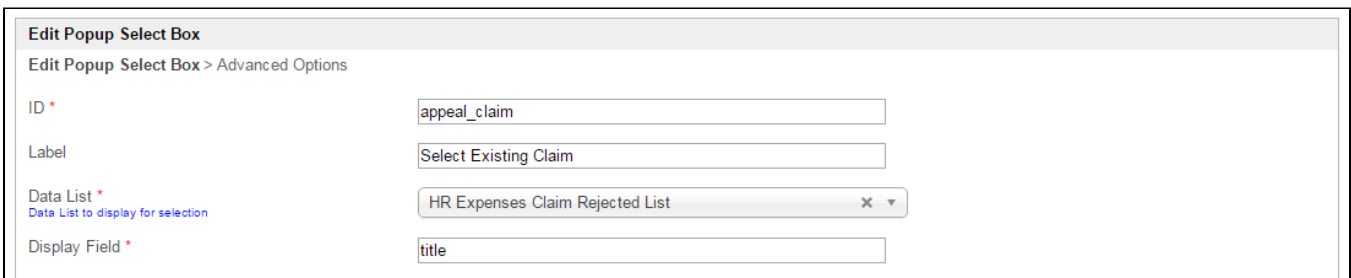

Figure 4: Popup Select Box Properties

Name	Description

ID	Element ID (By declaring as "appeal_claim", a corresponding database table column "c_appeal_claim" will be created)
Label	Element Label to be displayed to end user.
Data List	Data List to display for selection.
Display Field	Field ID from the target Data List for eventual selected option label.

Figure 5: Popup Select Box Properties – Advanced Options

Name	Description

Default Value	Default Value when there's no existing value found/selected.
	
	Hash variable is accepted here. For example, you may key the following
	
	`#currentUser.firstName# #currentUser.lastName#`
	
	to pre-populate the field with current logged in user's name.
	
	You may define multiple default options by separating them using semicolons.
	
	Sample
	
	`option1;option2;option3`

ID Field	Target Data List's column ID value to be saved as option value. Default: id
Multiple Selection	Toggle Multiple Selection.

URL Request Parameters for Datalist	Refine the target Data List selections by defining the filter criteria here.
	Name / **Description**
	Parameter — Target Data List filter parameter name
	Field ID — Current form element field ID
	Default Value — Default Value for the search parameter

Validator	Attach a Validator plugin to validate the input value.
	(i) When will validation takes place? Validation will takes place whenever form is submitted except when it is submitted as "Save as Draft".

Readonly	Determines if the element is editable.

Display field as Label when readonly?	Displays the value of the element as plain text when element is set to "Readonly".

Select Button Label	Select Button Label

Popup Dialog Height	Height in character
	Sample `500px`

Popup Dialog Width	Width in character
	Sample `90%`

Workflow Variable	If the form is part of a workflow process, upon saving of the form (by clicking on "Save as Draft" or "Complete" button). The value in this input field will be saved into the corresponding workflow variable named here.
	(i) Using a non-existent Workflow Variable name You will get the following warning with the name printed out (e.g. status) in the server log if you attempt to map to a non-existent Workflow Variable. `context attribute status does not exist in process context - adding new attributes to the process context is not allowed`