REQUEST FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Oregon Tort Claims Act 2020 Annual Adjustment of the Statutory Liability Limits

The Office of the State Court Administrator (OSCA) has calculated the annual adjustment to the limitations on liability of state and local public bodies for personal injury, death, and property damage or destruction. We propose to adjust the limitations as follows:

Public Body	Claimant(s)	Claim	Current Limit	Adjusted Limit
state	single	injury or death	\$ 2,247,000	\$ 2,307,500
state	multiple	injury or death	\$ 4,494,000	\$ 4,615,000
local	single	injury or death	\$ 749,000	\$ 769,200
local	multiple	injury or death	\$ 1,498,000	\$ 1,538,300
state or local	single	property damage or destruction	\$ 122,900	\$ 126,200
state or local	multiple	property damage or destruction	\$ 614,300	\$ 630,800

The public comment period on the proposed adjustments closes at 5:00 p.m. on May 15, 2020. OSCA will then finalize the adjustments and the new limitations will become effective on July 1, 2020. They will apply to all causes of action arising on or after July 1, 2020, and before July 1, 2021. OSCA makes these adjustments annually, as required by statute.

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