

By Senator Richter

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1                                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to general tort liability; amending s.  
3           768.73, F.S.; providing for applicability of the  
4           punitive damages limitation; providing an effective  
5           date.

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7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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9           Section 1. Subsection (5) of section 768.73, Florida  
10 Statutes, is amended to read:

11           768.73 Punitive damages; limitation.-

12           (5) ~~The provisions of This section applies shall be applied~~  
13 to all civil actions in which judgment has not been entered,  
14 regardless of the date on which the cause of action arose ~~causes~~  
15 ~~of action arising after the effective date of this act.~~

16           Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.