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No on HB 3242 & HB 3243

Lessons From Other States



FLORIDA



In 2020, Florida accounted for 79% of homeowners' insurance lawsuits nationwide while accounting for only 9% of the nation's homeowners' insurance claims.

Citation: Florida Office of Insurance Regulation, July 2022

CALIFORNIA

After a court authorized third-party lawsuits, the number of claims and costs of resolving claims skyrocketed with bodily injury premiums rising 32–53 percent over a decade. Once the lawsuits were barred, premiums and claims costs declined dramatically.

Citation: RAND Institute for Civil Justice 2001



WASHINGTON



After adjusting for inflation, losses have increased 20 percent in Washington for the major property lines of insurance following passage of a law allowing bad faith lawsuits

Citation: SNL Financia!. 2007-2015; inflation adjusted by PCI

Now is Not the Time to Authorize Bad Faith Lawsuits in Oregon Vote No on HB 3242 & HB 3243

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