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**Oregon Progressive Party  
Position on Bill at 2017  
Session of Oregon Legislature:**

**HB 2129: Support**

Dear Committee:

The Oregon Progressive Party supports this bill, which:

- Restricts limitation on award of noneconomic damages to claims in actions for wrongful death.
- Directs State Court Administrator to annually adjust limit on noneconomic damages, beginning in 2018.
- Specifies method by which administrator must make adjustment.

The current \$500,000 limitation on noneconomic damages for a wrongful death claim is too low.

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