

NEGLIGENCE LAW SECTION
Public Policy Position
SB 644

The Negligence Law Section is a voluntary membership section of the State Bar of Michigan, comprised of 1,898 members. The Negligence Law Section is not the State Bar of Michigan and the position expressed herein is that of the Negligence Law Section only and not the State Bar of Michigan. To date, the State Bar does not have a position on this item.

The Negligence Law Section has a public policy decision-making body with 15 members. On November 29, 2017, the Section adopted its position after discussion and vote at a scheduled meeting. 11 members voted in favor of the Section's position on SB 644, 0 members voted against this position, 0 members abstained, 4 members did not vote.

The Negligence Law Section Opposes SB 644.

Explanation:

The bill as introduced could close access to the courts for individuals who have been negatively impacted by negligence on the part of insurance agents and insurance agencies.

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