## **FISCAL UPDATE Article**

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## STATE APPEAL BOARD MEETING — APRIL 2021

**Meeting.** The State Appeal Board met via telephone conference on April 5, 2021. The Board took the following actions:

- Approved approximately \$13,000 in general claims pursuant to lowa Code chapter 25.
- Approved approximately \$126,000 in tort claims pursuant to lowa Code chapter 669.
- Denied approximately \$22.7 million in tort claims pursuant to Iowa Code chapter 669.

## **Settlements.** The Board approved the following settlements:

- One settlement in the amount of \$125,000 regarding a claim of negligence by Iowa State University in the handling of a report of sexual assault in October 2013.
- One settlement in the amount of approximately \$163,000 regarding a claim of medical negligence at the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics on January 22, 2019. The University of Iowa Physicians will pay approximately \$81,000 and the General Fund will pay approximately \$81,000 of the claim.

**FY 2021 Payments.** To date, the State Appeal Board has approved approximately \$3.2 million in payments from the General Fund for settlements and judgments in FY 2021.

Next Meeting. The next State Appeal Board meeting is scheduled for May 3, 2021.

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