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## FISCAL UPDATE Article

Fiscal Services Division

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### STATE APPEAL BOARD — SEPTEMBER 2023

**Meeting.** The State Appeal Board met on September 5, 2023. The Board took the following actions:

- Approved approximately \$68,000 in general claims pursuant to Iowa Code chapter [25](#).
- Approved approximately \$1,000 in tort claims pursuant to Iowa Code chapter [669](#).
- Denied approximately \$11.0 million in tort claims pursuant to Iowa Code chapter 669.

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

- One settlement in the amount of \$50,000 for a claim regarding employment-related allegations under Iowa Code chapter [216](#).
- One settlement in the amount of \$300,000 for a claim alleging discrimination on multiple bases by the Iowa Air National Guard.
- One settlement in the amount of \$125,000 for a claim alleging negligence by the State of Iowa, resulting in an automobile accident with an Iowa State Trooper.
- One settlement in the amount of \$265,000 for a claim alleging discrimination on the basis of a disability by the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics (UIHC).
- One settlement in the amount of \$90,000 for a claim alleging negligence by the UIHC, resulting in an injury that required surgery.
- One settlement in the amount of \$75,000 for a claim alleging negligence by the UIHC. The payment will be made from the University of Iowa Physicians (UIP) funds rather than the General Fund.
- One settlement in the amount of \$14,000 for a claim alleging inappropriate evaluation and treatment by the UIHC. The payment will be made from the UIP funds rather than the General Fund.
- One settlement in the amount of \$2.0 million for a claim alleging medical malpractice by the UIHC. The payment will be made from the UIP funds rather than the General Fund.
- One settlement in the amount of \$75,000 following a procedure performed by the UIHC. The payment will be made from the UIP funds rather than the General Fund.

**FY 2024 Payments.** The Board has not made any payments from the General Fund for settlements or judgments in FY 2024 as of September 5, 2023.

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