FISCAL UPDATE Article

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STATE APPEAL BOARD MEETING — DECEMBER 2017

Meeting. The State Appeal Board met on December 4, 2017, in Des Moines. The Board took the following actions:

- Approved \$29,844 in general claims, including a Portico Staffing claim indicating outdated invoices were not received or paid.
- Approved \$4,949 and denied \$5.4 million in tort claims.

Medical Negligence. The State Appeal Board approved a medical negligence lawsuit settlement in the amount of \$240,000. The lawsuit alleged medical negligence resulting in death following respiratory distress at the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics. The University of Iowa Physicians will contribute \$40,000, and the remaining \$200,000 will be paid from the State General Fund.

Next Meeting. The next Board meeting will be held on January 9, 2018.

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