

amount of damage [~~or \$1,000~~] NOT TO EXCEED THE FAIR MARKET VALUE OF THE PROPERTY DAMAGED OR \$5,000.

(3) As to personal injuries, inflicted, [~~the lesser of~~] the reasonable medical, dental, and hospital expenses incurred by the injured person as a result of the injury [~~, or \$1,000~~], or \$5,000.

[ (4) As an absolute limit against any one child or his parents, ~~\$1,500~~ \$5,000 for all acts arising out of a single incident. ]

(c) A judgment of restitution against a parent may not be entered unless the parent has been afforded a reasonable opportunity to be heard and to present appropriate evidence in his behalf. A hearing under this section may be held as part of a disposition hearing for the child.

(d) The judgment may be enforced in the same manner as enforcing monetary judgments.

(e) The court may order the child who, wilfully or maliciously, steals, damages, or destroys the property of another or inflicts personal injury on another to make the restitution expenses himself if that is feasible considering the age and circumstances of the child; and if this is ordered, the liability of the child precedes the liability of the parent. The court may, in the alternative, enter a judgment or restitution against the child.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved May 17, 1977.

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CHAPTER 302

(Senate Bill 215)

AN ACT concerning

Commercial Law - Interest

FOR the purpose of excluding as interest certain fees and charges paid by a developer for the purpose of making loans available to home purchasers; and prohibiting these fees and charges from being charged to the home purchaser with an exception.

BY adding to

Article - Commercial Law