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The City Manager's Office City Hall 230 NE 2nd Street McMinnville, OR 97128

## Subject:

Notice of Tort Claim - ORS 30.275 Claimant: Hans Wulf

Dear Sir or Madam:

This firm represents Hans Wulf. This letter serves as formal notice that a claim for false arrest and negligence is or will be asserted against the Sheriff's Offices of the Counties of Multnomah, Marion, Washington, Clackamas, and Yamhill, the Oregon DMV, and the State of Oregon.

The attached records show the Oregon DMV mistakenly had Mr. Wulf's license status as "criminally suspended." This led to numerous false arrests and false charges. *See attached Correspondence and OJCIN* printout.

There was also a false arrest in the County of Yamhill, City of McMinnville. These false arrests were not discovered to be false until written admissions were sent by the district attorney's office.

My client has spent approximately 158 days in jail as a result of the false arrests. He lost wages during that time. In addition, Mr. Wulf had various amounts of bail moneys not returned, particularly in the *County of Yamhill, City of McMinnville*. Demand is made that his bail money in full be returned immediately.

For his pain and suffering and lost wages during the 158 days he spent in jail based on false arrests, we estimate my client's pain and suffering to be **\$100,000**. Additionally, we believe his lost wages would be approximately **\$63,200**, and bail money, and any license fees he may incur. Finally, my client's vehicles were towed which he could not retrieve due to the false license suspension. Those vehicles totaled **\$22,200**.

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Therefore, you are on notice of this Tort Claim. Demand is made that you compensate Mr. Wulf for pain and suffering, lost wages, vehicles, bail moneys, and fines incurred due to your actions. The economic loss is *\$85,400* and noneconomic loss is *\$100,000*, for a total loss of *\$185,400*. You have records of the fines and bail moneys not returned. We request a complete accounting and reimbursement of those moneys. Please send any correspondence concerning this claim to this office.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jonathan H. Johnson

Jonathan H. Johnson

CC: Hans Wulf