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Accident or Injury Occurs Nobody ever expects an accident or injury to occur. Even if they are conscious of the dangers around them, when the moment strikes, it is still unexpected. At least, it can be frustrating and stressful. At worst, it can be permanently debilitating or deadly. However inconveniencing or frustrating an accident or injury can be. It is important to stop, collect your thoughts, and think about the future for you and your family. This mostly takes the form of documenting evidence and following the proper procedures so that you can collect financial compensation for your losses in the future. It is your right; it is necessary. All of the things you should do after an accident are really quite simple, but for the sake of thoroughness, it may help to read this article which goes into more detail. If you are injured in a slip-and-fall, follow these steps. Additionally, if you are injured in any other type of accident or incident, make sure you collect evidence as well, using the same general concept. To paraphrase, you should call the police, take lots of pictures, get copies of everything IDs, insurance cards, license plates, etc. Anything and everything that could help you to prove your case later is relevant. And of course, seek medical attention. Ask for a copy of the incident report. If the establishment will not provide you with a copy and claim it is confidential, make notes about the information you provide in the report. Do not make a formal statement. Seek Medical Attention after Accident After you are involved in an automobile accident or injury, seek medical attention as soon as possible. Injuries do not always appear right away, especially after a traumatic incident. This is especially true if someone is involved in a particularly severe auto accident. Immediately afterward, it is natural to experience a rush of adrenaline and shock. This bodily response is why people with serious injuries can do amazing feats in the heat of battle or some other traumatic event. Be sure to take photographs of any visible injuries—bruises, cuts, scrapes, and abrasions—you may have sustained. These types of injuries will heal with time and therefore documenting them to be used later in pursuing your injury claim is essential. Even if you do not think you are injured, you should still be seen by a medical professional right away. This is for two reasons. First, you may have an injury that you cannot see or feel at first. For example, an EMT may notice that you have signs of a concussion or whiplash. Second, in the event you start to feel pain later—which is quite likely—you will have proof that you saw a doctor right away. When you do see a medical provider, it is critical that you are very explicit and thorough with providing to the physician each of the injuries and symptoms you are experiencing. Even if you do not feel a particular symptom or fact is relatively significant, thorough medical documentation of your injuries is the cornerstone of evidencing your claim to the insurance company. You should also continue to seek necessary medical care if you are still experiencing ongoing symptoms. Just like a denial of emergency care after an injury can be used by the insurance company against you, gaps in medical care will also significantly damage your claim. Consult a Personal Injury Attorney Some may think that this step seems to come a little early in the time line. That, perhaps you should wait to see what the insurance will offer or wait for a diagnosis before you seek the advice of a legal professional? This is not the case; and for a simple reason: So, you have nothing to worry about just seeking their advice. At best, they help you get a settlement that is much greater than what an insurance company would give you on your own. According to a study done by the Insurance Research Council, those who hire an attorney in a personal injury case receive a 3. When you meet with an attorney, they can assess if you have a workable case and determine the best course of action for you, with them or without them. Once it is decided if the attorney will take the case, fees will be negotiated. Most Florida Personal Injury Attorneys work off a contingency fee contract. That is, the attorney receives compensation from the settlement proceeds, if any, based on a percentage. You should also discuss with your attorney the time frame of your specific case. Ask how long the firm will take building your case before sending out an initial demand to the insurance company. Investigates Claim and Medical Records Once you hire an attorney, they will begin to investigate the claim and review your case. The first

thing that your attorney will do is thoroughly interview you. They will want to know how the accident happened, information about your background, and any medical conditions you had before and after the incident. They will also need to know any and all places you received medical treatment for your injury. All the information gathered will be quite thorough. This process is often done by someone called an Intake Specialist. Some of the information may be personal and some may seem irrelevant, but there is a reason for every question. Most importantly, an attorney needs to be ready for anything and do their best to avoid any surprises later. If you were injured in the past, tell your attorney. If you have large debts, tell your attorney. Clients and attorneys should be as honest with each other as possible. The most frequent defense insurance companies take in auto accident cases is that your injuries are pre-existing or degenerative in nature. In order to combat this defense, your attorney must have a thorough and complete understanding of your past medical history. Invariably, insurance companies have a way of discovering your medical history whether or not you disclose it to them. Enabling your attorney to gather this information from the outset of your claim will help to best prepare your case. Next, the lawyer will begin to collect all of your medical records and bills relating to the injury. This will include any doctors you saw, what they said, their treatment recommendations, medicines, etc. This too will be thorough. Sometimes this can take a long time, depending on your treatment. The process will take time. Good attorneys will help you through the process and ensure you are getting the medical treatment you need despite your ability to pay. During this process, make sure to adequately communicate with your attorney regarding the doctors you do see. If the original doctor who is treating you refers you out to a specialist, make sure to advise your attorney that a referral has been made so that your attorney can request those medical records in a timely manner and keep your file updated. File an Insurance Claim or Demand a Settlement Many personal injury cases are settled before they ever reach a court. This is a good thing in some circumstances, and not so in others. Some firms take on mass amounts of clients with the intent of settling early for a low amount. If they do this enough times, they can make a lot of money. However, a good attorney will analyze the unique situation, using the threat of court to their advantage. This is the difference between hiring a small, experienced firm and a big-budget settlement mill. A minimal amount of car insurance coverage is required in most states. In Florida, this is known as Personal Injury Protection. If the injury was not caused by an auto accident, your attorney will look into who was at-fault and begin a claim with their insurance. If an insurance company is not involved, a demand letter can be sent to the other party mandating a settlement for the injuries sustained. Oftentimes, a counteroffer will be made and your attorney should attempt to negotiate a higher settlement amount than the amount of the initial offer. If the offer by the insurance company only increases slightly throughout litigation, you may end up with a similar net settlement had you resolved your case prior to filing a lawsuit. Each case is different depending on the facts and circumstances of liability, the insurance policy limits of the at-fault party, and your injuries and amount of medical bills. You should speak with your attorney about all the pros and cons of resolving a case or moving forward prior to accepting a settlement. Filing a Personal Injury Lawsuit If a settlement with the insurance company cannot be reached—mostly likely because they will not pay what the case is worth—it is time to file a lawsuit. Under Florida Statute, a personal injury lawsuit must be filed within four 4 years of the injury or accident. However, the sooner the better. Lawsuits are not always the best course of action, but sometimes it is the only thing that insurance companies respond to. They may feel greater pressure to reach a more fair settlement once the lawsuit has been filed against them. A lawsuit on your behalf is initiated by filing a Complaint in the Circuit Court in the County where the incident occurred. At the same time, your attorney will request a Summons be issued by the Clerk of Court. The Summons, Complaint and any corresponding discovery will be served upon the tortfeasor Defendant by a process server. When the Defendant is served, the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure govern the time frame each party must abide by during the litigation process and states that a Defendant must file an Answer to the allegations in the Complaint within 20 days. The Florida Rules of Civil Procedure allow each party to propound certain types of written discovery upon the other. In an auto accident case, the Florida Supreme Court requires parties to serve standard interrogatories which essentially request background biographical information e. Did a mechanical failure contribute to the incident occurring? Standard auto accident interrogatories will also ask about medical providers you have treated with in the past

ten 10 years, whether you were suffering from any physical disability or sickness at the time of the crash and whether you were wearing eye glasses or hearing aids. Interrogatories are limited to thirty 30 absent good cause shown and Court approval. Your attorney will assist in guiding you in responding to interrogatories. The next step in discovery involves each side taking depositions. This allows the Defendant to subpoena both your past and current medical records prior to deposing you. A deposition is simply your testimony given under oath in front of a court reporter or stenographer who is making a transcript of the questions and answers.

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How to determine responsibility of involved parties and understand what leads to a claim. Specific technical aspects associated with motor controllers and gate functions are intentionally omitted from this article. This article is not intended to be a training manual for automatic gate operators for the general public. It is derived from many years of personal experience as an installer, service provider, and retained gate expert witness. Property entry gates that are automatically operated by adjacent motor controllers are responsible for a myriad of different types of claims ranging from vehicular damage to wrongful death. In this article, generic automated motor controlled devices and related triggering mechanisms will be explained, products and their applications and installations will be examined, and reasons for injuries and property damage will be explored. Requirements for service providers and service contract agreements will be addressed. Personal injuries associated with both defective and properly working gate products will be discussed. Typical gate injuries and property damage occur in a variety of ways. It is not uncommon to have a swinging, sliding, or pivoting gate come into contact with a vehicle in the gates path of travel. Many personal injury and property damage claims have arisen from physical contact with a PROPERLY operating gate system or the way that the particular gate system is used or abused. Three examples of different types of incidents that can occur due to poor personal choices. Multiple vehicles attempt to exit a parking gate designed for single vehicle function. The subsequent vehicle, sometimes referred to as a "piggy back", attempts to exit through a gate that is set up to allow only one vehicle to exit with each cycle. The gate closes on the unauthorized car and damages both the vehicle and the gate system. A pedestrian attempt to enter an area through an already moving closing gate meant for vehicles only. The gate makes contact with the pedestrian, continues to close and severely injures the person as the closing cycle is completed. An uninformed or unaware workman fails to disable a motor controller. An irresponsible action of a person in close proximity to an automated gate or operator mechanism is severely injured, crushed, or killed. Inappropriate entanglement with a properly functioning gate mechanism is usually directly attributable to the personal responsibility of the injured party. This is a superficial observation that often leads to finding more serious motor control deficiencies. If an injury or property damage results from deferred or defective equipment, one or all of the following three reasons may be observed. Improper choice of product, placement, or installation. Missing safety devices or required code compliant practices. Long deferred maintenance of the gate system and associated related products. Requirements for an initial evaluation: As a retained gate expert witness for either plaintiff or defense, an unbiased assessment of the site is essential. The most important aspect of a thorough field examination is possessing the trade specific knowledge for all of the possible devices that can be used with the subject gate controller. Secondly, a true gate expert must have the ability to identify all of the equipment components that are present and be able to verify their condition and functional capabilities. It is important to approach each inspection with an open mind. Some so called experts offer predetermined and tired opinions based upon their own bias and limited knowledge and expertise. An expert must positively know if the motor controller is properly installed and that all of the products associated with the controller work and are correctly adjusted. The expert must have a thorough understanding of all of the current available safety features, determine if they are in place, verify that they are properly functioning, and appropriately integrated. Maintenance and service records, if available at the time of, or prior to the site inspection, can prove important and be significant in determining the cause of an incident. These records can also help make clear which service entities or owners may be associated with or responsible for the claim. What makes up a typical gate system? In any gate system there has to be a gate of some sort. It can be installed to either swing or slide and it can operate horizontally, vertically or in some combination of both motions. Gates can be moved manually or have automatic motor controls. Most vehicular gates operate using some sort of automatic motor controller. They allow an ease of access and are safe to use if properly installed, maintained, and are functioning correctly. If the motor in place is not working and it has

been properly disconnected from the gate, manually pushing a rolling or swinging gate can be safe if it was properly manufactured, installed, adjusted, and balanced. When gates have installed automatic motor controllers, they require either remote or local activation devices. Some of the most typical activation devices may include hard wired phone lines between a residence or office and the gate. Architectural pedestals with wall mounted activation keypads or magnetic card readers are common. Other devices with electronic interfaces capable of energizing the controller, such as hand-held or car equipped radio activated remote controls perform the same function as the hard wired command system, only wirelessly. In this day and age, many smart phones can be used to open and close automatic motor controllers remotely. It is now possible to monitor the function and position of most automatic motor controllers online. An owner can remotely unlock or activate an automated gate from anywhere in the world to allow user access with a few simple commands on their smart phone or computer. Magnetic inductance ground loops are also installed into many automatic gate systems. Using any single device from the above list causes the gate motor controller to begin operating. Many times, the starting operation of the motor controller occurs without any advance warning once it has received an activation command. In some circumstances, audible or visible alarms indicate that the motor controller is about to become active. These alarms are more common in a commercial setting where cross traffic needs to be made aware of potential gate operations prior to the operator start up. But, in many cases, alarms are a false sense of security and are generally ineffective as there is usually not enough time for reaction when the alarm is heard or seen. In ground activation sensors: In high usage systems, in-ground sensors commonly referred to as control loops are frequently placed below the surface of concrete or asphalt adjacent to the gate. These in-ground loops are fabricated from various gauges and configurations of insulated wire that create a magnetic inductance field. The magnetic field is usually controlled and generated through electrically charged modules attached to the gate operator motor control unit. When a car or truck drives over these ground loops the metal of the vehicles alter the magnetic field of the ground loop. The vehicle presence lengthens the path of the magnetic field to "notify" the motor controller that a vehicle is in proximity to the in-ground loop. In some systems a base line frequency becomes altered by the presence of the now detected metal of the vehicle. Loops are often positioned in multiple locations near the gate and offer several different functions to protect the vehicles as the vehicle transitions from "approaching" the gate, passing over the "threshold" of the gate, and "clearing" the gate. Years ago, pressure sensitive pads were tried as triggering devices. These products were prone to false readings and failed after a short period of installation usage. It is a common misconception that modern control loops are only activated from the weight of a vehicle. In-ground loops require routine analysis for continuity and condition. Damage due to corrosion by chemical reaction of the insulation of the wire loop and roadbed material can create changes in the activation fields of these magnetic devices or cause them to fail completely. Sometimes, weather conditions are also responsible for improperly working sensor loops. Temperature, snow, ice, and water can lead to defective operation of a deferred control wire loop that has lost insulation qualities. These loops need to be checked using a specific piece of equipment referred to as a "meg" meter that is designed to measure the magnetic inductance. A competent service provider must use this "megohm" resistance measuring equipment and understand what the readings mean. Generally, low or inconsistent readings indicate that the loop must be replaced. Mid-range readings usually indicate a working loop. There are various ranges on the meters which are used to verify the overall loop responses which are chosen depending upon the size, length, and gauge of wire installed in the ground. The multi-meter above has a resistance setting to measure ohms. This is a typical type of megohm measuring device capable of applying voltage to an in-ground loop. This view of the electronics in a typical gate operator above shows three installed modules that are attached to the in-ground loops. The actual wire ground loop installed in this driveway above is not visible. The saw cuts indicate that a small trench has been made to place the ground loop wire. Typically, the clipped or rounded corners and trail show the position of the loop. In many cases, additional loops have been installed due to improper original placement of the in-ground loop. It is important to verify which of the trenched ground loops are currently connected to the motor controller. In addition to the various activation products, there are many different kinds of ancillary safety products manufactured and readily available for automatic gate controllers. At times, wrongfully

considered as an optional piece of equipment, these products provide functions designed to protect users from inadvertent gate operations and adverse forces that can be potentially imparted to the gate via the motor control mechanism. One of many styles of optical sensors available above , added as additional safety for some gate installations. In the most basic motor controlled system an activation command to open the gate is the single "trigger" for the motor. A built-in and field adjustable timer is used to control the closing function of the gate motor control. After the initial activation to open the gate, the timer begins "counting down" until it reaches zero and allows the gate mechanism to close the gate. This type of minimal circuitry is from a time when no safety devices were thought of as necessary, and is currently significantly below acceptable standards for safe gate operators. These products are still in usage throughout the country as the motor controllers are still in operable condition and have not been upgraded. One of many timer styles of control elements of a typical basic gate operating system left For purposes of this article, but not universally applicable, gates and their motor controllers are essentially "blind" mechanical devices. Without any added motor controller safety equipment monitoring obstructions in the path of travel of the gate, the potential for serious physical contact between a moving gate and vehicles or pedestrian is probable at some time. Typically, local codes, national standards, and professional installations require factory available safety accessories be added to the basic motor controller equipment. Some of these products include photo electric beams, the aforementioned in-ground control loops, microwave, infrared and ultrasonic sensors, and auto reverse circuits with adjustable sensitivity. Built in slip clutch mechanisms are part of some motor controllers which can limit the movement of the driven gate. It is important to understand that "slip clutches" are primarily incorporated into most mechanical devices to protect the mechanism. Slip clutches are not safety devices meant primarily to protect a user. They are in place to keep the mechanical operator from destroying itself when adverse resistive forces are encountered. There are manufacturer notes provided in most installation manuals that clearly state that the slip clutch is not a personnel safety device and should not be used in place of appropriate safety devices that are available and intended for increased safe usage of the operator.

Chapter 3 : Time Barred Claims Solicitors Professional Negligence Claims

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In this video, John Griffith of GriffithLaw discusses how long it takes to get a personal injury case resolved in Tennessee. This is a very common question asked by most victims injured in car accidents in Tennessee. Understandably, most people want to collect their compensation and put the crash behind them as soon as possible. If you are looking to settle your case quickly, the insurance company will make you an offer at the very beginning of your case. They hope you will accept that offer because it will usually be low, and you might not yet be aware of the extent of your injuries. If you do accept the offer, your case can be resolved within weeks; however, you will no longer be able to collect additional money for your injuries at a later time. This is why it is prudent to be patient and not settle too quickly.

Factors That Affect the Time to Settle Your Case

The length of time your case may take to be resolved often depends on the following factors:

- The extent of your injuries. You never want to settle a car accident injury claim until you recover completely or reach a point of maximum medical improvement. Although your recovery can take six months or more, which adds time to your case, it is in your best interest to wait until you know the cost of your medical bills, lost wages, and the result of your pain and suffering.
- The cooperation of the insurance company. Some insurance companies are more willing to be flexible than others when it comes to negotiating a settlement. Smaller insurers may have a large volume of outstanding claims, taking longer for each claim to be addressed by an adjuster. Still other insurers require several layers of internal review and approval by multiple parties before an amount can be disbursed, especially if the claim is over a certain value.

After the lawsuit gets filed and the other party gets 30 days to answer, the discovery phase of the case begins. Depositions statements under oath will then be taken, and witnesses and medical providers will also be deposed. This process can be lengthy and frustrating but needed in order to strengthen your case. Following this process, the court will typically require mediation.

The details of the case. There are many factors involved in an individual case that can add to the timeline of the claim. For example, claims involving government entities may take longer than claims between two drivers and their insurance companies. If there are gaps in the documentation of the crash such as a missing police report or unavailable witness, the case may take longer to settle. Also, an accident involving a commercial trucking company, delivery truck, or other major corporation may require an extensive investigation, adding to the overall timeline of the case.

The percentage of fault. It may take some time to clearly establish liability in your case. It is important to be patient throughout this process, since liability is a major factor in the amount you may receive in your case. If you are not satisfied with the amount you are offered, you may decline the settlement and take your case to trial. While there is the potential for a higher settlement by going to trial, there is also more risk involved. If the insurer makes a strong case to the jury, you may be denied any amount at all for your injuries and even if you are successful at trial, the defendant has the ability to appeal the decision, forcing you to go through the process all over again. For this reason, many victims would rather accept a settlement that will provide for their losses than go to trial. A good settlement in your case will provide payment for:

- A settlement should at least provide for any costs you have incurred as a direct result of the accident. This includes all of your past medical bills, any medical treatment you may need for your injury in the future, and any property damage that was sustained in the crash.
- You should also have the total amount of your lost wages from the days of work you missed due to the accident, including any benefits such as bonuses, commissions, and opportunities for advancement.

In many accident cases, the victim will never be able to make a full recovery. You may only be able to work part time, or be unable to earn a sustainable living at all. Nerve damage, paralysis, and other permanent injuries can prevent you from engaging in the activities you formerly enjoyed, effectively changing both your life and your lifestyle. An injury can also make some options impossible for you, such as affecting your ability to have children or to care for the children you already have. Your pain and suffering. Pain and suffering is not just an amount for physical discomfort, but for the emotional effects of your injuries. Did the circumstances of your accident cause

extreme emotional anguish? Are you seeing a therapist or psychologist on an ongoing basis to deal with the trauma of the accident? Did the accident cause facial disfigurement, loss of quality of life, or place a strain on your relationships with family members? Any one of these effects can be considered in a pain and suffering award. Most Tennessee personal injury cases are resolved within nine months to a year and a half. While this may seem like a long time, your compensation may be higher after getting through medical treatment and going through all the proper litigation steps to prove your case.

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This is the sum of your "special" damages, or economic losses. In any injury-related insurance claim, or even a personal injury lawsuit filed in civil court, the losses suffered by the person who has been injured can be placed into one of these two categories. Special damages are those losses that are easy to quantify. They include the costs of medical treatment, any lost income due to time missed at work, property damage caused by the accident, and other out-of-pocket losses. So, how do you put a dollar value on these kinds of losses? To get a dollar figure that might represent the value of the general damages, an insurance adjuster will add up all the "special" medical damages remember those are your quantifiable losses and multiply that total by a number between 1. The multiplier will be lower or higher depending on a number of specific facts related to your case: How bad are your injuries? How much medical treatment have you received? How much treatment will you need in the future? Are you expected to make a full recovery? Will there be permanent or long-lasting effects? How have the accident and your injuries impacted your daily life? The list goes on. Of course, which multiplier to use will likely itself be a point of contention. For more information on coming up with the right multiplier, see [Determining a Multiplier to Value Your Personal Injury Case](#) But once the multiplier is used to arrive at a general damages figure, adding that number to the special damages total will give the insurance adjuster and you a ballpark idea of the value of your claim, or at least a starting point for settlement negotiations. More Information To get a good understanding of how these types of formulas work during personal injury settlement negotiations, you need to learn the basics of damages and compensation. Start by reading the articles we have filed under [Personal Injury Damages and Compensation](#). [Adjust Your Settlement Target for Your Own Fault](#) You may need to reduce your target settlement amount if your own carelessness "contributed" to the accident. Depending on the state in which the accident occurred, the law requires a jury award to be reduced by your percentage of fault -- and in a few cases, to zero. The three basic types of "contributory" and "comparative" negligence rules are as follows: [Pure Comparative Negligence States](#) In the following states, the dollar amount of your award would be reduced by your percentage of fault, with no limits:

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Our team of highly experienced lawyers will guide you through your personal injury claim so you can relax and concentrate on your recovery. They have been working together for over 25 years. His practice history has included a great deal of family law and personal injury law. Since moving his practice to Port Moody in he is better able to serve the residents of the Tri-Cities of Port Coquitlam, Coquitlam and Port Moody PoCoMo as well as those living in other parts of the lower mainland. Motor Vehicle Accident Claims are the largest part of his practice although he also assists people with Family Law Claims and Criminal matters. He can also be found participating in various local events. Mandy was called to the bar of British Columbia in Mandy has experience in a wide range of areas. As a litigator, she practices in the areas of personal injury and motor vehicle law and estate litigation. Her solicitor practice includes personal planning, wills and estates, corporate law and real estate transactions. Mandy is diligent in helping her clients receive the treatment they need and the compensation that they deserve. Mandy is approachable and personable, and also fluent in Punjabi. This allows her to communicate effectively with her clients without a language barrier. Outside the practice of law, Mandy enjoys cooking, the great outdoors, and spending quality time with her family and friends. Frequently Asked Questions Below is a list of some questions we often get asked by our clients. We hope they help answer any queries you might have, but if not, feel free to call us and we will be happy to assist you. How much is my injury claim worth? The amount that your claim is worth depends on many factors including the nature and extent of the injuries, whether the injuries have resulted in an inability to work and what expenses the injuries have generated. Please book a free initial consultation with us to discuss these and other factors that may be important to your claim. How can I afford a lawyer to handle my injury claim? Please book a free initial consultation for further details. What if my injuries prevent me from working? You may be entitled to various wage loss benefits.

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It is important to realise in these circumstances that not all Solicitors are the same and that if you had a good enough claim which was lost or damaged by a negligent Solicitor you should be able to recover the compensation you deserve, through a professional negligence claim against the Solicitor. One of the most obvious and unfortunately frequent types of Solicitors Negligence case is that involving a missed Limitation date or Time Limit for bringing a Claim. In Employment Cases there are usually strict time limits of 3 or 6 months within which to bring a claim at the Tribunal with only limited discretion to allow late claims to proceed. In Civil Law nearly every form of action has a Limitation date which is fixed by statute. In other equitable cases there is no set date, but an equitable doctrine of Laches applies, which means that the Court can say that a case is out of time if the claim has been delayed too long. The complexity does not stop there because we first have to work out when the time starts to run, with a different starting date applying in Contract cases, to those in Negligence, where it depends on working out when the first significant loss occurred in your case. There are also exceptions to the Limitation dates and possible extensions of time, or time not running and there can be additional Limitation dates set according to dates of knowledge, with certain provisions applying to Personal Injury cases and other rules affecting other cases in Negligence, but not Contract. The interpretation of the Law on Limitation of actions can lead to some missed time limits but other mistakes happen when a Solicitor fails to diarise the relevant date. In the case of missed Limitation dates and dates for starting proceedings the result is usually the same with the loss of the claim and a substantial loss to the Client, who can no longer pursue the claim against the original Defendant, because it is by then Time Barred. A Claim can also be struck out for inordinate delays by your Solicitor or for breaches of the Procedural Rules or Court Orders and Directions in your case and it would often not then be possible to start the case again because it would be Time Barred. In all of these circumstances we are confident that we can help you obtain proper redress and compensation for your loss in a professional negligence claim against your Solicitor. Although there are several different types of case where the claim could be lost as a result of your Solicitor causing your case to be Time Barred the most usual types include: Firstly, we have dealt with these cases successfully before and know what we are doing. Secondly, in addition to our specialist knowledge and experience we always adopt a personal, friendly and caring approach and are committed to helping people like you. We always put your interests first in trying to achieve the best outcome for you. It is important to use an experienced team when it comes to making any sort of claim against a Solicitor or other legal professional because these cases are often complex and difficult and the Solicitors and Lawyers; Insurers will use many legal arguments to challenge your claim. This is particularly the case when the subject matter of the claim is a previous Litigation claim, defence or dispute. When a Litigation claim, becomes Time Barred there are often difficult aspects to the case, which led the Solicitor to make a mistake. Our team specialises in professional negligence claims against Solicitors and other lawyers, which means that whatever type of claim you need to make we can help. All of our current professional negligence cases are against Solicitors and other lawyers. We have over 25 years experience in pursuing Solicitors negligence claims from all around England and Wales you can feel sure that our team of legal experts can help you get the compensation you deserve. In addition to the expertise of our Solicitors we are able to rely upon the additional expertise of specialist Counsel and other experts appropriate for your case, from our contacts built up over many years. We have a lot of experience in complex cases, which means that whether your claim involves Solicitors, Barristers or other legal professionals your claim will be in safe hands. Costs Involved When it comes to getting the legal advice and support you need we understand the cost is the last thing you want to worry about! We offer everyone a free assessment over the telephone or via email and will even give you advice there and then if we can! With most legal matters It is better to take action sooner rather than later. We know that contacting a Solicitor can create anxiety itself, which is why you can contact us without obligation. We are committed to

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As a general rule, all personal injury and wrongful death claims in Texas must be filed within two years of when the incident occurred. While you may technically have some time to file your claim, its always best to consult with an attorney as soon as possible.

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Many personal injury and property damage claims have arisen from physical contact with a PROPERLY operating gate system or the way that the particular gate system is used or abused. Other personal injuries and wrongful death claims have been the result of an IMPROPERLY maintained and malfunctioning gate system.

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Time Limits for Filing Personal Injury Claims in Alberta October 30, In Alberta, the Limitations Act, creates time limits for filing civil claims (i.e. lawsuits), for any injury including serious personal injury claims.