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1985 Wisconsin Act 130

AN ACT to amend 895.04 (4) of the statutes, relating to damages in wrongful death actions.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 895.04 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

895.04 (4) Judgment for damages for pecuniary injury from wrongful death may be awarded to any person entitled to bring a wrongful death action.

Additional damages not to exceed \$50,000 for loss of society and companionship may be awarded to the spouse or unemancipated or dependent, children, or parents of the deceased.

SECTION 2. Initial applicability. This act applies to causes of action which accrue on or after the effective date of this SECTION.