

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1274

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To repeal section 538.300, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the modification of a jury's verdict by a court in tort actions based on improper health care.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 538.300, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu  
2 thereof, to be known as section 538.300, to read as follows:

538.300. The provisions of [section] **sections** 260.552, [sections 537.068 and] 537.117,  
2 and 537.760 to 537.765, and subsections 2 and 3 of section 408.040 shall not apply to actions  
3 under sections 538.205 to 538.230.

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.