



## Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission Policies

**Category:** ADMINISTRATIVE SETTLEMENTS  
**Subcategory:** Insurance Claims

### **AUTHORITY TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE ADMINISTRATIVE SETTLEMENTS - INSURANCE CLAIMS**

- a. **Insurance Claims (not the subject of a lawsuit) against Others -  
Receipts/Payments:** Claims against insurance companies or others, partial payment agreements, and receipts or releases for payments to the Commission in satisfaction of amounts owed to the Commission, which are not the subject of a lawsuit, may be executed by the Director, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Engineer, Assistant Chief Engineer, the Risk and Benefits Management Director, or an assistant to the Risk and Benefits Management Director.
  
- b. **Insurance Claims (not the subject of a lawsuit) against MoDOT and/or the Commission:** Settlement of claims against MoDOT and/or the Commission or an employee of the department or Commission, or a Commission member through its self-insurance programs for claims alleging the dangerous condition of Commission property or the negligent operation of a motor vehicle operated by a department or Commission employee or Commission member in which the amount to be paid by the Commission is equal to or less than the liability limits under the state sovereign immunity statutes or \$1,000,000 per claimant/\$2,000,000 for all claims from an occurrence, whichever is less may be executed by the Director, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Engineer, Assistant Chief Engineer, or others designated by written advisory from the Chief Financial Officer to the Risk and Benefits Management Director.

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