

82B.24 PRIVATE RIGHT OF ACTION.

Subdivision 1. **Remedies.** Any person injured by a violation of the standards, duties, prohibitions, or requirements of section 82B.20 or 82B.22 shall have a private right of action and the court shall award:

- (1) actual, incidental, and consequential damages;
- (2) statutory damages of no less than \$1,000 nor more than \$2,000;
- (3) punitive damages if appropriate, and as provided in sections 549.191 and 549.20; and
- (4) court costs and reasonable attorney fees.

Subd. 2. **Private attorney general statute.** A person injured by a violation of the standards, duties, prohibitions, or requirements of section 82B.20 or 82B.22 also may bring an action under section 8.31. A private right of action by a borrower under this chapter is in the public interest.

Subd. 3. **Remedies cumulative.** The remedies provided in this section are cumulative and do not restrict any other right or remedy otherwise available to the borrower.

Subd. 4. **Time limitations.** (a) A private right of action must be commenced the earlier of:

(1) six years from the date the appraisal services giving rise to the cause of action were performed or should have been performed;

(2) six years from the date the appraisal giving rise to the cause of action was completed or should have been completed; or

(3) the expiration of any other applicable statute of limitations.

(b) Paragraph (a), clauses (1) and (2), do not apply when the person alleges that an injury occurred due to:

(1) knowing and intentional fraud; or

(2) knowing and intentional misrepresentation during the performance of an appraisal.

History: 2007 c 74 s 6; 2017 c 37 s 5