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## RECENT DEVELOPMENT

## HASHMI V. BENNETT

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JOINT TORT-FEASOR STATUS MUST BE CONFERRED UPON INDIVIDUALS IN A SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT IN ORDER TO REDUCE CONTRIBUTION TO A JURY AWARD UNDER THE MARYLAND UNIFORM CONTRIBUTION AMONG JOINT TORT-FEASORS ACT.

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