

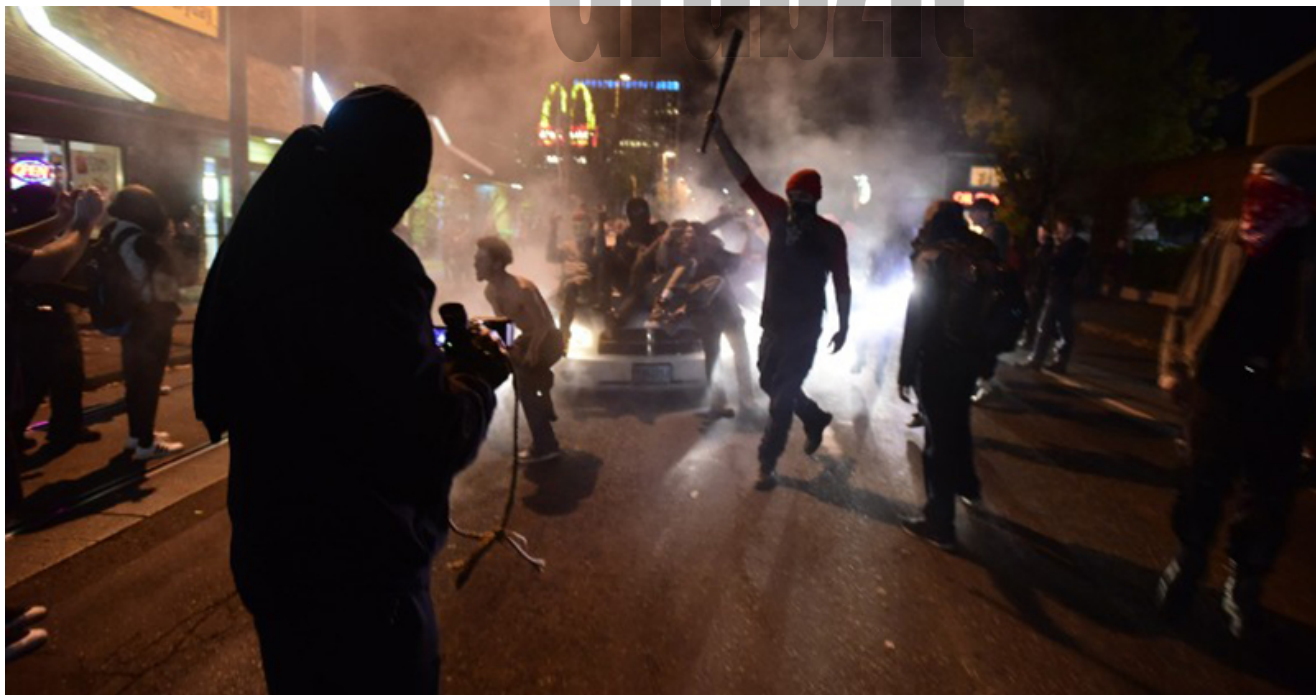
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2015 ORS § 31.360¹

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(1) For the purpose of establishing a claim for economic damages, as defined in ORS [31.710 \(Noneconomic damages\)](#), in an action arising from an injury caused by a dog:

(a) The plaintiff need not prove that the owner of the dog could foresee that the dog would cause the injury; and

(b) The owner of the dog may not assert as a defense that the owner could not foresee that the dog would cause the injury.

(2) This section does not prevent the owner of a dog that caused an injury from asserting that the dog was provoked, or from asserting any other defense that may be available to the owner.

(3) This section does not affect the requirements for an award of punitive damages provided in ORS [31.730 \(Standards for award of punitive damages\)](#) (1). [2007 c.402 §1]

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(No annotations for this section.)

¹ Legislative Counsel Committee, *CHAPTER 31—Tort Actions*, https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/bills_laws/ors/ors031.html (2015) (last accessed Jul. 16, 2016).

² OregonLaws.org contains the contents of Volume 21 of the ORS, inserted alongside the pertinent statutes. See the [preface to the ORS Annotations](#) for more information.

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