

Highlights

This 2026 edition includes the following revised chapters:

Chapter 18, Joint Liability and Chapter 19, Indemnity and Contribution.

Among the recent developments included:

- Concussion protocol, Ch. 9.
- Supreme Court rejects moment-of-threat rule in § 1983 excessive force cases. *Barnes v. Felix*, Ch. 16.
- A riding sharing application may be a product for purposes of product liability law. *Ameer v. Lyft, Inc.*, Ch. 26.
- Fertility fraud, Ch. 28.
- The New York Court of Appeals recognizes negligence as an alternative to strict liability for injuries caused by domestic animals, overruling *Bard v. Jahnke*. *Flanders v. Goodfellow*, Ch. 36.

Other opinions include retaliatory arrest, hospital emergency services, attorneys fees, product liability failure to warn, loss of parental consortium, wrongful death application to frozen embryos, wrongful life, bystander claims.