

Response from the Association of Personal Injury Lawyers (APIL) to the ABI report: Adding Insult to Injury: the need for reform of the personal injury compensation system

Cutting costs does not mean delivery of justice to injured people, and any new system must focus on protecting the rights of those most vulnerable. The ABI knows very well that the answer to reduced costs lies largely in insurers' own hands, by admitting liability early in the vast majority of cases where liability is not in dispute and, having made those admissions, to stick to them.

Like every other stakeholder involved in this consultation, we are keen to see the Government's response. What we need is a system focussed entirely on benefiting injured people, and not just about cost cutting for insurers.

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