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Present law (C.C.P. Art. 1733) provides that a party may obtain a trial by jury by filing a pleading demanding a trial by jury and a bond in the amount and within the time set by the court pursuant to present law.

Present law provides that in a tort action where a petitioner stipulates or otherwise judicially admits that the amount in controversy exceeds \$10,000, and is less than \$50,000, a party requesting a jury trial shall provide a cash deposit in the amount of \$5,000.

Proposed law retains present law but removes the requirement that a party requesting a jury trial shall provide a cash deposit in the amount of \$5,000.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Amends C.C.P. Art. 1733)