

1 Art. 1732. Limitation upon jury trials

2 A trial by jury shall not be available in:

3 (1) A suit where the amount of no individual petitioner's cause of action
4 exceeds fifty thousand dollars exclusive of interest and costs, except as follows:

5 (a) If an individual petitioner stipulates or otherwise judicially admits sixty
6 days or more prior to trial that the amount of the individual petitioner's cause of
7 action does not exceed fifty thousand dollars exclusive of interest and costs, a
8 defendant shall not be entitled to a trial by jury.

9 (b) If an individual petitioner stipulates or otherwise judicially admits for the
10 first time less than sixty days prior to trial that the amount of the individual
11 petitioner's cause of action does not exceed fifty thousand dollars exclusive of
12 interest and costs, any other party may retain the right to a trial by jury if that party
13 is entitled to a trial by jury pursuant to this Article and has otherwise complied with
14 the procedural requirements for obtaining a trial by jury.

15 (c) Notwithstanding Subsubparagraphs (a) and (b) of this Subparagraph, if,
16 as a result of a compromise or dismissal of one or more claims or parties which
17 occurs less than 60 days prior to trial, an individual petitioner stipulates or otherwise
18 judicially admits that the amount of the individual petitioner's cause of action does
19 not exceed fifty thousand dollars exclusive of interest and costs, a defendant shall not
20 be entitled to a trial by jury.

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22 Art. 1915. Partial final judgment; partial judgment; partial exception; partial
23 summary judgment

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25 B.(1) When a court renders a partial judgment or partial summary judgment
26 or sustains an exception in part, as to one or more but less than all of the claims,
27 demands, issues, or theories against a party, whether in an original demand,
28 reconventional demand, cross-claim, ~~third party~~ third-party claim, or intervention,
29 the judgment shall not constitute a final judgment unless it is designated as a final

1 judgment by the court after an express determination that there is no just reason for
2 delay.

3 (2) In the absence of such a determination and designation, any such order
4 or decision ~~which adjudicates fewer than all claims or the rights and liabilities of~~
5 ~~fewer than all the parties, shall not terminate the action as to any of the claims or~~
6 ~~parties and~~ shall not constitute a final judgment for the purpose of an immediate
7 appeal. ~~Any such order or decision issued~~ and may be revised at any time prior to
8 rendition of the judgment adjudicating all the claims and the rights and liabilities of
9 all the parties.

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