

Chapter 4.16 RCW
LIMITATION OF ACTIONS

Sections

- 4.16.005 Commencement of actions.
- 4.16.020 Actions to be commenced within ten years—Exception.
- 4.16.030 Actions to foreclose special assessments.
- 4.16.040 Actions limited to six years.
- 4.16.050 Action on irrigation or drainage district warrant.
- 4.16.060 Action on irrigation district bonds.
- 4.16.070 Actions limited to five years.
- 4.16.080 Actions limited to three years.
- 4.16.090 Action to cancel tax deed.
- 4.16.100 Actions limited to two years.
- 4.16.110 Actions limited to one year.
- 4.16.115 Special provisions for action on penalty.
- 4.16.130 Action for relief not otherwise provided for.
- 4.16.150 Action on mutual open accounts.
- 4.16.160 Application of limitations to actions by state, counties, municipalities.
- 4.16.170 Tolling of statute—Actions, when deemed commenced or not commenced.
- 4.16.180 Statute tolled by absence from state, concealment, etc.
- 4.16.190 Statute tolled by personal disability.
- 4.16.200 Statute tolled by death.
- 4.16.210 Statute tolled—By war as to enemy alien.
- 4.16.220 Statute tolled—As to person in military service of United States.
- 4.16.230 Statute tolled by judicial proceedings.
- 4.16.240 Effect of reversal of judgment on appeal.
- 4.16.250 Disability must exist when right of action accrued.
- 4.16.260 Coexisting disabilities.
- 4.16.270 Effect of partial payment.
- 4.16.280 New promise must be in writing.
- 4.16.290 Foreign statutes of limitation, how applied.
- 4.16.300 Actions or claims arising from construction, alteration, repair, design, planning, survey, engineering, etc., of improvements upon real property.
- 4.16.310 Actions or claims arising from construction, alteration, repair, design, planning, survey, engineering, etc., of improvements upon real property—Accrual and limitations of actions or claims.
- 4.16.320 Actions or claims arising from construction, alteration, repair, design, planning, survey, engineering, etc., of improvements upon real property—Construction.
- 4.16.325 Actions or claims arising from construction defect claims—Statute tolled.
- 4.16.326 Actions or claims for construction defect claims—Comparative fault.
- 4.16.327 Actions or claims for construction defects—Emergency repairs.
- 4.16.340 Actions based on childhood sexual abuse.
- 4.16.350 Action for injuries resulting from health care or related services—Physicians, dentists, nurses, etc.—Hospitals, clinics, nursing homes, etc.

- 4.16.360 Application of chapter to parentage action.
4.16.370 Actions against personal representative or trustee for
breach of fiduciary duties—Statute of limitations.

Claims against

counties: RCW 36.32.330; chapter 36.45 RCW.
estates: RCW 11.40.051, 11.40.060.
the state: RCW 4.92.050.

Contribution between joint tort feasons: RCW 4.22.050.

Criminal procedure, limitation of actions: RCW 9A.04.080.

Garnishment writ, dismissal after one year: RCW 6.27.310.

Lawyer discipline: Rules of court—RLD 12.10.

Product liability actions: RCW 7.72.060(3).

Tax liability, action by another state, limitation: RCW 4.24.140.

Uniform conflict of laws—Limitations act: Chapter 4.18 RCW.

*Usury, business organizations engaged in lending or real estate
development cannot bring action: RCW 19.52.080.*