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Court balks at blending actions

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"When considering two or more allegations in a statement of claim, courts must examine whether related errors, omissions or negligent acts have sufficient association or connection underlying them, the Ontario Court of Appeal recently ruled in a case involving an action against a law firm's insurance policy...

...'You have to determine whether or not each allegation in a statement of claim is related or not, and the way you do that is by looking at the underlying substance of each allegation.' "

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