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This bill specifies that a non-governmental licensed ambulance service, and the medical director of the service, are subject to the same tort liability limits that apply to ambulance services run by a local unit of government. The current tort liability limits include caps of \$1,500,000 for any number of claims arising out of a single occurrence, and \$500,000 for any one individual. Certain immunity provisions may also apply.