

Complex Cases of *Edim Zomemim* Punishment

Ref: *Sefer Shoftim, Hilchot Edut, Chapter 21*

False testimony	Punishment	Explanation
Divorce and non-payment of <i>ketubah</i>	✓	Do not pay entire amount of <i>ketubah</i> , but calculated
Length of time of borrowing	✓	Evaluated according to the value of the real length of time minus that of the false testimony
Ox goring another ox	✓	<p><i>Tam</i> pays ½ x (from body of ox)</p> <p>🔔 Reminder: Key Facts <i>Sefer Nezikin</i>. Classification of Damages Ref <i>Sefer Nezikin</i>.</p> 
Ox breaking utensils etc		<i>Muad</i> pays 1x damages
Knocked out tooth of servant and then blinded him	✓	Pays the value of the servant plus value of the eye
<p><i>Sotah</i>. 2 witnesses testify that she was warned and was in seclusion.</p>	✓	<i>Malkot</i> . If there is also witness to defilement, he pays <i>ketubah</i> . If the 2 witnesses testify that she was warned, was in seclusion and was defiled, they pay <i>ketubah</i> and are not lashed.
Theft (<i>genevah</i>)	✓	<p>Fine varies between 1-5x value</p> <p>🔔 Reminder: Key facts <i>Sefer Nezikin</i></p> 
Field occupied for 3 years or more	✓	Occupancy for 3 years allows ownership of field
'Rebellious son'	✓	Punishment is lashes and for repeated theft from parents it is execution
Kidnapping a Jew and selling him	✓	Punishment is execution
Libellous report issued by husband about his wife. Her father brought witnesses who turned the first set into <i>zomemim</i> and then husband brought a third set turning the 2nd set into <i>zomemim</i>	✓	Punishment involves execution and also loss of finance re <i>ketubah</i> (because each fine relates to a different person)
Sodomy of ox	✓	Punishment involves execution and sometimes must also pay value of ox