Darvish v. Aegis Financial, LLC Settlement Administrator P.O. Box 3669 Portland, OR 97208-3669

If You Received a Call and Either an Automated or Prerecorded Message From Aegis Financial LLC Between February 4, 2018, and May 15, 2023, You May Be Entitled to a Payment From a Class Action Settlement.

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A settlement has been reached in a purported class action lawsuit alleging that Aegis Financial LLC ("Aegis Financial" or "Defendant") made telephone calls between February 4, 2018, and May 15, 2023, and sent either automated or prerecorded messages to mobile or residential landline telephone numbers without the requisite consent of the recipients in alleged violation of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act, 47 U.S.C. § 227. Defendant denies the allegations and any wrongdoing. The Court has not decided who is right.

Who's Included? The Settlement includes "All persons in the United States who were called and received an automated or prerecorded voice message from or on behalf of Defendant on their mobile phone or residential landline between February 4, 2018, and May 15, 2023." You received this Notice because records show that you may be a Settlement Class Member.

What Are the Settlement Terms? Defendant has agreed to make available up to \$2,108,962.00 (the "Settlement Cap"). Each Settlement Class Member who submits a timely and valid Claim Form shall receive a Settlement award in an amount not to exceed thirty-eight dollars and no cents (\$38.00), or, if necessary, their pro rata share of the Settlement Cap of some amount less than \$38.00 after payment of Notice and Administrative Costs, a Service Award, and Class Counsel's fees.

How Can I Get a Payment? To get a payment, you must submit a valid Claim Form by April 2, 2024. Claim Forms can be submitted online at DarvishAutomatedCallSettlement.com or by mail. If by mail, the Claim Form must be postmarked by April 2, 2024. You may submit the attached Claim Form, download a Claim Form from the Settlement Website, or request a Claim Form by calling the Settlement toll-free number below.

What Are My Other Options? If you do not want to be legally bound by the Settlement, you must exclude yourself by April 2, 2024. If you do not exclude yourself, you will release any claims you may have, as more fully described in the Settlement Agreement, available at the Settlement Website. You may object to the Settlement by April 2, 2024. The Long Form Notice available on the Settlement Website explains how to exclude vourself or object. The Court will hold a Final Approval Hearing on May 2, 2024, to consider whether to approve the Settlement, a request for attorneys' fees and reimbursement of counsel's reasonable expenses of up to \$695,957.00, and a Service Award of \$2,500.00 to the Class Representative. You may appear at the hearing, either yourself or through an attorney you hire, but you don't have to. For more information, visit the Settlement Website at DarvishAutomatedCallSettlement.com or call toll-free 1-877-540-7536.