

NOTICE OF COURT APPROVAL OF SETTLEMENT IN ANDERSON et al. v. BELL MOBILITY INC.

Who this Notice is For

This notice is for all persons resident in Northwest Territories, Nunavut, and Yukon (excluding Whitehorse) who entered into an agreement with Bell Mobility to receive cellular phone service, were charged 911 fees, and have no 911 live operator where they reside or associated with their telephone number.

What the Action was About

The Court has found the Defendant liable for damages arising from charging 911 fees when no 911 live operator services were available to those persons in Northwest Territories, Yukon (excluding Whitehorse), and Nunavut. The settlement resolves the value of the damages, interest, and court costs owed by the Defendant and ends the Action.

Approved Settlement

The settlement agreement was approved on June 6, 2016 by the Northwest Territories Supreme Court. Under the court-approved settlement agreement, the Defendant will pay to the class members a total of \$1,016,336.57 (the "Settlement Amount").

Class Counsel requested that its legal fees be paid out of the Settlement Amount, and that a stipend be paid to the Representative Plaintiffs. The Court approved that the following amounts be paid out of the Settlement Amount: (a) \$515,737.11 in legal fees, disbursements, and taxes to be paid to Class Counsel ("Class Counsel Fees") and (b) \$5,000 to be paid to the Representative Plaintiffs as a stipend (the "Stipend").

In accordance with the court-approved settlement agreement, each customer of Bell Mobility will get their share of the Settlement Amount (which is determined by a formula set out in the settlement agreement), after deduction of Class Counsel Fees and the Stipend, either by way of a credit on their monthly bill if they are still a Bell Mobility customer or, if not, by refund cheque to their last known address. Any refund not cashed within six (6) months will be paid out to the Stanton Territorial Health Authority.

The settlement agreement and other information regarding the Action, including a copy of the Statement of Claim, are available on Class Counsel's website at: www.thetorontolawyers.ca or may be obtained by calling 1-855-556-5529.