

INTERIOR MOLDED DOORS CLASS ACTIONS
NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT APPROVAL & CLAIMS PROCESS

Read this Notice carefully, as it may affect your legal rights.

THIS NOTICE IS DIRECTED TO:

The Settlement Class is defined as all persons in Canada who purchased Interior Molded Doors in Canada from March 1, 2014 to July 30, 2024, except Excluded Persons.

However, only Settlement Class Members who purchased at least \$400,000 of Interior Molded Doors directly from the Defendants between March 1, 2014 and December 31, 2018 are eligible to file a claim. Other Settlement Class Members will be compensated through a *cy pres* distribution to Habitat for Humanity.

Interior Molded Door means an interior door made from a wood or fiberboard frame, a hollow or solid core, and two composite doorskins. Interior Molded Doors include single slabs, bifolds and pre-hung doors.

Excluded Persons means any person who validly opted out of the class action and entities related to the Masonite or JELD-WEN defendants.

This Notice relates to the approval of the Settlement Agreements and the process for applying for settlement funds.

A. SETTLEMENT APPROVAL

The action raised allegations that the defendants and unnamed co-conspirators participated in an unlawful conspiracy to fix, maintain, increase or control the price of Interior Molded Doors contrary to the *Competition Act*. The defendants deny these allegations and any unlawful conduct in respect of the pricing of Interior Molded Doors.

Settlements were reached with both groups of defendants in this action:

- Masonite International Corporation and Masonite Corporation for CDN\$1,151,920; and
- JELD-WEN, Inc., JELD-WEN Holding, Inc., and JELD-WEN of Canada, Ltd. for CDN\$1,060,000.

On April 23, 2025, the Federal Court of Canada ("Federal Court") approved the Settlement Agreements as being fair, reasonable and in the best interest of class members.

The settlements resolve the class action for all Settlement Class members and fully release the defendants from all claims in the class action. The settlements represent a resolution of disputed claims and the defendants deny all allegations and that they have any liability for the conduct alleged in the actions.

After deducting Court-approved fees, the *cy pres* payment, and other expenses, approximately net CDN\$1,048,843.15 will be distributed to eligible Settlement Class members.

B. DISTRIBUTION OF SETTLEMENT FUNDS

As part of the settlement approval hearing, the Federal Court approved a protocol for the distribution of the net settlement fund (the “Distribution Protocol”).

Only Settlement Class members who purchased at least CDN \$400,000 of Interior Molded Doors in Canada between March 1, 2014 and December 31, 2018 will be eligible to submit a claim. The value of a Settlement Class member’s eligible purchases will be determined based on customer sales information provided by the defendants pursuant to the terms of the Settlement Agreement and/or information provided by the Settlement Class member as part of the claims process.

Recognizing that not all Settlement Class members are eligible to submit a claim, a *cy-pres* distribution in the amount of CAD \$100,000 will be made to Habitat for Humanity.

The remaining net settlement funds will be distributed to eligible claimants *pro rata* (proportionally), based on the value of their eligible purchase.

The compensation amount payable to eligible Settlement Class members cannot be reliably estimated at this time because this will depend on the number and value of claims filed.

The Distribution Protocol is posted online at <https://www.siskinds.com/class-action/interior-molded-doors/>.

C. SUBMITTING A CLAIM

To be entitled to payment pursuant to the settlements, eligible Settlement Class members must file a claim on or before the Claims Deadline of **January 27, 2026**. The Claim Form, along with instructions on how to complete the form, have been mailed or emailed to eligible Settlement Class members.

You may contact Class Counsel at doors@siskinds.com if you have any questions or require assistance with completing the Claim Form.

D. WHO REPRESENTS ME

The law firms Siskinds LLP and Siskinds Desmeules represent the Settlement Class. They can be reached at:

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E. MORE INFORMATION

This notice contains a summary of the class action, the settlement and Distribution Protocol. Further details can be found on the following websites: <https://www.siskinds.com/class-action/interior-molded-doors/>.

If there is a conflict between the provisions of this Notice and the Settlement Agreement or Distribution Protocol, the terms of the Settlement Agreement and Distribution Protocol shall prevail.

DO NOT CONTACT THE COURT FOR INFORMATION.

**THIS NOTICE HAS BEEN APPROVED BY
THE FEDERAL COURT OF CANADA**