

THIS NOTICE HAS BEEN AUTHORIZED BY THE SUPERVISING COURTS.

## DID YOU PURCHASE AN ELECTRONIC DEVICE OR DRAM COMPUTER MEMORY CHIPS BETWEEN APRIL 1, 1999 AND JUNE 30, 2002?



**IF SO, COLLECT MONEY OWED TO YOU FROM A CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT.**

No receipt required.

A lawsuit claimed you paid too much for memory chips known as DRAM because some manufacturers conspired to fix its price.

This notice explains your rights and options—and the deadline to exercise them.

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### WHAT HAPPENED WITH DRAM?

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DRAM (“Dynamic Random Access Memory”) is a computer memory chip found in nearly all electronic devices. A class action lawsuit alleged that between April 1, 1999 and June 30, 2002 (the “Class Period”) some makers of DRAM conspired to fix its price—resulting in consumers, businesses, institutions, and others paying too much for DRAM and electronic devices with DRAM in them. The class action lawsuit settled for **\$80 million**. Now it is time to pay money to the people, businesses, and institutions that bought DRAM or electronic devices with DRAM.

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### HOW MUCH MONEY CAN I GET?

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You will receive a **minimum of \$20** for simply making a request relating to your purchases.

You may be entitled to request **more money**, depending on the amount of DRAM you bought or the number of electronic devices with DRAM you purchased. If you purchased large amounts, you may receive a significant amount of money. All amounts are subject to potential pro-ration to lower amounts in the event of very high claims rates by class members.

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### HOW DO I GET MONEY?

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Complete a request form before June 23, 2015.

The simplified request form takes only a few minutes to complete.

A standard request form is available for requests involving larger amounts of DRAM or electronic devices with DRAM.

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### DOES IT COST ANYTHING TO REQUEST A PAYMENT?

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No, it costs absolutely nothing to request your payment.

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### HOW DID YOU BUY DRAM?

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Most electronic devices contain DRAM:

- Desktop computers
- Laptop computers
- Printers
- DVD players
- Video game consoles
- MP3 players
- Graphics cards
- Personal video recorders (PVRs)
- Digital video recorders
- Memory modules
- Servers
- Computer based point-of-sale systems
- Personal digital assistants

You may have also bought DRAM on its own in the form of chips or modules, to be added to a computer, or for manufacturing purposes.

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### WHO CAN REQUEST A PAYMENT?

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You should request a payment if you live in Canada now or during the Class Period and you bought DRAM or an electronic device with DRAM anywhere in the world during the Class Period for personal or commercial use, including resale; *or* if you live in the United States now or during the Class Period and you bought DRAM or an electronic device with DRAM in Canada during the Class Period for personal or commercial use, including resale.

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### WHAT INFORMATION DO I NEED?

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A receipt is not required. Requests for those who bought larger amounts of DRAM may require more information.

#### **End Consumers Requesting \$20 (Individuals, Households, and Small Businesses)**

Simply fill out the request form at [www.themoneyismine.ca](http://www.themoneyismine.ca) declaring you purchased DRAM or electronics with DRAM for your own household or business use and submit it.

#### **End Consumers Requesting More Than \$20**

Simply fill out the standard request form at [www.themoneyismine.ca](http://www.themoneyismine.ca), declaring the amount of DRAM and electronic devices with D-RAM you bought for your own household or business use, and submit it.

Larger requests may require some proof of what you bought. You do not need receipts. You can provide any documents that either directly show your purchases, or documents that

indirectly show your purchases (for example, accounting records, purchase orders, or records showing the budgets of electronic acquisitions.)

### **Everyone Else**

If you purchased DRAM or electronics with DRAM for resale, distribution, manufacture, or anything other than your household or business use, simply fill out the standard request form at [www.themoneyismine.ca](http://www.themoneyismine.ca).

You do not need receipts, but you do need some form of documentation to prove what you bought.

These documents can be anything that either directly shows your purchases or documents from which your purchases can be indirectly confirmed and calculated (for example, purchase orders, accounting records, records showing the budgets for electronic acquisitions, etc.)

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### **WHEN WILL I RECEIVE THE MONEY?**

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Approved requests are expected to be completed by Fall 2015.

All requests are sent to a Claims Administrator, who receives and processes them.

The Claims Administrator will send out decision notices to everyone who filed a request. If you disagree with the Claims Administrator, you can ask for a review of their decision.

Once all reviews (if any) are finished, cheques will be sent to everyone whose request was approved.

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### **I HAVE MORE QUESTIONS. WHO CAN I TALK TO?**

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Go to [www.themoneyismine.ca](http://www.themoneyismine.ca) or [www.cestmonargent.ca](http://www.cestmonargent.ca) to contact NPT RicePoint, the administrator of the settlement, or call 1-866-855-5586.

You can also contact one of the lawyers who worked on the class action lawsuit:

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604-689-7555 or 1-800-689-2322

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