

## Were you placed in Administrative Segregation in an Ontario Jail between April 20, 2015 and August 18, 2021?

*You may be able to claim money in a class action lawsuit. Please read this legal notice carefully.*

The Court has approved a Settlement Agreement and Protocol for distributing damages to class members in lawsuits about Administrative Segregation in Ontario Jails.<sup>1</sup> The Court has decided that approximately \$32.7 million is available to be shared by eligible Class Members. Some Class Members may be able to make claims for additional money.

**IMPORTANT: If you don't submit a Claim Form before March 1, 2025, you won't be able to receive any money from these lawsuits.**

### WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO SUBMIT A CLAIM FORM?

You can make a claim for money if you haven't opted out of these actions and if one of the following situations applies to you:

1) You were placed in Administrative Segregation in an Ontario Jail for <b>15 or more consecutive days</b> between April 20, 2015 and August 18, 2021.
<b>OR</b>
2) You were placed in Administrative Segregation in an Ontario Jail for <b>any length of time</b> between April 20, 2015 and August 18, 2021; <b>AND</b> you were diagnosed by a medical doctor with an eligible mental health disorder; <b>AND</b> you reported that diagnosis to Ontario's agents before or during your segregation stay. Note: Eligible disorders may include schizophrenia, PTSD, OCD, major depressive disorders, bipolar disorder, and others. However, substance abuse disorders and personality disorders (except borderline personality disorder) are <i>not</i> eligible disorders. Some other pre-conditions also apply.

If you were placed in Administrative Segregation for 15 or more days between January 1, 2009 and April 19, 2015, or if you had a serious mental illness and spent any time in Administrative Segregation between January 1, 2009 and April 19, 2015, you should contact the Claims Administrator to provide the details of your placement(s), because you may still be entitled to money if you can prove you could not start a lawsuit before April 20, 2015.

### HOW DO I MAKE A CLAIM?

You must submit a fully completed Court-approved Claim Form to the Ontario Segregation Class Action Administrator by March 1, 2025, or else you will not be eligible for any money. To get a Claim Form you have the following options:

If currently incarcerated in an Ontario jail, you can get a Claim Form and pre-paid postage return envelope from the common area(s) in the jail	CLAIM ONLINE or download and mail or email in the Claim Form:  <b>Website:</b> <a href="https://www.ontarioadministrativesegregation.ca/">https://www.ontarioadministrativesegregation.ca/</a>  <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:info@OntarioAdministrativeSegregation.ca">info@OntarioAdministrativeSegregation.ca</a>	Write or call to request a Claim Form. <b>Ontario Administrative Segregation Class Action Administrator c/o Epiq Class Action Services Canada PO Box 507 STN B Ottawa, ON K1P 5P6</b>	You can ask for a copy of the Claim Form and pre-paid postage return envelope from your Probation and Parole Office in Ontario.
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### WHERE CAN I GET MORE INFORMATION?

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<sup>1</sup> In these lawsuits, an "Ontario Jail" is a correctional institution operated by the Government of Ontario, and does not include the St. Lawrence Valley Correctional and Treatment Centre