

NOTICE TO MEMBERS

AUTHORIZATION TO INSTITUTE SEVEN (7) CLASS ACTIONS

EXTENDED WARRANTIES PURCHASED PRIOR TO JUNE 30 2010

200-06-000128-101	500-06-000533-105	500-06-000535-100
500-06-000537-106	500-06-000531-109	500-06-000538-104
	500-06-000547-105	

This notice pertains to the judgment rendered by the Quebec Court of Appeal (District of Montreal) on February 4, 2014, granting authorization to institute an action in damages in the form of a class action against each of the following defendants: *Ameublements Tanguay, Centre Hi-Fi, The Brick, Corbeil Electrique, Sears Canada, Brault & Martineau and Bureau en Gros.*

In its judgment, the Court of Appeal describes the group for the seven (7) class actions as follows:

“All persons having purchased, prior to June 30, 2010, an additional warranty on the basis of representations made by the respondent to the effect that without the purchase of such additional warranty and should breakage occur following the expiration of the one-year manufacturer’s warranty, such persons would have to bear repair or replacement costs.”
[TRANSLATION]

Representative status for the institution of the class actions has been granted to the following persons:

COURT NO.	DEFENDANTS	REPRESENTATIVES
200-06-000128-101	Ameublements Tanguay	Sonia Tremblay
500-06-000533-105	The Brick Warehouse LP	Jinny Guindon
500-06-000535-100	Corbeil Électrique inc.	Jacques Filion
500-06-000537-106	Sears Canada inc.	Serge Tahmazian
500-06-000531-109	Brault & Martineau	Kerfalla Toure
500-06-000538-104	Centre Hi-Fi (2763923 Canada inc.)	Claude Roulx
500-06-000547-105	Bureau en Gros	J-Michel Normandin

The main conclusions sought by the representatives against each of the defendants are summarized as follows :

- Reimbursement of the cost of acquisition (plus taxes) of the additional warranties purchased during the period covered by each action (prior to June 30, 2010);
- An award for punitive damages set at a global and fixed-rate to be determined for each of the defendants.

A member may ask to be excluded from the action by no later than September 5, 2014, at 5 p.m.

Members cannot be called upon for payment of costs should the action be dismissed.

A new notice shall be published following the issuance of a final judgment on these actions.

The judgment authorizing these class actions and the formalities related to the member exclusion procedure are available at the registry of the Superior Court, District of Montreal, on the website of the Class action Registry at www.tribunaux.qc.ca as well as at the following website: www.bga-law.com/gp

The members of the group are represented by the following attorneys:

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**PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE
HAS BEEN ORDERED BY THE COURT**

In case of any discrepancy, the authorization judgment shall prevail over the terms of this notice