

CLASS ACTION SUMMARY

**DIISOCYANATES DIRECT PURCHASER
ANTITRUST CLASS ACTION**

DID YOUR BUSINESS PURCHASE DIISOCYANATES?

YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE TO RECOVER MONEY!

"Eligible Class Members": *The proposed class includes all persons and entities (excluding all governmental entities) who or which, from January 1, 2015 to the present, purchased "Diisocyanates" (defined below) directly from the "Defendants" (listed below) in the United States and its territories or for delivery in the United States and its territories.*

Definition of "Diisocyanates": *Chemicals used to manufacture foam and include methylene diphenyl diisocyanate ("MDI") and toluene diisocyanate ("TDI"). MDI is a type of isocyanate used in combination with polyether polyols as a raw material for the production of rigid insulation foams and structural foams, among other applications. TDI is another type of isocyanate used in combination with polyether polyols as a raw material for the production of flexible foams for furniture, mattresses, packaging foam, and automobile seating, among other applications.*

"Defendants": *Means the following entities that are identified in at least one of the class action complaints: BASF AG; BASF Corporation; BASF SE; Bayer AG; Bayer Corporation; Bayer MaterialScience LLC; Covestro, LLC; DowDupont Inc.; The Dow Chemical Company; Huntsman Corp.; Huntsman International LLC; Lanxess AG; Lanxess Co.; MCNS Polyurethanes USA Inc.; Mitsui Chemicals, Inc.; Mitsui Chemicals America, Inc.; Mitsui Chemicals & SKC Polyurethanes, Inc.; Wanhua Chemical (America), Ltd.; and Wanhua Chemical US Holding, Inc.*

SUMMARY

Total Settlements Reached:
No settlements at this time

Purchase Date Range(s):
January 1, 2015 to Present

Filing Deadline(s):
Not Established

Specific information about the class action(s) listed below

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Case History

In 2018, numerous class action lawsuits were filed alleging the Defendants and their co-conspirators agreed, combined and conspired with each other to fix, raise, maintain, or stabilize prices of Diisocyanates sold in the United States in violation of federal antitrust laws. It is impossible to predict the outcome, but money may become available to eligible class members if the class is certified and a settlement is reached with one or more of the Defendants in the future.

The Services FRS Provides: *Financial Recovery Strategies (FRS) is a class action claims management consultant; we are not a court appointed claims administrator or class counsel. If you hire FRS, FRS will work within your guidelines to manage the claims process. The services that FRS provides include the following: (i) notifying you when we believe that you may be eligible to participate in settlements likely to be valuable to you; (ii) endeavoring to enhance the likelihood that all of your eligible business units (e.g., subsidiaries, divisions, acquisitions and divestitures) are included in the claims process; (iii) to reduce the support needed from your in-house staff, providing advice on what, if any, documents need to be collected and maintained, and, when requested, assisting in that effort; (iv) when required documents are not available or are too burdensome to collect, attempting to develop innovative alternatives to satisfy documentation requirements and striving to obtain approval of those alternatives; (v) preparing, assembling and submitting your claim package, and managing it throughout the claims processing phase, including working with you to address any concerns or questions claims administrators may have; (vi) providing regular updates on the recovery process; (vii) reviewing your payment to assure that it has not been under calculated; and (viii) following up with you to assure that your recovery check is deposited. FRS's recovery specialists are always available to answer any questions you may have.*

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If a monetary settlement is obtained, information about it will be available from Class Counsel. You also may visit the Court-approved website once one is established. Please understand that you have the right to file on your own if and when there is a monetary settlement. To learn more about our services, visit www.FRSCO.com.