

**Class Action Summary**

**Québec Parking Heaters**  
**Antitrust Class Action**

***This is not an official Court Notice. Information contained in this Summary is subject to change.  
There is no monetary settlement at this time.***

If you or your business in Québec purchased a parking heater or purchased, leased or sub-leased a vehicle containing a parking heater from **September 13, 2001 through December 31, 2012**, an antitrust class action lawsuit alleging price fixing may affect you.

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**Eligible Class Members:** Eligible Class Members are all persons and entities in Québec who or which, from September 13, 2001 through December 31, 2012 (the “Class Period”), purchased a “Parking Heater” (defined below) or purchased, leased or sub-leased a vehicle containing a Parking Heater.

**Definition of “Parking Heaters”:** Parking heaters are installed inside commercial vehicles and are used to heat the cabin. They operate independently of the engine operation. Parking heaters are used in various types of commercial vehicles, such as tractors semi-trailers, vans for transportation of goods, buses, agricultural vehicles, dump trucks and ambulances.

**“Defendants”:** The Defendants include: Webasto SE, Webasto Thermo & Comfort SE, Webasto Thermo & Comfort North America, Inc., Espar Inc., Espar Climate Control Systems, Eberspaecher Climate Control Systems International Beteiligungs-GmbH, Eberspaecher Climate Control Systems GmbH & Co. KG, Eberspaecher Gruppe GmbH & Co. KG and Espar Products Inc.

**Case History:** A class action proceeding was commenced in Québec alleging the Defendants combined and conspired to restrict competition and unreasonably inflate the price of Parking Heaters and the vehicles in which they were installed. It is impossible to predict the outcome, but money may become available to eligible class members if a monetary settlement is reached with the Defendants in the future. FRS will update this Summary as the case progresses and new information becomes available.

\*There are separate proceedings initiated in Ontario and British Columbia that have been authorized (certified) on behalf of Canadian residents (excluding Québec residents) who purchased a Parking Heater or purchased, leased or sub-leased a vehicle containing a Parking Heater during the same Class Period. Please contact FRS for additional information on these proceedings.

**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.***

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