

Class Action Summary

Telescope Direct Purchaser
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 purchased telescopes after **2005**,
an antitrust class action lawsuit alleging price fixing may affect you.

Eligible Class Members: If certified, eligible class members include retailers and distributors who purchased telescopes manufactured or sold by one or more of the “Defendants” (listed below) after “Synta’s” (a conglomerate of entities owned and controlled by Dar-Tson “David” Shen and his close family members that include Synta Technology Corporation, Suzhou Synta, and other factories and distributors) acquisition of Celestron Acquisition, LLC (“Celestron”). Synta acquired Celestron in 2005.

“Defendants”: The Defendants include: Celestron, Synta Canada Int’l Enterprises Ltd., Sky-Watcher USA, Sky-Watcher Canada, SW Technology Corp., Olivon Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Olivon USA, LLC, Corey Lee, Sylvia Shen, Jean Shen, Joseph Lupica, Dave Anderson, Laurence Huen and Does 1-50.

Case History: In 2020, a class action lawsuit was filed alleging the Defendants combined and conspired to fix, raise, maintain or stabilize the prices of telescopes sold to purchasers 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 the Defendants in the future. FRS will update this Summary as the case progresses and new information becomes available.

**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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