

CLASS ACTION AGAINST THE ARCHDIOCESE OF MONTREAL : SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT APPROVED

On July 7th, 2023, the Superior Court rendered a judgment approving the Entente de l'action collective contre l'Archevêque catholique romain de Montréal et la Corporation archiépiscopale catholique romaine de Montréal (court file no.: 500-06-000992-194).

A Settlement Agreement in the amount of \$14,808,280 (less legal fees and expenses) for a total of up to 123 members has been reached. Should this number be exceeded, additional terms and conditions may be added to enhance the Settlement Agreement.

THE COLLECTIVE ACTION AND AGREEMENT IS FOR YOU IF :

1. Between **1940 and today**;
2. You have been the victim of **one or more sexual assaults**;
3. Committed by a diocesan priest or lay employee under the responsibility of the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Montreal and/or the Roman Catholic Archiepiscopal Corporation of Montreal.

***** This definition excludes victims of religious priests, i.e. priests belonging to a religious congregation *****

The Archdiocese of Montreal covers the following regions:

**Island of Montréal
Laval
Repentigny
Le Gardeur
Saint-Sulpice
L'Assomption**

WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS NOTICE?

To benefit from the Settlement Agreement, members must file a claim within 90 days of this publication.

Anyone who has not yet registered for the class action must do so before October 22th 2023 or risk losing the possibility of receiving compensation.

To become a member, you must contact the Plaintiff's and the Group's lawyers. They will set up an appointment (by telephone, videoconference or in person) to complete the claim form for your file.

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**THIS NOTICE TO MEMBERS HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE HONORABLE JUDGE DONALD
BISSON, J.C.S.**