

Notice of Class Claims Procedures

Mary Louise Fairey, et al. v. The Exxon Corporation, et. al.

NOTICE OF CLASS ACTION CLAIMS PROCEDURES

TO MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA EXXON CONTAMINATION CLASS ACTION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED OF THE EXISTENCE OF A CLAIMS PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED FOR CLASS MEMBERS TO RECOVER FROM A SETTLEMENT FUND CREATED AS A RESULT OF THE SETTLEMENT OF THE ABOVE-REFERENCED ACTION.

The class, on whose behalf these claims were asserted and on whose behalf this action has been settled, consists of:

THOSE PERSONS WHO POSSESS AN INTEREST IN REAL PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA THAT HAVE BEEN POTENTIALLY CONTAMINATED BY PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, OR CHEMICALS ASSOCIATED WITH PETROLEUM PRODUCTS THAT HAVE LEAKED, SPILLED, OR BEEN RELEASED INTO THE ENVIRONMENT EITHER FROM EQUIPMENT OWNED, OPERATED OR CONTROLLED BY EXXON, ITS AGENTS OR ITS PREDECESSORS, OR FOR SERVICE STATION OPERATIONS CONDUCTED BY EXXON, ITS AGENTS OR PREDECESSORS, OR UNDER THE CONTROL OF EXXON OR ITS PREDECESSORS.

This Court previously certified this case as a class action on March 13, 1998 and gave notice concerning the existence of this Class on March, 1999, which afforded all of those who wished to be excluded an opportunity to exclude themselves from this case. IF YOU FIT THE DESCRIPTION SET FORTH ABOVE AND DID NOT REQUEST TO BE EXCLUDED BY JULY 30, 1999, YOU ARE A MEMBER OF THIS CLASS AND HAVE THE RIGHT TO FILE A CLAIM AGAINST THE SETTLEMENT FUND CREATED AS A RESULT OF THE RESOLUTION OF THIS CLASS ACTION.

YOU ARE ALSO NOTIFIED THAT A **CLAIM FORM** IS AVAILABLE FOR YOU TO **COMPLETE AND FILE PRIOR TO MAY 28, 2004 (THE BAR DATE)**. TO BE ALLOWED TO FILE PROOF OF YOUR CLAIM, YOU MUST FILE A CLAIM FORM WITH THE ORANGEBURG COUNTY CLERK OF COURT'S OFFICE. UPON THE SUBMISSION OF A CLAIM FORM, YOU WILL BE PROVIDED PROCEDURES TELLING YOU HOW TO COMPLETE THE CLAIMS PROCESS.

The Claim Form can be obtained from Class Counsel, the Orangeburg County Clerk of Court's Office or it may be found online and completed online at the class website: www.scexxonmobileustclassaction.com. **Claimants wishing to complete their Claim Form online must do so not later than May 21, 2004. Claim forms completed online on or before May 21st will be filed by Class Counsel.**

IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SETTLEMENT FUND, YOU MUST COMPLETE A CLAIM FORM ONLINE ON OR BEFORE MAY 21, 2004 OR FILE A CLAIM FORM WITH THE ORANGEBURG COUNTY CLERK OF COURT'S OFFICE ON OR BEFORE MAY 28, 2004. CLAIM FORMS CAN BE FILED IN PERSON AT 190 GIBSON STREET, ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA OR BY MAIL AT POST OFFICE DRAWER 9000, ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA 29116. FAILURE TO FILE A CLAIM FORM ON OR BEFORE MAY 28, 2004 WILL RESULT IN YOUR INABILITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CLAIMS PROCESS. IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A CLAIM FORM BY THE DATE SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM WHICH YOU HAVE WILL NOT BE ALLOWED AND YOUR RIGHTS AGAINST EXXON-MOBIL ARISING OUT OF THIS ACTION WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

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