

MACBOOK BUTTERFLY KEYBOARD CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT

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NOTICE OF COURT ORDER APPROVING THE SETTLEMENT AND CLASS COUNSEL FEES (SHORT FORM)

SIMARD V. APPLE CANADA INC. ET AL. CLASS ACTION
(Court File N°: 500-06-001140-215)

This notice is to:

- i) Everyone in Québec who purchased/owns/owned; and
- ii) Everyone who purchased in Québec

A MacBook laptop sold between 2015 and 2019
equipped with a “Butterfly” keyboard.

PLEASE READ THIS NOTICE CAREFULLY.
THIS CLASS ACTION HAS BEEN SETTLED AND APPROVED BY THE COURT.

WHAT THE ACTION IS ABOUT

If you purchased (other than for resale) a MacBook laptop sold between 2015 and 2019 equipped with a “Butterfly” keyboard (“**Computer**”) in Québec, or if you live in Québec and purchased or own (other than for resale) such a Computer, this is a notice of the settlement of a class action concerning your Computer. *See full list of Class Computers at the end of this notice.

The settlement has been approved by the Superior Court of Québec and requires Apple Canada Inc. and Apple Inc. (collectively, “**Apple**”) to compensate affected clients (the “**Class Members**”). The settlement is not an admission of liability, wrongdoing or fault.

HOW TO RECEIVE YOUR SHARE OF THE SETTLEMENT FUNDS

Group 1

Group 1 is comprised of Class Members who, within four years of purchasing a Computer, obtained two or more Topcase Replacements based on Apple’s records. If you are a Group 1 Class Member, you will receive a separate notice by email confirming that you are a Group 1 Class Member and you will receive a payment of up to \$545.00 CAD per Computer. This amount will be sent directly to you by electronic fund transfer at the last known email address that Apple has on record for you. Group 1 Class Members may receive compensation only once per Computer, but may receive additional payments in the event that they purchased multiple Computers that qualify for payment.

Group 2 or 3

If you are not a Group 1 Class Member, you may be a Group 2 or Group 3 Class Member.

Group 2 Class Members received a single Topcase Replacement that did not resolve their keyboard issues. Group 3 Class Members received one or more Keycap Replacements that did not resolve their keyboard issues.

If you are a Group 2 or Group 3 Class Member, **you must complete and submit a Claim Form by June 30, 2024, provide the evidence requested in order for this claim to be valid, and attest on the Claim Form that the repair did not resolve your keyboard issues.** Claims may be submitted online at www.laptopkeyboardclassaction.com or mailed to the address on the form.

Under the terms of the Settlement, eligible Group 2 Class Members will receive a payment of up to \$173.00 CAD per Computer, and eligible Group 3 Class Members will receive a payment of up to \$69.00 CAD per Computer.

Group 2 or Group 3 Class Members can receive compensation only once per Computer, but they may make additional claims in the event they purchased multiple Computers that qualify for payment.

MORE INFORMATION

Copies of the detailed notices to Class Members, as well as a copy of the Settlement Agreement and/or the other relevant Judgments and proceedings, can be found on the Claims Administrator's Settlement Website at: www.laptopkeyboardclassaction.com.

For more information, please contact the Claims Administrator as below:

Laptop Keyboard Class Action Administrator
P.O. Box 3355
London, Ontario, N6A 4K3
1-866-573-1796
www.laptopkeyboardclassaction.com

The attorneys representing the Class ("**Class Counsel**") are the firm of Lex Group Inc. (c/o Mtre. David Assor), which can be contacted at davidassor@lexgroup.ca.

THE PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE TO CLASS MEMBERS HAS BEEN APPROVED AND ORDERED BY THE SUPERIOR COURT OF QUÉBEC.

***Computer** means any of the following Apple computer models:

- MacBook (Retina, 12-inch, Early 2015)
- MacBook (Retina, 12-inch, Early 2016)
- MacBook (Retina, 12-inch, 2017)
- MacBook Air (Retina, 13-inch, 2018)
- MacBook Air (Retina, 13-inch, 2019)
- MacBook Pro (13-inch, 2016, Two Thunderbolt 3 Ports)
- MacBook Pro (13-inch, 2017, Two Thunderbolt 3 Ports)
- MacBook Pro (13-inch, 2019, Two Thunderbolt 3 Ports)
- MacBook Pro (13-inch, 2016, Four Thunderbolt 3 Ports)
- MacBook Pro (13-inch, 2017, Four Thunderbolt 3 Ports)
- MacBook Pro (15-inch, 2016)
- MacBook Pro (15-inch, 2017)
- MacBook Pro (13-inch, 2018, Four Thunderbolt 3 Ports)
- MacBook Pro (15-inch, 2018)
- MacBook Pro (13-inch, 2019, Four Thunderbolt 3 Ports)
- MacBook Pro (15-inch, 2019)