

SHORT FORM NOTICE

NOTICE OF CERTIFICATION, SETTLEMENT OF CLASS ACTION AND SETTLEMENT APPROVAL HEARING

**IF YOU PURCHASED COMPULSORY INSURANCE FROM THE INSURANCE CORPORATION
OF BRITISH COLUMBIA ANY TIME SINCE 1973,
YOUR RIGHTS MAY BE AFFECTED BY A CLASS ACTION**

The Province of British Columbia (“Province”) has agreed to a proposed class action settlement to resolve claims in relation to payments made to it by the Insurance Corporation of British Columbia (“ICBC”) as reimbursement for the cost of health-related services for persons injured in motor vehicle accidents. The claim being settled alleges that these payments increased the cost of compulsory auto insurance.

On May 15, 2024, the British Columbia Supreme Court (“Court”) decided that the case against the Province could proceed as a class action. The proposed settlement is a compromise of disputed claims and is not an admission of liability by the Province. The proposed settlement is subject to court approval. The Court has appointed Robert Rorison as the representative plaintiff on behalf of the class and Murphy Battista LLP as Class Counsel.

On November 27, 2025, the British Columbia Legislature passed legislation that terminated all agreements under which ICBC had been reimbursing the Province for health-related services incurred by persons injured in motor vehicle accidents, and retroactively imposed a tax that includes and exceeds the disputed funds. This legislation had the potential to defeat the claim entirely. The retroactive tax does not require the payment of any new funds by ICBC or its insureds.

The proposed settlement provides that the Province will pay the all-inclusive sum of \$12,200,000 in exchange for a full and final release by the class of all claims against the Province in issue in the class action. The settlement funds after deducting court-approved legal fees, expenses and applicable taxes will be paid to various non-profit organizations and programs.

If you purchased compulsory auto insurance from ICBC at any time from 1973 to January 26, 2026 you are a class member and are bound by the settlement, if approved by the Court, unless you opt out. To opt out you must complete and deliver to Class Counsel by April 7, 2026 the opt out form available on Class Counsel’s website at www.murphybattista.com

A hearing has been scheduled seeking the Court’s approval of the settlement. The hearing is scheduled for May 11, 2026 at 10:00 am at the Courthouse at 800 Smithe Street, Vancouver, BC. At the hearing, Class Counsel will seek approval of the Settlement Agreement, approval of their fees (up to 30% of the settlement amount), plus disbursements and applicable taxes, and an honorarium to be paid to the representative plaintiff.

All class members who have not opted out have a right to object to or comment on this settlement, the plan for distribution of the settlement funds, Class Counsel’s fees, and/or the honorarium for the representative plaintiff by delivering a written objection by email to class counsel at MSPClassAction@murphybattista.com All objections must be received by Class Counsel on or before April 7, 2026.

This notice is only a summary. More information on the settlement (including the Long Form Notice, the Opt Out Form and the Settlement Agreement) is available at www.murphybattista.com