



Settlement Overview

Over 30 major international airlines were sued in the United States District Court on behalf of a class of air cargo purchasers alleging price-fixing of rates for airfreight shipping services by dozens of major international airlines. The Plaintiffs claim that the Defendants engaged in a conspiracy to fix, raise, maintain or stabilize the prices of airfreight shipping services by coordinating surcharges (fees that air cargo carriers charge in addition to normal shipping rates for specific extra costs, such as “fuel surcharge” or a “security surcharge”), jointly agreeing to eliminate or prevent discounting of prices, agreeing on yield and allocating customers, all in violation of United States antitrust laws.

Lufthansa and Swiss International Air Lines agreed to pay \$85 million to settle the air cargo class action lawsuit pending in the United States. Class Members in the United States action are purchasers of airfreight shipping services for airfreight shipments within, to or from the United States from January 1, 2000 to September 11, 2006, including persons who purchased airfreight shipping services through freight forwarders, from *any* air cargo carrier. Again, this settlement covers every air cargo carrier (including couriers such as FedEx), and is not limited to the 36 named defendants on the list. Therefore, you would be entitled to make a claim in connection with each airline from which you purchased air cargo shipping services, whether or not the airline actually appears on the list of defendants.

It is anticipated that once the other air cargo carriers settle, the U.S. settlement fund will ultimately exceed One Billion Dollars.

Who we Are

Class Action Refund, LLC (“CAR”) provides settlement fund recovery services to businesses of all sizes in class action litigation, with an emphasis in antitrust settlements. CAR has found that class members involved in antitrust cases benefit from our experience in dealing with the complexities of claim fulfillment. Our firm is dedicated to locating deserving claimants, aggregating purchase histories, analyzing transactional data and completing all relevant documentation necessary to complete claims. We work diligently to improve class participation rates and believe that all potential class members should be informed about settlements for which they may be eligible.

Class Action Refund's Legal Department closely monitors state and federal class action cases from inception through settlement, with special attention to claims payment periods. Class Action Refund maintains an in-depth knowledge of all relevant legal filings throughout the litigation and settlement processes and provides our clients with the most current and detailed information available for each case. The company has been successful in assisting thousands of class action claimants throughout the United States for over ten years representing many Fortune 1000 Clients Like Cevron, Coca Cola, Nestle, BP North America and Revlon.