

OPT OUT FORM

Sweet v. His Majesty the King, Federal Court File No.: T-982-20

Government of Canada Privacy Breach Class Action

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This is NOT a claim form.

This form must be sent by mail or by e-mail to the addresses noted above on or before **November 27, 2023** in order to be valid. Completing this OPT-OUT FORM means you will not be entitled to receive any benefit from a settlement or judgment in the class proceeding named *Sweet v. His Majesty the King*, Federal Court File No.: T-982-20.

*****This class proceeding relates to all persons whose personal or financial information in their Government of Canada Online Account was disclosed to a third party without authorization between March 1, 2020 and December 31, 2020, excluding Excluded Persons.**

“Government of Canada Online Account” means:

- a. A Canada Revenue Agency Account;
- b. A My Service Canada Account; or
- c. Another government of Canada online account, where that account is accessed using the Government of Canada Credential Service (GCKey).

“Excluded Persons” means all persons who contacted Murphy Battista LLP about the CRA Privacy Breach Class Action, with Federal Court file number T-982-20 prior to June 24, 2021.

I do not want to participate in the class proceeding styled as *Sweet v. His Majesty the King*, alleging that the Government of Canada had inadequate safeguards in place to protect my confidential information.

I understand that by opting out of this class proceeding, I am confirming that I do not wish to participate in the class proceeding and will not be entitled to benefit from any remedy ordered by the Federal Court if the case is successful or any settlement the parties may come to. I confirm that if I opt-out and wish to seek compensation through an individual action, I will be responsible to pursue any remedies on my own and to hire my own counsel.

DATE: _____

Print Name

Signature

Date of Birth

Address

City, Province, Postal Code

Email

Telephone

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