UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

Hiller v. The Money Source, Inc. Case No. 2:23-cv-00235-PHX-JJT

If you were called by The Money Source, Inc. with a prerecorded or artificial voice call on your cellular telephone after you asked The Money Source, Inc. to stop calling you, then you may be affected by a class action lawsuit.

A federal court authorized this Notice. This is <u>not</u> a solicitation from a lawyer.

- Natasha Hiller has sued The Money Source, Inc. ("The Money Source" or "Defendant") for violations of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act ("TCPA"), alleging that The Money Source placed calls that utilized an artificial or prerecorded voice, to individuals that had previously asked The Money Source to stop calling.
- The Court has allowed the Lawsuit to be a class action on behalf of a Class:

Class: All persons throughout the United States or its territories (1) to whom Defendant placed, or caused to be placed, a call, (2) directed to a number assigned to a cellular telephone service, (3) in connection with which Defendant used an artificial or prerecorded voice, (4) after the called party requested that Defendant stop placing telephone calls using an artificial or prerecorded voice to their cellular telephone, as recorded in Defendant's business records, (5) from four years prior to the filing of the Complaint through the date of class certification.

• The Court has not decided whether The Money Source did anything wrong. There is no money available now, and no guarantee there ever will be. However, your legal rights are affected, and you have a choice to make now. You, however, are not required to do anything to stay in the case and be represented by Class Counsel. You only need to do something if you want to opt-out.

YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS AND OPTIONS IN THIS LAWSUIT:	
DO NOTHING	Stay in this Lawsuit. Await the outcome. Give up certain rights.
	By doing nothing and staying in the case, you keep the possibility of
	getting money that may come from a trial or a settlement. But, you give
	up any rights to sue The Money Source separately, about the same legal
	claims in this Lawsuit.
ASK TO BE	Get out of this Lawsuit. Get no benefits from it. Keep rights.
EXCLUDED	If you ask to be excluded from the Lawsuit and monies are later
	awarded in the Lawsuit, you won't share in those. But, you keep any
	rights to sue The Money Source separately, about the same legal claims
	in this Lawsuit.

- Your options are explained in this Notice. To ask to be excluded, you must act before November 28, 2025.
- Any judgment, whether favorable or not, will include all Class Members who do not request exclusion.
- Any Class Member who does not request exclusion may, if he or she desires, enter an appearance through his or her counsel. You are not required to do so to stay in the case and be represented by Class Counsel.
- Lawyers must prove the claims against The Money Source at the trial that will be set in this matter. Once a trial date is set, it will be displayed on this website, along with other important dates. If money or benefits are obtained from The Money Source, you will be notified about how to ask for a share.
- Any questions? Read on and visit www.MoneySourceTCPAClassAction.com or call toll free 1-800-679-0774.

1. Why did I get this Notice?

The Money Source's business records indicate that you received one or more telephone calls from The Money Source to your cellular telephone that utilized an artificial or prerecorded voice, after The Money Source's business records indicate you requested no further calls from The Money Source. This Notice explains that the Court has allowed, or "certified," a class action lawsuit that may affect you. You have legal rights and options that you may exercise before the Court holds a trial. The trial is to decide whether the claims being made against The Money Source, on your behalf, are correct. Judge John J. Tuchi of the United States District Court for the District of Arizona is overseeing this class action. The lawsuit is known as *Hiller v. The Money Source, Inc.*, Case No. 2:23-cv-00235-PHX-JJT.

2. What is this Lawsuit about?

In a class action, one or more people, called class representatives, sue on behalf of people who have similar claims. All of these people are a class, or class members. One court resolves the issues for all class members, except those who exclude themselves from the class.

Here, the Class Representative alleges that The Money Source is liable for TCPA violations caused by The Money Source making calls that utilize an artificial or prerecorded voice to the cellular telephones of individuals that had previously asked The Money Source to stop calling.

The Court has certified a Class:

Class: All persons throughout the United States or its territories (1) to whom Defendant placed, or caused to be placed, a call, (2) directed to a number assigned to a cellular telephone service, (3) in connection with which Defendant used an artificial or prerecorded

voice, (4) after the called party requested that Defendant stop placing telephone calls using an artificial or prerecorded voice to their cellular telephone, as recorded in Defendant's business records, (5) from four years prior to the filing of the Complaint through the date of class certification.

The Money Source denies that it did anything wrong.

3. What is a class action and who is involved?

In a class action, one or more people, called class representatives (in this case, Natasha Hiller) sue on behalf of people who have similar claims. All of these people are called a class, or class members. The class representative who sued, and all class members like her, are called Plaintiffs. The company she sued (in this case, The Money Source) is called Defendant. One court resolves the issues for everyone in the class except for those people who choose to exclude themselves from the class.

4. Why is this Lawsuit a class action?

The Court decided that this Lawsuit can be a class action and move towards a trial because it meets the requirements of Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23, which governs class actions in federal courts. Specifically, the Court found that:

- a. Questions of law or fact common to the members of the classes predominate over any questions affecting only individual members; and
- b. A class action is superior to other available methods for the fair and efficient adjudication of the controversy.

5. What does the lawsuit complain about?

Plaintiff alleges that The Money Source is liable for the calls The Money Source placed that utilized an artificial or prerecorded voice to individuals that had previously asked The Money Source to stop calling in violation of the TCPA. You can read Plaintiff's Class Action Complaint at www.MoneySourceTCPAClassAction.com.

6. How does The Money Source answer?

The Money Source denies Plaintiff's allegations. The Money Source's Answer to the Class Action Complaint is also available at www.MoneySourceTCPAClassAction.com.

7. Has the Court decided who is right?

The Court has not decided whether Plaintiff or The Money Source is correct. By establishing the Class and issuing this Notice, the Court is not suggesting that Plaintiff will win or lose this case. Plaintiff must prove her claims at a trial, when a trial date is set by the Court.

8. What is Plaintiff asking for?

Plaintiff is asking for \$500 to \$1,500 for each call placed by The Money Source in violation of the TCPA. Plaintiff is also asking the Court to order The Money Source to pay for Plaintiff's attorneys fees and costs for bringing the lawsuit.

9. Is there any money available now?

No money is available now because the Court has not decided whether The Money Source did anything wrong, and the two sides have not settled the case. There is no guarantee that money will ever be obtained. If money is obtained, you will be notified about how to ask for a share.

WHO IS IN THE CLASS

You need to decide whether you are affected by this Lawsuit.

10. Am I part of the Class?

The Court certified the following Class:

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YOUR RIGHTS AND OPTIONS

You have to decide whether to stay in the Class or ask to be excluded before the trial, and you have to decide this now.

11. What happens if I do nothing at all?

You don't have to do anything now if you want to keep the possibility of getting money from this Lawsuit. By doing nothing you are staying in the Class. If you stay in and Plaintiff obtains money, either as a result of the trial or a settlement, you will be notified about how to claim a share of the proceeds. Keep in mind that if you do nothing now, regardless of whether Plaintiff wins or loses the trial, you will not be able to sue, or continue to sue, The Money Source as part of any other lawsuit about the same legal claims that are the subject of this Lawsuit. You will also be legally bound by all of the Orders the Court issues and judgments the Court makes in this class action.

12. Why would I ask to be excluded?

If you already have a TCPA lawsuit against The Money Source and want to continue with it, you need to ask to be excluded from the Class. If you exclude yourself from the Class—which also means to remove yourself from the Class, and is sometimes called "opting-out" of the Class—you

won't get any money from this Lawsuit, even if Plaintiff obtains money as a result of the trial or from any settlement between The Money Source and Plaintiff. However, you may be able to sue or continue to sue The Money Source on your own. If you exclude yourself, you will not be legally bound by the Court's judgments in this class action.

13. How do I ask the Court to exclude me from the Class?

You may exclude yourself from the class action lawsuit and keep your right to sue The Money Source on your own by sending a letter to the Class Administrator, stating that you wish to be excluded from the Lawsuit and mailing it to Money Source TCPA Class Action, c/o Atticus Administration, PO Box 64053, St Paul, MN 55164. You must include your name and address on the exclusion request. You must exclude yourself from the Lawsuit by November 28, 2025.

THE LAWYERS REPRESENTING YOU

14. Do I have a lawyer in this case?

The Court has appointed The Weitz Firm, LLC and The Law Office of Chris R. Miltenberger, PLLC to represent you and all Class Members. These lawyers are called Class Counsel. They are experienced in handling similar cases. More information about the law firms, their practices, and their lawyers' experience is available at www.theweitzfirm.com and www.miltenbergerlaw.com.

15. Should I get my own lawyer?

You do not need to hire your own lawyer because Class Counsel is working on your behalf. But, if you want your own lawyer, you will have to hire them on your own. For example, you can ask a lawyer to appear in Court for you if you want someone other than Class Counsel to speak for you.

16. How will the lawyers be paid?

If Class Counsel gets money or benefits for the Class, they may ask the Court for fees and expenses. You won't have to pay these fees and expenses. If the Court grants Class Counsel's request, the fees and expenses would be deducted from any money obtained for the Class or paid separately by The Money Source.

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The Court has not yet scheduled a trial to decide who is right in this case. When the Court schedules a trial, the date and location will be posted on the website: www.MoneySourceTCPAClassAction.com.

17. How and when will the Court decide who is right?

As long as the case isn't resolved by a settlement or otherwise, Class Counsel will have to prove Plaintiff's claims at trial. During the trial, a jury or the Judge will hear all the evidence to help them decide whether Plaintiff or Defendant are right about the claims in the Lawsuit. There is no guarantee that Plaintiff will win, or that she will get any money for the Class.

18. Do I have to come to trial?

You do not need to attend the trial. Class Counsel will present the case for Plaintiff and the Class and Defendant will present the defenses. You or your own lawyer are welcome to come at your own expense.

19. Will I get money after the trial?

If Plaintiff obtains money as a result of the trial or a settlement, you will be notified about how to claim a share. It is not known how long this will take.

20. Are there more details available?

Visit the website, <u>www.MoneySourceTCPAClassAction.com</u>, where you will find the Court's Order certifying the Class, Plaintiff's Class Action Complaint, and The Money Source's Answer to the Class Action Complaint. You can also speak to one of the lawyers by calling 1-267-587-6240 or by writing to: The Weitz Firm, LLC, 1515 Market Street #1100, Philadelphia, PA 19102.

PLEASE DO <u>NOT</u> CONTACT THE COURT, THE JUDGE, OR THE DEFENDANT WITH QUESTIONS ABOUT THE ACTION.