

## **COURT APPROVED PROTOCOL**

### **Outstanding Releases**

1. Release is defined in Article 1.09 of the Pre-1986/Post-1990 Hepatitis C Settlement Agreement.
2. Where the Administrator has sent a Release to a claimant and it has been returned as undeliverable and the claimant has not provided the Administrator with updated contact information, the Administrator will:
  - (a) make reasonable efforts to locate the claimant through internet searches or other available means, and
  - (b) where possible, contact the claimant's physician to locate the claimant.
3. Where the Administrator is unable to obtain updated contact information for the claimant after completing the steps in 2 (a) and, where possible, 2(b) above, the compensation allocated to this claimant will be deemed to be unclaimed and the claimant shall have forfeited any entitlement to a further payment from the settlement.
4. Where the Administrator has mailed a Release to an approved claimant but it has not been returned within 30 days from its issuance, the Administrator shall send a final notice to the approved claimant. The final notice shall include a copy of the Release and the correspondence accompanying it shall clearly state that the Release must be returned within 60 days otherwise the claimant will have forfeited any entitlement to future payments from the settlement. If the Release is not returned within 60 days the compensation allocated to this claimant will be deemed to be unclaimed and the claimant shall have forfeited any entitlement to future payments from the settlement.

No. C976108  
Vancouver Registry

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

BETWEEN:

EDWARD KILLOUGH, PATRICIA NICHOLSON, IRENE FEAD,  
DAPHNE MARTIN, DEBORAH LUTZ, and MELANIE CREHAN

PLAINTIFFS

AND:

THE CANADIAN RED CROSS SOCIETY, HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT  
THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, AND THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF  
CANADA

DEFENDANTS

Brought under the *Class Proceedings Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c.50

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**ORDER MADE AFTER APPLICATION**

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