

Court File No. CV-21-00000810-00CP

ONTARIO
SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE

THE HONOURABLE) Wednesday, THE 29
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JUSTICE SPENCER NICHOLSON) DAY OF May, 2024

B E T W E E N:



JOHN PRINS

Plaintiff/Moving Party

- and -

LG ELECTRONICS CANADA, INC.

Defendant/Responding Party

Proceeding under the *Class Proceedings Act, 1992*

ORDER
(Class Counsel Fees Approval)

THIS MOTION, made by the Plaintiff, for an Order (1) approving the contingency fee retainer agreement entered into with the Representative Plaintiff, John Prins; (2) approving Class Counsel’s legal fees, disbursements, and applicable taxes (“Class Counsel Fees”); (3) ordering the Defendant to pay Class Counsel’s Class Counsel Fees; and (4) approving payment of a representative plaintiff honourarium, was heard this day by judicial videoconference at the London Courthouse, 80 Dundas Street, London, Ontario, N6A 6A3.

ON READING the materials filed by the Parties, including the settlement agreement between them, dated August 3, 2023 (the “Settlement Agreement”) and the affidavits of the various affiants;

AND ON HEARING the submissions of counsel for the Plaintiff;

AND ON BEING ADVISED that the Parties have reached an agreement as to the amount of Class Counsel's Class Counsel Fees and that the Plaintiff and the Defendant consent to this Order;

AND ON BEING ADVISED that the negotiated and agreed-upon Class Counsel Fees include work-in-progress (WIP) of \$283,288; a multiplier of approximately 1.46; taxes of 13% on the WIP and multiplier in the amount of \$53,745.85; and disbursements, inclusive of tax, of \$7,824.57;

1. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that for the purposes of this Order and unless otherwise defined in this Order, the definitions set out in the Settlement Agreement apply to and are incorporated into this Order;

2. **THIS COURT ORDERS AND DECLARES** that the contingency fee retainer agreement entered into with the Representative Plaintiff, John Prins, is fair and reasonable, and is hereby approved pursuant to s 32(2) of the *Class Proceedings Act, 1992*, SO 1992, c 6;

3. **THIS COURT ORDERS AND DECLARES** that the Class Counsel Fees requested in this Action are fair and reasonable, and are hereby approved in the amount of \$475,000, inclusive of legal fees, taxes, and disbursements; and

4. **THIS COURT ORDERS** the Defendant to pay Class Counsel's Class Counsel Fees in the amount of \$475,000, inclusive of legal fees, taxes, and disbursements, within sixty (60) days

following the later of: (a) the date when this Order becomes final and non-appealable; and (b) the date when the Court's Settlement Approval Order becomes final and non-appealable.



The Honourable Justice Spencer Nicholson

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