

## Annexure E-Press Notice

## **Australian FX Class Action**

## J Wisbey & Associates Pty Ltd v UBS AG & Ors

## No. VID 567 of 2019

The Federal Court of Australia has ordered that this notice be published for the information of persons who might have claims affected by this class action.

The class action alleges that the respondents - UBS AG, Barclays Bank PLC, Citibank, N.A., JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A. and NatWest Markets PLC (formerly The Royal Bank of Scotland PLC) - entered into an arrangement or understanding to fix the prices for certain FX instruments, causing loss to the persons who traded in those instruments.

The respondents deny those allegations and are defending the proceedings.

If you traded in FX spots or FX outright forwards between 1 January 2008 and 15 October 2013 and:

- · either you or the dealer with whom you transacted were located in Australia; and
- you traded a minimum total value of AUD 500,000 or equivalent over that period,

you may be a group member in this class action. You do not need to have traded with the respondents to be a group member.

The Court has ordered a mediation of the proceeding to be conducted by 6 November 2024 for the purposes of the parties attempting to reach settlement.

If you are a group member and wish to be considered for a payment from any settlement of the class action agreed within three months of the first day of the mediation, you must register your claim by 4pm AEST on 12 August 2024. If you do not register by that date and the class action settles, you may lose the right to receive compensation from any such settlement and to pursue your own claim against the respondents in relation to the subject matter of the class action.

If you have already received compensation relating to alleged cartel conduct in respect of the same FX trades, you will not be eligible to receive compensation in respect of those trades in this case.

If you do not wish to remain part of the class action, you must opt-out by 4pm AEST on 12 August 2024. Details on how to opt-out can be found at <a href="https://www.mauriceblackburn.com.au/FX">https://www.mauriceblackburn.com.au/FX</a>.

For more information, including registration forms, please contact Maurice Blackburn on 1800 270 800 or email ForexClassAction@mauriceblackburn.com.au.