

In re Westpac Class Action Litigation
c/o Strategic Claims Services
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COURT-ORDERED LEGAL NOTICE

**Important Notice about a Securities Class
Action Settlement.**

**You may be entitled to a CASH payment. This
Notice may affect your legal rights. Please read
it carefully.**

Byrne v. Westpac Banking Corp., et al.
Case No.: 3:20-cv-00171-AC

**THIS CARD PROVIDES ONLY LIMITED INFORMATION ABOUT THE SETTLEMENT.
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There has been a proposed Settlement of claims against Westpac Banking Corp. (“Westpac”) and certain current and former executives of Westpac (collectively, the “Defendants”). The Settlement would resolve a lawsuit in which Plaintiffs allege that Defendants disseminated materially false and misleading information to the investing public about their policies concerning and compliance with anti-money laundering/counterterrorism financing laws, in violation of the federal securities laws. Defendants deny any wrongdoing. You received this Postcard Notice because you or someone in your family may have purchased Westpac Securities between November 11, 2015 and November 19, 2019, inclusive, and been damaged thereby.

Defendants have agreed to pay a Settlement Amount of \$3,100,000 U.S. Dollars. The Settlement provides that the Settlement Fund, after deduction of any Court-approved attorneys’ fees and expenses, notice and administration costs, and taxes, is to be divided among all Settlement Class Members who submit a valid Claim Form, in exchange for the settlement of this case and the Releases by Settlement Class Members of claims related to this case. **For all details of the Settlement, read the Stipulation and full Notice, available at www.strategicclaims.net.**

Your share of the Settlement proceeds will depend on the number of valid Claims submitted, and the number, size and timing of your transactions in Westpac Securities. If every eligible Settlement Class Member submits a valid Claim Form, the average recovery will be \$0.11 per eligible security before expenses and other Court-ordered deductions. Your award will be determined *pro rata* based on the number of claims submitted. This is further explained in the detailed Notice found on the Settlement website.

To qualify for payment, you must submit a Claim Form. The Claim Form can be found on the website www.strategicclaims.net or will be mailed to you upon request to the Claims Administrator: *In re Westpac Class Action Litigation, c/o Strategic Claims Services, P.O. Box 230, 600 N. Jackson St., Suite 205, Media, PA 19063; toll-free (866) 274-4004; fax: (610) 565-7985; info@strategicclaims.net.* **Claim Forms must be postmarked by January 18, 2021.** If you do not want to be legally bound by the Settlement, you must exclude yourself by March 8, 2021, or you will not be able to sue the Defendants about the legal claims in this case. If you exclude yourself, you cannot get money from this Settlement. If you want to object to the Settlement, you may file an objection by March 30, 2021. The detailed Notice explains how to submit a Claim Form, exclude yourself or object.

The Court will hold a hearing in this case on April 20, 2021 at 9:30 a.m., to consider whether to approve the Settlement and a request by the lawyers representing the Settlement Class for up to 33^{1/3}% of the Settlement Fund in attorneys’ fees, plus actual expenses up to \$40,000 U.S. Dollars for litigating the case and negotiating the Settlement, and reimbursement of Plaintiffs’ costs and expenses related to their representation of the Settlement Class in an amount not to exceed \$1,500 U.S. Dollars. You may attend the hearing and ask to be heard by the Court, but you do not have to. For more information, call toll-free (866) 274-4004 or visit the website www.strategicclaims.net and read the detailed Notice.