

A California Federal Court authorized this Notice

**If you purchased or leased
certain Acura or Honda
vehicles with the Automatic
Idle Stop feature,
a class action settlement
may affect your rights**

A settlement has been reached in a class action lawsuit called *In re Honda Idle Stop Litigation*, Case No. 2:22-cv-04252-MCS-SK, pending in the United States District Court for the Central District of California. The case involves the Auto-Idle Stop feature in certain 2015-2020 Acura TLX, 2016-2020 Acura MDX, 2016-2021 Honda Pilot, 2019-2021 Honda Passport, and 2020-2021 Honda Ridgeline vehicles.

This Notice summarizes your rights and options in respect to the Settlement. Please read it carefully.

Honda Idle Stop Class Action

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WHAT IS THIS ABOUT?

Plaintiffs allege that the Auto Idle Stop feature (“AIS”) in certain Honda and Acura vehicles is defective. The “Class Vehicles” include all 2015-2020 Acura TLX, 2016-2020 Acura MDX, 2016-2021 Honda Pilot, 2019-2021 Honda Passport, and 2020-2021 Honda Ridgeline vehicles sold or leased in the United States, that are equipped with a NP0 engine, nine-speed automatic transmission, and AIS. AIS is designed to shut off the engine when a vehicle is at a complete stop, and then automatically restart the vehicle when the brake pedal is released. Plaintiffs allege that, while AIS shuts down the vehicles’ engine, the engine could fail to automatically restart when a driver releases the brake pedal, leaving the vehicle temporarily undrivable (“AIS No-Restart”). American Honda Motor Co., Inc. (“AHM”) expressly denies any wrongdoing or liability for the claims alleged, denies that the Class Vehicles are defective, and contends that any potential AIS problems were remedied through a software update and 10-yr. unlimited mile warranty extension. Plaintiffs and AHM have agreed to a Settlement to avoid the time, expense and uncertainties of litigation.

AM I PART OF THE CLASS?

The Settlement Class includes everyone who purchased or leased a Class Vehicle in the United States. Please visit the Settlement website, www.AutoIdleStopSettlement.com, to review certain exclusions.

WHAT BENEFITS ARE AVAILABLE UNDER THE SETTLEMENT?

As part of the Settlement, AHM (1) is amending the Repair Procedure in the AIS Service Bulletins to eliminate AIS symptom verification as a condition to receiving the repair available under the AIS Service Bulletins, (2) will provide reimbursement for certain Out-of-Pocket Costs reasonably incurred prior to this Class Notice relating to AIS No-Restart, as well as certain Out-of-Pocket Costs that may be incurred in the future (such as towing), and (3) is implementing an Extended Claim Period after the expiration of the existing 10-year warranty coverage extension for valve adjustment and starter replacement related to AIS No-Restart, by 24 months for 2015 Acura TLX vehicles, and by 18 months for 2016 Acura TLX, Acura MDX, and Honda Pilot vehicles. Please visit the Settlement website, www.AutoIdleStopSettlement.com, for further details.

WHAT ARE MY OPTIONS?

You can (a) participate in the Settlement, (b) exclude yourself (opt out), (c) file an objection, or (d) do nothing. If you participate in the Settlement, you may make a Claim for Out-of-Pocket Costs (if any). If you ask to be excluded, you may not receive the benefits under the Settlement, but you keep your right to sue Honda separately about the same legal claims in this lawsuit should you choose to do so. If you object to the Settlement, you can tell the Court what you do not like about the Settlement or Class Counsel’s request for fees / costs, but you are bound by the release in the Settlement if your objection is overruled. If you do nothing, you cannot get paid for Out-of-Pocket Costs but will retain other Settlement benefits and are bound by the Settlement terms and release. Exclusion Requests and Objections must be postmarked by **September 12, 2025**. For more details, to get a Claim form, or other information, go to www.AutoIdleStopSettlement.com.

WHERE CAN I GET MORE INFORMATION?

For detailed information about the Settlement, Settlement related documents filed with the Court, Settlement deadlines/deadline updates, or other information, please visit www.AutoIdleStopSettlement.com or call (888) 888-3082.

PLEASE DO NOT CONTACT THE COURT REGARDING THIS NOTICE