SUPERIOR COURT

(Class Action)

CANADA PROVINCE OF QUÉBEC DISTRICT OF MONTREAL

N°: 500-06-000859-179

DATE: November 4, 2020

BY THE HONOURABLE CHANTAL CHATELAIN, J.S.C.

DENIS GAUTHIER

Representative Plaintiff

V.

DAVID BAAZOV

Defendant

JUDGMENT

(Notice to the Class Members, art. 579 C.C.P.)

- [1] **CONSIDERING** that on August 7, 2020, the Court authorized the bringing of a class action against the defendant (the "Authorization Judgment")¹;
- [2] **CONSIDERING** the Representative Plaintiff's Case Management Notice to Approve Notices and Notice Plan and the Exhibits attached thereto;
- [3] **CONSIDERING** the consent of the Defendant;
- [4] **CONSIDERING** that the Court has provided for a sixty (60) day opt-out period in the Authorization Judgment and that the parties have agreed on the contents and details of the publication of the Notices;
- [5] **CONSIDERING** that the proposed notices and the notice plan are in the interest of the class members as well as in the interest of justice;

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FOR THESE REASONS, THE COURT:

[4] **GRANTS** the Representative Plaintiff's Case Management Notice to Approve Notices and Notice Plan;

- [5] **REITERATES** that the Authorization Judgment fixes the delay for class members to opt-out of the class at sixty (60) days from the date of the publication of the notices to class members:
- [6] **FIXES** the Opt-Out Deadline at sixty (60) days from the last publication of the notices as provided for in paragraphs 1 and 2 of the notice plan (Exhibit CM-2);
- [7] **APPROVES** the publication and distribution of the notices, substantially in the form attached to the *Case Management Notice to Approve Notices and Notice Plan* as Exhibit CM-1, and in accordance with the notice plan;
- [8] **THE WHOLE** without costs, under reserve of any costs payable regarding the publication of the notices, which will follow suit.

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Decided on the basis of a written motion without an oral hearing