

MacDougall v. American Honda Exclusions
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Court Approved Legal Notice

**United States District Court for the
Central District of California
Eastern Division**

*Dennis MacDougall, et al. v. American
Honda Motor Company, Inc.*
Case No. 8:17-cv-1079-JGB-(DFM)

**If You Purchased or Leased Certain
2012 – 2016 Honda Odyssey vehicles from
American Honda Motor Company, Inc.
("American Honda") or an authorized
American Honda Motor Company
dealership in California, Pennsylvania,
New Jersey or Florida, a Class Action
Lawsuit May Affect Your Legal Rights.**

This is not a solicitation from a lawyer.

**For more information about this
class action lawsuit visit or call:**

www.ODY2012-16transmissionclassaction.com
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A class action lawsuit was filed against American Honda Motor Company, Inc. alleging that American Honda manufactured 2012 Touring and Touring Elite Honda Odyssey vehicles (with VINs in the range of 5FNRL5H...CB053446 through 5FNRL5H...CB148157) (actual VINs are 17 characters with letters and numbers), 2013 Touring and Touring Elite Honda Odyssey vehicles, and 2014 to 2016 Honda Odyssey vehicles (collectively “Class Vehicles”) with a defective transmission prone to sudden, unexpected shaking and jerking, commonly referred to as “juddering” or “shuddering,” (alleged “Transmission Defect”) and that American Honda was aware at the time of sale that the transmissions in the Class Vehicles were defective and prone to the Transmission Defect. As a result, it is alleged Class Members overpaid for their Class Vehicles. American Honda denies that the Transmissions are defective and denies liability to Plaintiffs or Class Members. The Court has not decided whether American Honda is liable but has decided to allow the lawsuit to proceed as a class action. There is no money or benefits that have been obtained for the Class, and there is no guarantee there will be in the future.

You are receiving this Notice because American Honda’s records show that you may be a Class Member. If you purchased or leased a “Class Vehicle” from American Honda or an authorized American Honda Motor Company dealership in California, Pennsylvania, New Jersey or Florida, you are a Class Member.

What happens if I do nothing at all? You will remain part of the lawsuit and keep the possibility of getting money or benefits that may result, but you will give up your rights to sue American Honda separately about the legal issues involved in this lawsuit. You will be bound

by any judgment or settlement in this lawsuit, whether favorable or unfavorable.

How do I exclude myself? If you want to be excluded from the lawsuit and no longer be a Class Member and retain your right to bring your own lawsuit against American Honda for the legal issues in this lawsuit, you must mail a written “Request for Exclusion.” Your request must include: (a) the name of the lawsuit; (b) your full name and address; (c) a statement that you want to be excluded; (d) the year, make, model, and VIN of your Honda vehicle, and (e) be signed by you or your lawyer. Your Request for Exclusion must be **postmarked by October 21, 2024**, and mailed to: MacDougall v. American Honda Exclusions, PO Box 2447, Portland, OR 97208-2447. If you exclude yourself, you will not be legally bound by the Court’s judgments and you will not be able to share in any money that the Class may receive from any trial or settlement in this lawsuit.

Do I have a lawyer in this case? Lawrence Deutsch of Berger & Montague, P.C.; Peretz Bronstein of Bronstein Gewirtz & Grossman, LLC and Gary Mason of Mason LLP have been appointed Class Counsel by the Court to represent Class Members. You may also choose to hire your own lawyer at your own expense.

Correcting your mailing address. If this Notice was forwarded by the U.S. Postal Service, or if it was sent to an individual or address that is not correct or current, you should immediately contact the Notice Administrator to update your address.

How do I get more information? This notice is a summary only. More details are available at www.ODY2012-16transmissionclassaction.com, or by calling toll-free 1-888-298-9421. **Please do not contact the Court.**