

**KIA ABS MODULE CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT  
NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT APPROVAL**

**A Canada-wide class action Settlement has been approved to benefit many current and former owners and lessees of the following Kia-brand vehicles (the “Settlement Class Vehicles”):**

<u>Model</u>	<u>Model Years</u>
Kia Borrego	2010-2011
Kia Cadenza	2014-2018
Kia Forte	2010-2013
Kia Forte Koup	2010-2013
Kia K900	2015-2018
Kia Optima	2011-2015
Kia Rio	2012-2017

<u>Model</u>	<u>Model Years</u>
Kia Rondo	2010-2012; 2014-2017
Kia Sedona	2006-2010
Kia Sorento	2007-2009; 2011-2015
Kia Soul	2011-2013
Kia Sportage	2008-2021
Kia Stinger	2018-2021

**IF YOU OWN(ED) OR LEASE(D) ONE OF THESE VEHICLES, YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR BENEFITS UNDER THE SETTLEMENT.**

This Notice is to inform you of the Court’s approval of a nationwide Settlement of class action lawsuits against Kia. The lawsuits allege that the Settlement Class Vehicles suffer from an alleged defect that can cause engine compartment fires and loss of anti-lock brake system (“ABS”) functionality, and that some owners and lessees have been improperly denied repairs under warranty. None of the allegations have been proven. The Parties have instead reached a voluntary Settlement.

**SETTLEMENT BENEFITS:** Settlement Class Members (those who purchased or leased a Settlement Class Vehicle in Canada who are not excluded from the Settlement) may be eligible for the following benefits by taking the following actions:

<b>SETTLEMENT BENEFIT</b>	<b>DO I NEED TO SUBMIT A CLAIM FORM?</b>
Extended or additional warranty coverage for repairs resulting from an electrical short circuit in the ABS control module (“ <b>ABS Module</b> ”) and/or failure of the ABS Module that results in engine compartment damage due to smoke or fire.	<b>No.</b> You do not need to submit a Claim Form to receive the warranty extension or additional warranty. This will automatically be available to you in the event an issue arises with your Settlement Class Vehicle that is covered by warranty.
Free one-time inspection of Settlement Class Vehicles’ ABS Modules.	<b>No.</b> You do not need to submit a Claim Form to receive the free one-time inspection. Please contact a Kia-Authorized Dealer to schedule an appointment to receive this free one-time inspection of your Settlement Class Vehicle’s ABS Module.
Cash payment for qualifying past out-of-pocket repairs.	<b>Yes.</b> Please see below how to make a Claim.
Cash payment for qualifying past repair-related expenses.	<b>Yes.</b> Please see below how to make a Claim.
Cash payment for Settlement Class Vehicles lost due to certain engine fires.	<b>Yes.</b> Please see below how to make a Claim.

**HOW DO I MAKE A CLAIM?**

- The period for submitting a Claim begins on **February 17, 2026** and runs until **May 19, 2026**.
- You may submit a Claim online through [www.kiaabsmodulesettlement.ca](http://www.kiaabsmodulesettlement.ca).
- Alternatively, you may complete a paper Claim Form available at [www.kiaabsmodulesettlement.ca](http://www.kiaabsmodulesettlement.ca) and submit your completed Claim Form by mail to the address indicated on the Claim Form.

**To obtain more information, visit the settlement website at [www.kiaabsmodulesettlement.ca](http://www.kiaabsmodulesettlement.ca), call 1-888-808-8157, or email [support@kiaabsmodulesettlement.ca](mailto:support@kiaabsmodulesettlement.ca).**

You may also contact Class Counsel:

In Canada, except Québec: 1-844-878-0444 / 1-844-672-5666 or [absdefect.classaction@outlook.com](mailto:absdefect.classaction@outlook.com) / [hyundaikia@mckenzielake.com](mailto:hyundaikia@mckenzielake.com)

**In Québec: 1-877-782-4815 or [hyundaikia.abs@slatervecchio.com](mailto:hyundaikia.abs@slatervecchio.com)**

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