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CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT NOTICE

A federal court authorized this notice. This is not a solicitation from a lawyer.

A proposed settlement (the "Settlement") has been reached in a proposed class action lawsuit styled *Advanced Interventional Pain & Diagnostics of Western Arkansas, LLC v. Adva Holdings, LLC, et al.*, Case No. 8:20-cv-02704-WFJ-CPT (M.D. Fla.) (the "Class Action"), pending in the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida. **Please read this notice carefully as you and your rights may be affected.**

What does the Settlement provide? The Settlement, in exchange for the dismissal of the Class Action and release of claims against Adva Holdings, LLC and Encompass Specialty Network, LLC (collectively "Defendants") as explained in the Settlement Agreement, creates a fund of no more than \$9,000,000.00 (the "Maximum Payment") and no less than \$2,750,000.00 (the "Base Payment"). The ultimate size of the Settlement Fund will depend on the number of claims filed and approved for payment ("Approved Claims"). Each Approved Claim will share in the distribution of the Settlement Fund. Each Approved Claim will receive approximately \$250.00, subject to pro rata adjustments as provided in the Settlement Agreement, for each of the Settlement Class Members' facsimile numbers that received one or more of the facsimile transmissions at issue in this Action, as reflected in Defendants' records, subject to the conditions set forth in the Settlement Agreement. Actual payment amounts could be more or less than the above estimate.

What is this Class Action about? The Class Action alleges that Defendants violated the Telephone Consumer Protection Act by transmitting facsimile advertisements in violation of that law. Defendants deny the claims and further deny that they did anything wrong. No trial has been held on the merits of any allegations against Defendants or as to Defendants' defenses. Defendants have agreed to the Settlement without admitting any fault or liability.

Why did I get this notice? The Defendants' records show a successful transmission of one or more facsimiles to the facsimile number to which this notice has been sent, by or on behalf of Defendants from December 20, 2015 through March 3, 2021 allegedly advertising the availability or quality of property, goods or services of Defendants. Because of this, you may be a Settlement Class Member if you were the subscriber to the facsimile number to which this notice has been sent between December 20, 2015 through March 3, 2021.

What do I need to do to receive a payment from the Settlement? To receive a payment, you must submit a completed and signed Claim Form to the Settlement Administrator postmarked by no later than May 22, 2021. Submission of your Claim Form can be done (i) via first-class mail to the following address: Specialty Network Settlement Administrator, P.O. Box 43501, Providence, RI 02940-3501, (ii) online at the Settlement Website www.SpecialtyNetworkSettlement.com, or (iii) by fax to 1-866-690-8158.

How do I get out of the Settlement? To exclude yourself from this Settlement, you must send a letter by mail to the Settlement Administrator that is postmarked no later than May 22, 2021. To be effective, the request for exclusion must include (a) the Settlement Class Member's full name, mailing address, and current facsimile number, and any facsimile number used by the Settlement Class Member from December 20, 2015 through March 3, 2021; (b) a clear and unequivocal statement that the Settlement Class Member wishes to be excluded from the Settlement Class; (c) the style of the Lawsuit: "Advanced Interventional Pain & Diagnostics of Western Arkansas, LLC v. Adva Holdings, LLC, et al., Case No. 8:20-cv-02704-WFJ-CPT (M.D. Fla.)"; and (d) a signature of an individual authorized to act on the Settlement Class Member's behalf. You must mail your exclusion request to the following address: Specialty Network Settlement Administrator, P.O. Box 43501, Providence, RI 02940-3501. If you send a timely and valid request to be excluded from the Settlement Class, you will not get any Settlement payment, you cannot object to the Settlement, and you will not be legally bound by anything that happens in this lawsuit.

What are my other options? If you do not exclude yourself, you can object to the Settlement. You can give reasons why you think the Court should not approve the Settlement. Objections must be postmarked no later than May 22, 2021. The specific details for filing an objection are in the detailed notice available at www.SpecialtyNetworkSettlement.com. If you do nothing, you will remain in the Settlement Class but will NOT receive a payment.

<u>Do I have a lawyer in this Class Action?</u> The Court appointed the law firm of Carney Bates & Pulliam, PLLC to represent you and other Settlement Class Members, referred to as Class Counsel. You will not be charged for these lawyers. Rather, Class Counsel will ask the Court for attorneys' fees of up to 25% of the Settlement Fund, plus reimbursement of reasonable litigation expenses. Class Counsel will also ask for a Service Award to Plaintiff in the amount of \$5,000.00. If approved by the Court, the Service Award will be paid by Defendants as a separate payment.

When and where will the Court decide whether to approve the Settlement? The Court will hold a Final Approval Hearing at 9:30 a.m. on June 22, 2021 at the Sam M. Gibbons United States Courthouse, 801 N. Florida Ave., Tampa, Florida 33602, Courtroom 15B. Due to COVID-19, the Final Approval Hearing may be held virtually. For specific details about the hearing, please check the Settlement Website. At this hearing, the Court will consider whether the Settlement is fair, reasonable, and adequate. If there are objections, the Court will consider them. The Court may also decide how much to pay Class Counsel.

How do I get more information? This notice summarizes the Settlement. For the precise terms and conditions of the Settlement, please see the Settlement Agreement available at www.SpecialtyNetworkSettlement.com; by visiting the office of the Clerk of the Court for the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida, 801 N. Florida Ave., Tampa, Florida 33602 between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding Court holidays; or by contacting Class Counsel at 501-312-8500. You can also call the Settlement Administrator toll-free at 1-844-917-2018 with your questions. You should read the entire Settlement Agreement before making a decision about whether to participate in the Settlement.