Court File No.: CV-22-00088299-00CP

### ONTARIO SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE

THE HONOURABLE MR.	)	MONDAY, THE 8 <sup>TH</sup> DAY
JUSTICE C. MACLEOD	)	OF DECEMBER, 2025

BETWEEN:

### **NANCY BUIS**

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Plaintiff

- and -

### **KEURIG CANADA INC.**

**Defendant** 

### ORDER Settlement Approval

**THIS MOTION** made by the Plaintiff for an Order approving the Settlement Agreement entered into with the Defendant, and dismissing this Action was heard this day at 161 Elgin St., in Ottawa, Ontario, K2P 2K1.

**UPON BEING ADVISED** that the deadline for opting out of this Action has passed, and that there were 17 opt-outs.

**UPON BEING ADVISED** that the deadline for objecting to the Settlement Agreement has passed and there have been no objections to the Settlement Agreement.

**UPON BEING ADVISED** that the Parties consent to this Order.

**UPON READING** the materials filed, including the settlement agreement dated August 11, 2025 attached to this Order as **Schedule "A"** (the "**Settlement Agreement**"),

**UPON HEARING** the submissions of counsel for the Parties;

### THIS COURT ORDERS THAT:

- 1. For the purposes of this Order, except to the extent that they are modified in this Order, the definitions set out in the Settlement Agreement apply to and are incorporated into this Order.
- 2. In the event of a conflict between this Order and the Settlement Agreement, this Order shall prevail.
- 3. The Settlement Agreement is fair, reasonable and in the best interests of the Settlement Class.
- 4. The Settlement Agreement is hereby approved pursuant to the *Rules of Civil Procedure* (Ontario), *Courts of Justice Act* (Ontario), and *Class Proceedings Act* (Ontario), and shall be implemented and enforced in accordance with its terms.
- 5. This Order, including the Settlement Agreement, is binding upon each Settlement Class member, including those Persons who are minors or mentally incapable.
- 6. Upon the Effective Date, each Releasor shall not now or hereafter institute, prosecute, continue, maintain, intervene in, or assert, either directly or indirectly, whether in Canada or elsewhere, on their own behalf or on behalf of any class or any other Person, any proceeding, cause of action, claim, suit, complaint, or demand against any Releasee or any other Person who may claim contribution or indemnity or other claims over relief from any Releasee, whether pursuant to any provincial or federal negligence acts or similar legislation or at common law or equity, in respect of any Released Claim, and are permanently barred and enjoined from doing so.
- 7. Upon the Effective Date, each Settlement Class member shall be deemed to have consented to the dismissal as against the Releasees of any Other Actions he, she, or it has commenced, without costs and with prejudice.
- 8. Upon the Effective Date, each Other Action commenced by any Settlement Class member shall be and is hereby dismissed against the Releasees, without costs and with prejudice.
- 9. Upon the Effective Date, each Releasor has released and shall be conclusively deemed to have forever and absolutely released the Releasees from the Released Claims.
- 10. Except as provided herein, this Order does not affect any claims or causes of action that Settlement Class members have or may have against any Person other than the Releasees.
- 11. No Releasee shall have any responsibility or liability whatsoever relating to the: (i) administration of the Settlement Agreement; (ii) administration, investment, or distribution of the Trust Account; or (iii) Distribution Protocol.
- 12. This Order shall be declared null and void on subsequent motion made on notice in the event that the Settlement Agreement is terminated in accordance with its terms.

- 13. The publication of the Notice of Settlement Approval is hereby approved substantially in the form attached hereto as **Schedule "B"**.
- 14. The Notice of Settlement Approval shall be disseminated in accordance with the Notice Plan that has already been approved by this Court.
- 15. The Distribution Protocol is hereby approved in the form attached hereto as **Schedule "C"**.
- 16. Eqitas Class Action Claims Administration Services, the Claims Administrator and notice provider appointed pursuant to the Certification and Notice Approval Order of this Court dated October 22, 2025, shall also administer the Settlement and is hereby appointed to perform the following functions in addition to the functions the Claims Administrator was appointed to perform in the Certification and Notice Approval Order of this Court dated October 22, 2025:
  - (a) administer and process Claim Forms in respect of claims by Settlement Class members for compensation from the Settlement Amount;
  - (b) make individual payments to Settlement Class members that submit a Claim Form by e-transfer where appropriate and by physical cheque when necessary; and
  - (c) discharge other responsibilities as prescribed in the Settlement Agreement and as approved by the Court.
- 17. Class Counsel Fees in the amount of CAD \$696,833.34 inclusive of HST plus CAD \$20,541.71 inclusive of HST in incurred disbursements are fair and reasonable.
- 18. Class Counsel Fees and Disbursements are hereby approved pursuant to sections 32 and 33 of the *Class Proceedings Act* (Ontario).
- 19. An honorarium of CAD \$7,500 shall be paid by Class Counsel out of the Trust Account to the Plaintiff within five (5) business days after the Effective Date.
- 20. The Claim Form is hereby approved in the form attached hereto as **Schedule "D"**.
- 21. For purposes of administration and enforcement of the Settlement Agreement and this Order, this Court will retain an ongoing supervisory role and the Defendant attorns to the jurisdiction of this Court solely for the purpose of implementing, administering and enforcing the Settlement Agreement and this Order, and subject to the terms and conditions set out in the Settlement Agreement and this Order.
- 22. This Action is hereby dismissed, with prejudice and without costs.
- 23. The Parties may move before this Court for directions as may be required.



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NANCY BUIS

Plaintiff

Defendant

### SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE ONTARIO

# PROCEEDING COMMENCED IN OTTAWA

Proceeding under the Class Proceedings Act, 1992

### ORDER

(Settlement Approval)

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