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A CY PRES AWARD IS A DISTRIBUTION OF UNCLAIMED, RESIDUAL CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT FUNDS TO A CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION AS AUTHORIZED BY THE COURT.

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"WHEN THE POINT OF A CASE IS TO HELP PEOPLE, IF THE PERSONS HARMED CANNOT BE LOCATED, THEN IT IS IMPORTANT TO GET UNCLAIMED SETTLEMENT FUNDS INTO THE HANDS OF AN ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO HELPING THOSE IN NEED."

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