

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
FAYETTE CIRCUIT COURT  
FOURTH DIVISION

**Civil Action No. 20-CI-00332**

*filed electronically*

**HAYNES PROPERTIES, LLC, et al.**

**PLAINTIFFS**

v.

**BURLEY TOBACCO GROWERS  
COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION, et al.**

**DEFENDANTS**

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**Settlement Class Counsel's  
Status Report**

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Settlement Class Counsel, Katherine K. Yunker and Jason R. Hollon, hereby provide the following status report detailing recent actions taken in the administration of the Settlement.

Class Counsel state as follows:

1. On September 1, 2022, the Settlement Administrator mailed 44 checks in an amount of \$5,670.00 each as part of an initial distribution to a fourth group of eligible Class members. None of those being sent the fourth initial distribution owed outstanding Tobacco Administrative Grading Service (TAGS) fees.
2. The fourth group to be sent initial distribution checks included all those objectors for whom the Court sustained the respective objection, in Orders entered in July or August 2022. In Class Counsel's view, the process is now closed for determining whether an applicant has established membership in the Class and is otherwise eligible to receive a share of the Co-op dissolution proceeds. Class Counsel will continue to work to correct any mistakes by which an established Class member has been overlooked, conflated with another member, or otherwise not sent a check in the initial or subsequent distribution of Co-op dissolution proceeds.

3. In accordance with prior Orders, McBrayer PLLC was paid an attorney's fee proportional to the fourth initial distribution described herein.

4. Class Counsel are beginning to make arrangements for a second distribution to the approximately 2600 Class members who have been sent an initial distribution.

Respectfully submitted,

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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