

## Highlights of Recent Privacy Breach Litigation

<i>Albilta v. Apple</i> 2013 QCCS 2805	Class action certified alleging Apple collected and shared users' personal information without consent.
<i>Chitrakar v. Bell</i> , 2013 FC 1103	\$21,000 awarded for unauthorized credit check during application for satellite TV service and "royal runaround".
<i>MacEachern v. Ford</i> , CV-13-18955-CP	\$14 million proposed class action alleging Ford uploaded 10,000 employees' information to an unsecured site.
<i>People's Trust</i> , 2013	\$13 million proposed class action against online banking firm alleging hack into online application database.
<i>Montfort Hospital</i> , 2013	\$40 million proposed class action arising from alleged lost USB (later recovered) affecting 25,000 patients.
<i>Maksimovic v. Sony</i> 2013 CanLII 41305	\$1 billion class action arising from Sony PlayStation hack. Court approved settlement reached.
<i>Hopkins v. Kay</i> , 2014 ONSC 321	\$7 million proposed class action arising from alleged snooping and disclosure of 280 patient files.
<i>Doe v. The Queen</i> , Fed. Ct. T-1931-13	Proposed class action for letters to individuals with "Marihuana Medical Access Program" on envelope.
<i>Condon v Canada</i> , 2014 FC 250	Class action certified alleging lost drive with 583,000 individuals' information, including name, SIN, DOB.
<i>Douez v. Facebook</i> 2014 BCSC 953	Class action certified alleging Facebook used personal information for "Sponsored Stories" without consent.
<i>Evans v. Scotia</i> , 2014 ONSC 2135	Class action certified alleging employee stole information of 643 customers, resulting in 138 cases of fraud.
<i>Sofio c. IIROC</i> 2014 QCCS 4061	\$52 million class action arising from lost laptop affecting 52,000 individuals not certified due to lack of harm.
<i>Broutzas v. Rouge Valley</i> 2014	\$412 million proposed class action alleging employees sold 8,300 patients' information to RESP companies.
<i>Home Depot</i> , 2014	\$500 million proposed class action regarding recent alleged credit card breach and resulting fraud.