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Thread: [Red Bull Lawsuit - Free 10\\$ Check or 15\\$ in Red Bull Products](#)

Focusal - October 9, 2014, 8:10 am

Update: The website is crashing intermittently. This is likely because this story has picked up a lot of steam and millions of people are simultaneously trying to collect their just-reward.

Chill out, you have until March 2nd to make your claim.

Apparently this link works directly with the claim. I was given this by another member here. I don't know about it, but looks legit

<https://iqa.gcginc.com/rdb/>

To receive a \$10 cash payment or \$15 in Red Bull products, you have to submit a claim form, or call 877-495-1568 and ask that it be sent to you by mail. No proof of purchase is necessary to receive payment.

Quote: The lawsuit was filed by customers who argued they were misled about the product's benefits, including the phrase, "Red Bull gives you wings."

Red Bull recently agreed to pay the money — totaling \$13 million — to consumers to settle two consumer class-action lawsuits. Plaintiffs in the cases argued the company's marketing misrepresented the functionality and safety of the company's drinks.

Quote: As it turns out, Red Bull doesn't give you wings, it gives you heartburn, a sugar crash, and compensation for misleading you with advertising.

The class-action suit, filed last year in U.S. District Court of the Southern District of New York alleges that the energy drink manufacturer willfully mislead the public in claiming that its product would increase concentration and physical performance.

The main crux of the argument is that while Red Bull implies that their product is more effective than a cup of coffee at providing "energy" and charges a higher price-per-unit for it, there's not actually any scientific evidence to back that claim up.

From the suit: "Such deceptive conduct and practices mean that [Red Bull's] advertising and marketing is not just 'puffery,' but is instead deceptive and fraudulent and is therefore actionable,"

Of course, per corporate settlement tradition, Red Bull is admitting absolutely no wrongdoing in the case.

In an email to BevNet, the company had this to say: "Red Bull settled the lawsuit to avoid the cost and distraction of litigation. However, Red Bull maintains that its marketing and labeling have always been truthful and accurate, and denies any and all wrongdoing or liability."

1) Anyone who has purchased at least one Red Bull product between Jan 1, 2002 and October 3, 2014 qualifies (with the exceptions noted below)

2) No receipt is required. Choose \$10 back or \$15 in product:
Cash reimbursement of \$10.00.

Free Red Bull products with a retail value of approximately \$15.00.

There are four ways to submit a filled-out form:

- Online at <http://energydrinksettlement.com/claim> (filed online by no later than March 2, 2015)
- By e-mail to the Class Action Settlement Administrator at energydrinksettlement@gcginc.com (by no later than March 2, 2015)
- By fax to the Class Action Settlement Administrator at 844-553-1373 (by no later than March 2, 2015)
- By mail to the Class Action Settlement Administrator at Energy Drink Settlement, c/o GCG, P.O. Box 35123, Seattle, WA 98124-5123 (postmarked no later than March 2, 2015)

There will be a hearing on May 1, 2015, to decide whether the settlement will be approved by the court. The money and products will be distributed within 150 days if the settlement approved.

:) My co-workers and I did this, so we going get like 45\$ in red bulls hopefully lol

Dave™ - October 9, 2014, 8:11 am

The website doesn't work... Sooo....

Well it's real -

<http://www.usatoday.com/story/money/business/2014/10/09/red-bull-refund/16959529/>

Arctic Wolf - October 9, 2014, 8:12 am

404 error, there is no such website.

Focusal - October 9, 2014, 8:15 am

(Oct 9, 2014 08:12 AM)Arctic Wolf Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) 404 error, there is no such website. You have until march. chill. site just not working. Call them and they will send form

Josylvio - October 9, 2014, 8:17 am

This is only for USA right? Or could I get this even if I'm in the Netherlands?

Focusal - October 9, 2014, 8:17 am

(Oct 9, 2014 08:17 AM)Dortmund Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is only for USA right? Or could I get this even if I'm in the Netherlands?

This is anywhere. They stated in statement, as long red bull is sold there legally it can be claimed.

Tomb Raider - October 9, 2014, 8:18 am

Is this possible for the UK or US only. Also how come they are doing this ?

+Cloud - October 9, 2014, 8:19 am

coz they got sued xDD does anyone have a spare copy of the form coz the site is down?

Focusal - October 9, 2014, 8:20 am

(Oct 9, 2014 08:18 AM)Tomb Raider Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Is this possible for the UK or US only. Also how come they are doing this ?

Please read quote I added above. Its because of false advertisements and more

Black Hippy - October 9, 2014, 8:22 am

They're getting sued for their "Red Bull gives you wings" bullshit. and OP I think it's only a \$13million settlement so they might stop before March, idk

Focusal - October 9, 2014, 8:23 am

(Oct 9, 2014 08:22 AM)Black Hippy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) They're getting sued for their "Red Bull gives you wings" bullshit. and OP I think it's only a \$13million settlement so they might stop before March, idk 13 million in cash so that means 1,300,000 people have to apply for the 10 cash check. Others who applied wont get the 10 but the 15\$ coupon product, still win win regardless.

Gunter The Penguin - October 9, 2014, 8:31 am

Does anyone have a form because i cant get the website working?

Rsynced - October 9, 2014, 8:33 am

(Oct 9, 2014 08:31 AM)Gunter The Penguin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Does anyone have a form because i cant get the website working?

Here's the working link for anyone interested:

<https://iqa.gcginc.com/rdb/>

Rsynced - October 9, 2014, 8:35 am

(Oct 9, 2014 08:34 AM)+Cloud Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) exactly what i said... everyone is trying to access the site so its gonna be down for a while

Check my post, I posted the real link!

Yokomoto - October 9, 2014, 9:07 am

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It's not worldwide is it. I can only enter american details

iSwifter - October 9, 2014, 9:15 am

How many times can I submit?? because im about to make a million

Rsynced - October 9, 2014, 9:31 am

(Oct 9, 2014 09:15 AM)iSwifter Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How many times can I submit?? because im about to make a million

You can only submit once per legal name / address. I wouldn't try to spam this, you could have legal action taken against you.

iSwifter - October 9, 2014, 9:43 am

Thanks for the advice, thats one thing i wanna avoid. I called them, they told me, it can't be on the same name.

(Oct 9, 2014 09:31 AM)Rsynced Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You can only submit once per legal name / address. I wouldn't try to spam this, you could have legal action taken against you.

iDuL - October 9, 2014, 11:19 am

And now the servers are never going to load because this thread. lol

Focusal - October 10, 2014, 2:01 am

Link works. Make sure do 1 only for safety.

Shoppa - October 10, 2014, 2:07 am

My state is not in the list ;l and you need to fill in the truth or they can fuck you over.

petar2351 - October 10, 2014, 8:02 am

Only us? I can see states only there? No country?

Focusal - October 11, 2014, 3:18 pm

(Oct 10, 2014 02:07 AM)Shoppa Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) My state is not in the list ;l and you need to fill in the truth or they can fuck you over.

They cant fuck you over. Im pretty sure majority of people tried red bull before. Shoot you can try one now and be safe. You will only get fucked over if there is more than 1 going to the same address

Ppanda - October 11, 2014, 5:17 pm

i saw this in the news and i think they said its 13 million so I'm pretty sure this is only going to last a few weeks or until that 13 Million is up so grab it while you can...

Kyrus - October 13, 2014, 10:40 pm

(Oct 11, 2014 03:18 PM)Focusal Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) They cant fuck you over. Im pretty sure majority of people tried red bull before. Shoot you can try one now and be safe. You will only get fucked over if there is more than 1 going to the same addressBut since they are reimbursing each person that used their product wouldn't your family members qualify as well? Also you could be living with roommates who drank red bull before.

cashhaxx - October 14, 2014, 1:37 am

Thanks for providing the link and telling everyone about this i got my \$10 just filled it out online.

SIM-964740 - October 14, 2014, 5:11 am

Why is only for the US? Seems odd as I have been mislead that Redbull gives you wings here in Aus.

-Google - October 14, 2014, 5:41 am

is this US only if not where is a EU link

420 Blaze It - October 14, 2014, 5:42 am

Alright boys, time to make profit and my claim now.

Snoepie1012 - October 14, 2014, 5:50 am

Wtf I got scammed by Redbull aswell and just because I aint from the USA I cant fill out the form? Someone better sue them in the EU.

SIM-2124254 - October 14, 2014, 4:54 pm

I just filled it out, I want some red bull ^_^

iDuL - October 14, 2014, 7:55 pm

I'll be getting this check (given, the settlement goes thru) when I'm 21 years old.
WOW.

NarwhalTusks - October 16, 2014, 1:26 am

Well, hope you don't have to be over 18. Signed up for this, hopefully I get free drinks.

Jordy Clasie - October 17, 2014, 12:28 am

Any idea how I can make this work in Holland?:P would love some free red bulls, even though they don't give wings:(

Rat Pack - October 17, 2014, 9:26 am

Seems like it's USA only guys.

<http://www.energydrinksettlement.com/>

AssGang - October 17, 2014, 5:19 pm

Thanks for this, Just did it. I wonder when they pay out hmmm
:Blackhat:

Zain - October 17, 2014, 6:39 pm

No point trying if you're not in the U.S., this case does not have international jurisdiction.

raul42 - October 17, 2014, 11:43 pm

looks promising i will try this, thanks bro.

Kyrus - October 18, 2014, 5:54 pm

Its gonna be a long long wait lol.

If settlement gets approved in May 1st, they have within 150 to reimburse us.

Jay Rock - October 18, 2014, 7:14 pm

Filed out the form. Hope this works, hey thanks bro