

**United States v. City of Jackson (S.D. Miss.)**

**NOTICE TO POTENTIAL VICTIMS OF DISABILITY DISCRIMINATION  
BY THE CITY OF JACKSON**

On June 26, 2017, the United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi entered a Consent Decree resolving a disability discrimination lawsuit brought by the United States against the City of Jackson, Mississippi (“the City”). The lawsuit alleged that the City engaged in a pattern or practice of housing discrimination by excluding persons in recovery from alcohol or substance abuse living in group homes from most residential areas in the City, in violation of the Fair Housing Act and the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Under the Consent Order, a Settlement Fund has been established to compensate persons whose rights may have been violated by the City. You may qualify to recover from this Settlement Fund if you are a person with a disability who resided or was eligible to reside at a group home operated by Urban Rehab, Inc.

*If you believe you have been discriminated against because of disability in connection with your residence in or operation of a group home for persons in recovery, please contact the United States Department of Justice at:  
**1-800-896-7743, mailbox 2.***

*You may also write to:*  
**United States Department of Justice  
Civil Rights Division  
Housing and Civil Enforcement Section  
950 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W. - G St  
Washington, DC 20530  
Attn: DJ# 175-41-227**

**You must call or write on or before October 24, 2017 and your message or letter must include your name, address, and, if possible, at least TWO telephone numbers where you may be reached.**