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**Retail Association of Maine Welcomes  
New Endorsed Class Action Settlement Claims Partner**

March 13, 2024 (Augusta, Maine) - The Retail Association of Maine (RAM) has partnered with DCap Claims — a 3rd party filer of business-to-business settlement claims. DCap is our trusted partner to help members recover swipe fees from the \$5.54 billion Visa/Mastercard class action and antitrust settlements for all eligible merchants who accepted Visa/Mastercard credit cards between January 1, 2004 and January 25, 2019.

RAM hosted a webinar in collaboration with Maine Grocers and Food Producers Association and New Hampshire Retail Association to launch the partnership and this new settlement claims member benefit. Guest speakers, JR Long, COO and Matt Miller, Education Center Manager at DCAP Claims, explained how to maximize and simplify settlement claims. RAM encourages all our members to review their settlement eligibility and consider participating in this opportunity. While you do not need to sign up with a third-party service to participate<sup>1</sup> in any monetary relief, RAM has vetted and approved the partnership with DCap to provide an added membership benefit as follows:

- 25% contingency fee, reduced from DCap's market fee of 30%
- Ongoing support from DCap's Education Center, including quarterly newsletter
- Notification of other settlements and government programs
- Early recovery and payment options available for those interested

**About the Retail Association of Maine**

The Retail Association of Maine is a statewide, non-profit trade association representing more than 350 businesses in the state, from large chains to small independent retailers. Incorporated in 1937, the Retail Association of Maine serves as the voice of retailers in Maine and concentrates on preserving the state's strong retail climate. For more information on the Retail Association of Maine, please visit the website at [retailmaine.org](http://retailmaine.org) or call the Retail Association of Maine offices at 207-623-1149.

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<sup>1</sup> For additional information regarding the settlement, interested persons may visit the Court-approved website for this case at [www.paymentcardsettlement.com/en](http://www.paymentcardsettlement.com/en).