# LEGAL NOTICE TO ALL CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS If you purchased a new Polaris RZR between August 8, 2016 and July 14, 2021, then you may be affected by a class action lawsuit.

You may be affected by a class action lawsuit claiming that Polaris Industries Inc., Polaris Inc., and Polaris Sales Inc. (collectively "Polaris") manufactured, marketed, advertised, and sold new RZR Side by Sides, or UTVs, that had a label on the rollover protective structure ("ROPS") stating, "This ROPS structure meets OSHA requirements of 29 CFR 1928.53". The lawsuit, Paul Guzman v. Polaris Industries Inc., et al., Case No. 8:19-cv-01543-FLA (KESx) (lead case), is а consolidated action in the United States District Court for the Central District of California. The Court decided that this lawsuit could proceed as a class action on behalf of a group of people that may include you ("Class"). There is no money available now and no guarantee that there will be.

## AM I AFFECTED?

The Class includes all California residents who purchased a new Polaris RZR UTV at an authorized Polaris dealership at a physical, retail location in the state of California between August 8, 2016 and July 14, 2021 that had a label on the ROPS stating "This ROPS structure meets OSHA requirements of 29 CFR 1928.53".

## WHAT IS THE CASE ABOUT?

The plaintiffs in this lawsuit, Paul Guzman and Francisco Berlanga, claim that Polaris manufactured, marketed, advertised and sold Polaris RZR vehicles that had a label on the ROPS stating, "This ROPS meets OSHA requirements of 29 CFR 1928.53". Polaris denies and is contesting the plaintiffs' allegations and claims. The Court has not ruled on the merits of the plaintiffs' claims or Polaris's defenses. Lawyers for the Class will have to prove their claims at a trial to be scheduled by the Court. The lawsuit seeks money for Class members to compensate them for the difference in value between what was promised and what was delivered. The lawsuit also asks for attorneys' fees and costs. There is no money available now and no guarantee that there will be.

#### WHO REPRESENTS ME?

The Court has appointed John P. Kristensen of Kristensen Law Group, Todd M. Friedman of the Law Offices of Todd M. Friedman, P.C., and Christopher W. Wood of Dreyer Babich Buccola Wood & Campora, LLP to represent Class members as Class Counsel. Class members do not have to pay Class Counsel or anyone else to participate. If Class Counsel obtains money for the Class, they may ask the Court for attorneys' fees and costs, which would be paid out of any money recovered for the Class. You may hire your own lawyer to represent you at your own expense. Paul Guzman and Francisco Berlanga are Class members and the Court has appointed them to serve as the "Class Representatives."

## WHAT ARE MY RIGHTS & OPTIONS?

You have a choice of whether to stay in the Class or not. If you do nothing, you are choosing to stay in the Class. This means you will be legally bound by all orders and any judgment of the Court and you won't be able to sue or continue to sue Polaris about the legal claims made in this case in a different lawsuit. If money is awarded as a result of the trial, you will be notified about how to make a claim for a share of any such award. If you do not want to stay in the Class, you must submit a request for exclusion. If you exclude yourself, you cannot make a claim for any money from this lawsuit if any are obtained, but you will keep your right to separately sue Polaris over the legal issues in this case. To ask to be excluded from the Class, send a letter to Guzman v. Polaris Class Administrator, P.O. Box 4787, Baton Rouge, LA 70821 postmarked by February 24, 2025, stating you want to be excluded from Paul Guzman v. Polaris Industries Inc., et al., Case No. 8:19-cv-01543-FLA (KESx). Include your name, address, telephone number, and signature.

### **HOW DO I GET MORE INFORMATION?**

For a detailed notice and other documents about this lawsuit and your rights, go to www.RZRnotice.com, call 1-844-407-4522, write to Guzman v. Polaris Class Administrator, PO Box 4787, Baton Rouge, LA 70821, or call Class Counsel at 1-877-619-8966.