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**Whirlpool Statement in Response to Court Order in Day v. Whirlpool**

Whirlpool remains committed to doing the right thing for the residents of Fort Smith. Our efforts to achieve resolution through the class action process were intended to avoid protracted litigation and provide affected residents with an opportunity to make a decision on whether to take advantage of a substantial, transparent offer. The proposed class resolution was very generous, and we will continue to work toward a resolution that is fair, timely and enables both the residents and the company to focus on meeting the goals of the ongoing remediation effort.