

248.355 Class action suit -- Damages, computation and distribution.

- (1) The Attorney General shall be authorized to file a class action suit on behalf of all persons discriminated against in violation of KRS 248.350 and may recover monetary damages against any warehouse found to be in violation.
- (2) Damages shall be computed so as to equate the value of services or other considerations received by all growers of tobacco serviced by the warehouse found to be in violation.
- (3) Damages recovered pursuant to this section shall be distributed as follows:
 - (a) Payment of court costs and all fees incidental to the litigation;
 - (b) Payment of the expenses incurred by the Office of the Attorney General;
 - (c) Payment of the balance to the aggrieved tobacco growers based on the poundage serviced at that warehouse found to be in violation.

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