

Notice Regarding Generali Settlement: February 28, 2007

The Court has approved a class action settlement related to Holocaust era insurance policies issued by Assicurazioni Generali S.p.A. This settlement stands separate and apart from the International Commission on Holocaust Era Insurance Claims (ICHEIC). **If you filed a claim with ICHEIC naming Generali, the handling of your ICHEIC claim will not be affected.**

To date, Generali has extended offers in excess of \$120 million through ICHEIC claims and appeals processes. Although Generali's payments operations for these offers and appeals are ongoing, ICHEIC's handling of all outstanding ICHEIC claims and appeals against Generali have been concluded. ICHEIC will conduct an audit of Generali's payment procedures to ensure that best efforts have been made to ensure payment on all outstanding ICHEIC awards.