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FTC Takes Action Against Multistate Auto Dealer Napleton for Sneaking Illegal Junk Fees onto Bills and Discriminating Against Black Consumers

Napleton Auto will pay a record-setting \$10 Million in case brought jointly with the State of Illinois

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The Federal Trade Commission and the State of Illinois are taking [action against Napleton](#), a large, multistate auto dealer group based in Illinois, for sneaking illegal junk fees for unwanted “add-ons” onto customers' bills and for discriminating against Black consumers by charging them more for financing. [Napleton will pay \\$10 million](#) to settle the lawsuit brought by the FTC and the State of Illinois, a record-setting monetary judgment for an FTC auto lending case.

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Passport Automotive Group agreed to pay \$3.38 million to settle a Federal Trade Commission lawsuit for charging illegal fees and discriminating against Black and Latino customers. The dealer group denies it discriminated.

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