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**PRINCE CHARLES CHARITY CHIEF PAYS OUT MILLIONS TO SETTLE  
WRANGLE OVER TIMESHARE DEAL**

On November 13, London's Daily Mail newspaper reported that the United States division of the elite travel firm Abercrombie & Kent paid a multi-million pound settlement to 546 clients who had invested with the bankrupt timeshare company Tanner & Haley Destination Clubs. In a lawsuit filed in Los Angeles Superior Court, those clients alleged that Abercrombie & Kent had not disclosed that it was licensing its name to Tanner & Haley.

Brian S. Kabateck, one of America's leading consumer attorneys, who represented the victims, said: "I am not at liberty to reveal the precise amount under the terms of the settlement, but you can say that every one of my clients was extremely pleased with the outcome and the financial settlement reached. Every single client contended that they were willfully duped into believing that they were joining a club that was owned and operated by Abercrombie & Kent. The name of the venture was Private Retreats by Abercrombie & Kent and Distinctive Retreats by Abercrombie & Kent, for heaven's sakes. Even the soap in the rooms of the vacation homes bore the Abercrombie & Kent name."