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Woman says she felt pressured to yield Caribbean cruise

By KAREN SMITH

A Milton woman says she should have had more time to decide the fate of a \$3,500 Caribbean cruise she won in a draw held at a country and western night club.

Lynn Fuller of Harvest Drive said she and her husband Adrian were wakened by a telephone call late Saturday night from a representative of an Oakville travel agency who told her she won a week-long cruise for two scheduled to set sail February 16, 1991.

About a month earlier Mrs. Fuller, who is pregnant with her third child, had entered a ballot in the draw at a Burlington establishment called Larry Mattson's — The Home of Country Music.

Because Mrs. Fuller's baby is due to arrive three weeks after the departure date, she told the travel agency that she didn't think she could make the trip.

The vacation was non-transferable, according to the contest rules, so only the person named on the ballot and a guest could use the prize, she said she was told.

Later that night, Mrs. Fuller said she received a second phone call from the travel agency asking her to give up the prize if she didn't think she could make it.

"We were only given a couple of seconds on the phone to decide what we could do," Mrs. Fuller said. "As far as we're concerned, we won something and then had to give it up."

Feeling confused and under pressure, Mrs. Fuller said she agreed to let the night club and the travel agency make a second draw for the prize at the club that night.

"It all happened so fast," she said. But a spokesperson for the travel agency, Pair Travel, said Mrs. Fuller was under no pressure or obligation to give up the trip, and she should have asked for some time to think about it if she felt that way.

"We thought that if she couldn't go, it would be nice if somebody else could win it," said Pat Schwenk, co-owner of the business. "The trip is non-transferable, so the person whose name is on the ballot has to travel."

The prize was given to someone else.

As a consolation prize, Mrs. Fuller, who also won a cruise at Milton Showcase, will receive a discount the next time she books a trip with Pair Travel.

A spokesperson from Larry Mattson's couldn't be reached for comment.

Energetic savings

You will be able to save even more money by saving energy this Saturday.

Ontario Hydro, Milton Hydro and Canadian Tire have joined forces to offer discounts on a wide range of energy saving products at Canadian Tire until Oct. 27. The discounts will range from 50 cents to \$20 on 30 different products — everything from caulking to energy efficient shower heads.

Energy advisors from Milton Hydro and Ontario Hydro will be available to answer questions from shoppers at the Milton Canadian Tire store between noon and 2 p.m. on Saturday (Oct. 20). Hot dogs and soft drinks will be served, with donations going to the Milton United Way.



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