

SEBAC v Rowland Status:

The Attorney General's Office (AG) is hopeful that most of the remaining claims for SEBAC V Rowland will be resolved by the end of this fiscal year.

The following summary attempts to provide a more detailed analysis of the remaining SEBAC claims.

The AG's office is still in the process of calculating economic damages for the approximately 51 class members who sustained economic damages and determining the eligibility of 95 possible class members as a result of the layoffs. The State does not consider its remaining liability to be material.

There are 51 claims that are being reviewed, negotiated, or finalized with Plaintiffs' counsel. Included are 30 claims and sub-claims (sub claims are raised to resolve matters such as pensions, front pay, service credits, and improper pension deductions after the initial backpay claims has been settled), and 21 resolved claims that are being finalized.

There are 94 remaining 'POTENTIAL CLAIMS' that may be submitted to the State. The potential claims are being reviewed by Plaintiffs' counsel to determine their eligibility. Plaintiffs' counsel has roughly estimated that less than half of the remaining claims may be eligible for an award.

The AG's estimates approximately 86 remaining claims/potential claims. This does not include individuals who could be claim eligible, but never responded to counsel's numerous outreach efforts.