

## Branch Secretaries' Circular

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## Guidance for NFSP members re historic losses

Dear colleague

We have received a handful of enquiries today from current and former subpostmasters seeking to understand their options in relation to losses within their post office businesses that they were held responsible for by Post Office Ltd (PO).

Any current or former subpostmasters who believe they have been held responsible for losses within their post office business that were no fault of their own should contact NBSC on GRO to raise the issue.

These enquiries come off the back of the announcement earlier today that a settlement has been reached that brings to an end the Group Litigation Order (GLO) in Bates v Post Office.

(See https://www.onepostoffice.co.uk/secure/latest-news/general-news/joint-statement/ for further information)

Despite the settlement announced today, the verdict on the second case within the GLO (the 'Horizon issues' trial) hasn't yet been revealed. We can expect the verdict to be handed down on Monday 16 December and I will provide a further update to NFSP members next week.

Yours faithfully



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