



Ba wëu ye ke cuatpiny të ceŋ jaamiic

Yin yök cuatpiny de wëu ke të ceŋ ke yin ye raan cī gam tëde 'Robodebt' (Social Security Debt Collection) Class Action (VID1252/2019)

Commonwealth ku juɔɔpat (cīke bëi në Gordon Legal) acī gam bīkë kë loi de akutnhom looi. Makāma dīt de Federal Court acī të cīnë kuer bī yin wëu ke të ceŋ cuatpiny thīn gam.

Cī cuatpiny de wëu ke të diëŋ ceŋ looi adi?

Wëu yee ke yök ee rɔt gɛɛi në:

- Yee nən yen cī yin wëu dhuökciëen tənë kāny cī gam
- Yee wëu kaadi ca ke cuatpiny
- Naa ca wëu kuun cīke dhuökciëen yök, ku
- Yee kɔc ke akutnhom kaadi kee cīke götrin tənë cuatpiny de wëu ke të ceŋ.

Kɔc cī wëu dhuökciëen arëtic, ku kaa ke tōu ë ke cīn kee wëukë në thaa bääric, aabi wëu juëc yök.

Abak de 1: Ba luɔɔci de tēŋ de të ceŋ looi

Makāma dīt de Federal Court acī aden/ciin de wëu kaa \$112 million ke të ceŋ gam.

Tueŋ, wëu jɔt Gordon Legal keek ke \$10.3 million aa cī ke miët bei tənë ye aden kënë yic. Kee wëu cīke luɔɔikë aa ke cī gam në Makāma.

Ciin cī dōŋpiny kënë ye \$101.7 million abī tek tənë kɔc ke akutnhom cīke gam ku ka ye ɔɔl 'ciin de wëu bīke tek'. Kɔc ke akutnhom cīke gam aabi wëu ye cuatpiny ke të ceŋ yök tənë ye ciin de wëu kënë.

Abak de 2: Ba wëu kuun ye juaar (akuath) yupic

Abak de reu ee ba 'akuath' de wëu cīke dhuökciëen yupiic.

Tənë ayi kōlthok cī yin tōu ke yī cīn wëu ba ke dhuökciëen bīnke kānydu cuatpiny, aden de akuath aye yup. Akuath aye luɔɔi tənë yekënë cīke looi në Makāma de Federal Court.

Ciin de wëu ke akuath de kōlthok aye keek mat në tōk bīkë ciin de akuath abën bëi tənë ayi kāny.

Abak de 3: Ba ciin de wëu kuun cī ke mat yiic looi

Te cīnë akuath yupic tənë kɔc ke akutnhom cī ke gam ëbën, ë ka nɔŋ wëu kōk ŋɔt ë ke cī dōŋpiny tənë ciin de wëu tek keek. Ayi raan tōŋ de akutnhom cī gam abi naŋ bak de yee kënë. Yekënë aye ɔɔl 'ciin de wëu kuun cīke mat thin ke të ceŋ'.

Wëu kuun cī ke mat yiic ke të ceŋ ee rɔt gɛɛi në ciin de wëu ke akuath yee ke yök (tiŋ abak de 2). Wëu juëc ke akuath yee ke yök, ke ciin de wëu kuun ke të ceŋ aabi juëc.

Abak de 4: Bīke mat yiic

Abak de akër ba ciin de wëu ye ke cuatpiny ke të ceŋ yupic ee ba ciin de akuath mat thīn (abak de 2) ku 'ciin de wëu kuun cīke mat thin ke të ceŋ' (abak de 3) në tōk bīkë wëu ke teŋ ceŋ jal bëi.

Naa noŋ kāny juēc cīke gam tōu, ke cuatpiny de wēu ke tē ceŋ tēnē ayi kāny akɔɔr bīke mat yiic. Ciin de wēu ke cuatpiny de tē ceŋ ēbēn cake yōk aa binē kē ka tōu nē ke nhīim matīc agut bīkē kē thiōk bēi.

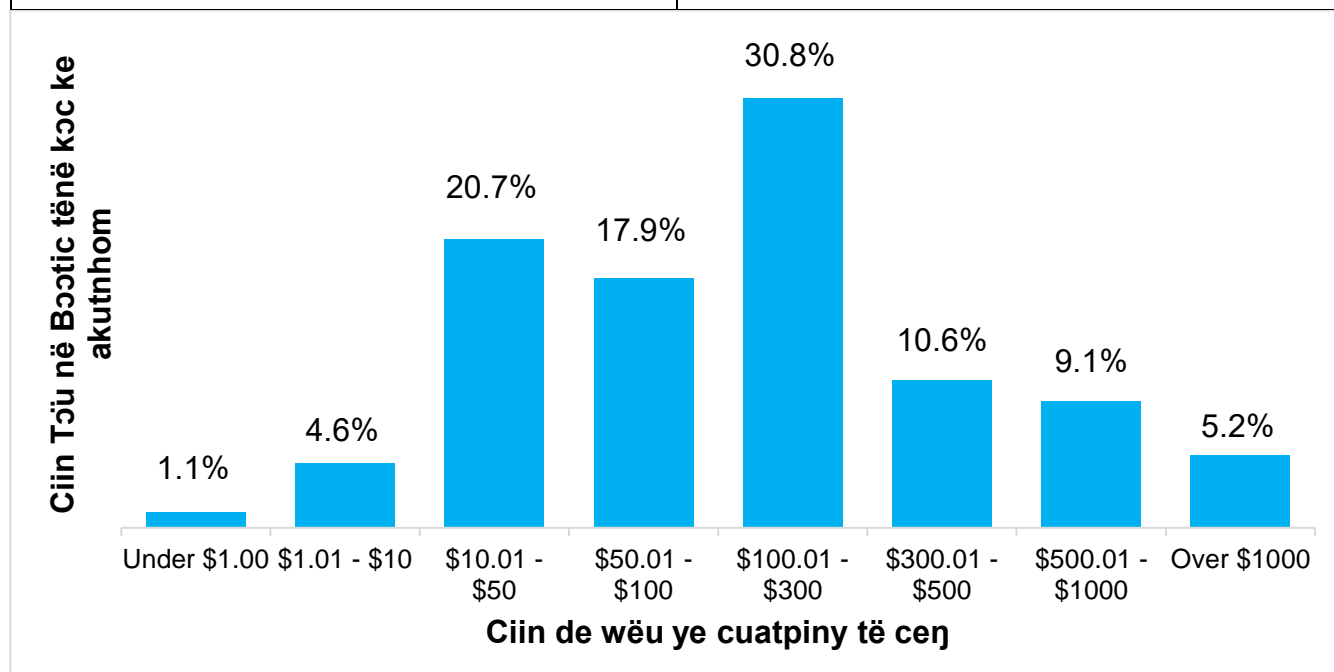
Ciin de cuatpiny de wēu ke tē ceŋ tēnē kɔc ke akutnhom cīke gam

Wēu ye cuatpiny ke tē ceŋ bī gām ayi raan aabī wuōc. Wēu kuun ye cuatpiny ke tē ceŋ aye keek yupiic nē kueer thōŋ de akuath. Wēu cake dhuōkciēēn ku thaa bāāric ca lēɛr ke yīn cīn kee wēukē, ke yenē ka bī ciin de kee wēu ke tē ceŋ ba yōk cɔk dīt. Ke thiāāk kenē abak de wēu ye cuatpiny ke tē ceŋ abī tōu nē kaam de \$50 ku \$300 yic.

Yīn lē ba tē cī luōi keek tīŋ cī ciin de wēu tek nē tē pēk keek thook de cuatpiny adi piiny ētenē.

Tē cī luōi keek nē tē pēk wēu ye ke cuatpiny thook

Tē pēk cuatpiny de wēu thook	Ciin tōu nē bootic tēnē kɔc ke akutnhom
Under \$1	1.1%
\$1 - \$10	4.6%
\$10.01 - \$50	20.7%
\$50.01 - \$100	17.9%
\$100.01 - \$300	30.8%
\$300.01 - \$500	10.6%
\$500.01 - \$1000	9.1%
Over \$1000	5.2%



Në këde wël juëc

- Cɔl **1800 171 846** ba jam wnëe wuɔɔk në këde luɔɔi de kë loi. Cɔk nyicku naa kɔɔr raan de wëër wël yiic, ku wo bī raan tɔk juiir tënë yīin ke ye abac. Yekënë anɔŋɔc kɔc ye wël waariic ke thook ke Aboriginal ku Torres Strait Islander.
- Lɔɔr tënë **servicesaustralia.gov.au/classaction** në kede wël juëc tɔu në Thoŋ Diŋlith.
- Lɔɔr tënë **servicesaustralia.gov.au/yourlanguage** lë bī yīn kuen, piëŋë wëlë/ka ba daai në bidiö tɔu në thoŋdu.
- nem ɣän ke luɔi.

Lëk: Cɔl namba de '1800' në telepun duun baai abac. Cɔt bennë kɔc ya cööt në telepuun ke baai ëbën ku jɔl ya telepuun ye keek muk në kɔc cin aabenëke thærken ya thöŋŋ ku kaa bī ya cam në wëu cī keek juak nhīim.



Explaining your settlement payment

You are getting a settlement payment as you are an eligible member of the 'Robodebt' (Social Security Debt Collection) Class Action (VID1252/2019)

The Commonwealth and the applicants (represented by Gordon Legal) agreed to settle the class action. The Federal Court approved the way your settlement payment was calculated.

How is my settlement payment worked out?

The amount you get depends on:

- When you repaid money towards eligible debts
- How much you repaid
- When you got your refund, and
- How many eligible group members registered for a settlement payment.

People who paid back more, and were without this money for longer, will get larger payments.

Step 1: Working out the settlement distribution

The Federal Court approved the agreed settlement sum of \$112 million.

First, the costs for Gordon Legal of \$10.3 million were deducted from this amount. These costs were approved by the Court.

This left \$101.7 million for distribution among eligible group members and is known as the 'distribution sum'. Eligible group members get settlement payments from this amount.

Step 2: Calculating your interest

The second step is calculating the 'simple interest' on the money that was repaid.

For every day that you were without the money repaid to your debt, an interest amount is calculated. The interest rates used for this were set by the Federal Court.

The daily interest amounts are then added together to give the total interest amount for each debt.

Step 3: Working out your added amount

After calculating the interest for all eligible group members, there was still money left from the distribution sum. Every eligible group member gets a portion of this. This is called your 'added settlement amount'.

Your added settlement amount is based on the interest amount you are getting (see Step 2). The more interest you get, the bigger your added settlement amount.

Step 4: Adding it up

The final step to calculate your total settlement payment is to add your interest amount (step 2) and the 'added settlement amount' (step 3) together to give a settlement payment.

If you have multiple eligible debts, the settlement payment for each debt is added up. The total settlement payment you receive has been rounded up to the nearest cent.

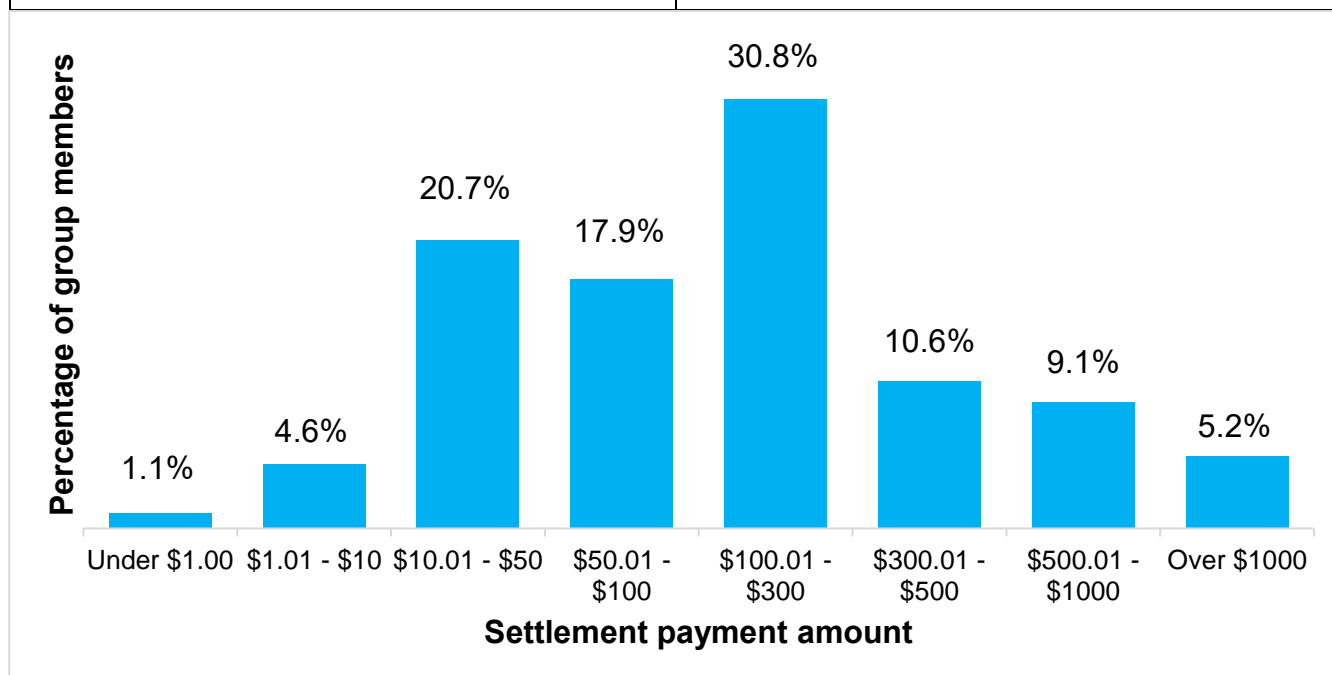
Settlement payment amounts for eligible group members

The settlement amount each person is paid will be different. Your settlement payment is calculated in a similar way to interest. The more you paid back and the longer you went without this money, the larger your share of the settlement. Around half of settlement payments will be between \$50 and \$300.

You can see the breakdown of how amounts have been distributed by payment ranges below.

Breakdown by payment ranges

Payment range	Percentage of group members
Under \$1	1.1%
\$1 - \$10	4.6%
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For more information

- Call **1800 171 846** to speak with us about the class action. Let us know if you need an interpreter, and we will arrange one for free. This includes interpreters for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander languages.
- Go to servicesaustralia.gov.au/classaction for more information in English.

- Go to **servicesaustralia.gov.au/yourlanguage** where you can read, listen to or watch videos in your language.
- Visit a service centre.

Note: Calls to '1800' numbers from your home phone are free. Calls from public and mobile phones may be timed and charged at a higher rate.