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**CONGRESS OF CONNECTICUT
COMMUNITY COLLEGES**

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SEIU Local 1973

Representing Faculty and Professional Staff at Connecticut's Community Colleges

4C's UPDATE: May 2009

4C's Members Approve Agreement

YES: 926 NO: 146



By a large margin, 4C's members approved the Concession Agreement which provides cost savings to the State in exchange for job security for members. Many thanks to the more than 1,000 members who cast their ballots on this important issue.

We know there are still many questions about the Agreement. SEBAC has put together a "[Frequently Asked Questions](#)" (FAQ) document, which may address some of your questions. If you need more information, please contact the 4C's office.

SEBAC, the coalition of state employee unions, votes tomorrow on the overall deal. We expect SEBAC will issue a statement or press release following the vote, which we will pass on to all of you. The Agreement will then need to be approved by the General Assembly.

ACLs Who Taught Online Courses May Qualify for Compensation

As part of our Distance Learning re-opener, ACL's who have taught online as part of their regular duties (i.e. not for extra pay) may be eligible for retroactive compensation in the form of compensatory time. However, the BOT claims they can find no eligible ACL's. Consequently, the union needs information from those of you who fall within the following category ASAP, if at all possible by Monday, May 11th:

You must be a full-time ACL who has taught online as part of your regular duties during fall 2007, winter intersession, spring 2008, summer 2008, fall 2009, winter intersession, and/or spring 2009.

Please identify yourself, indicate your college and your position, and list--by course title and course number--the online courses you have taught in any and all of the above sessions. You can send this information to info@the4cs.org. Your speedy reply is appreciated!

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