

## Handout #7c Seminar Guide Questions for the Big Strike

### Seminar focus questions

Use this sheet to help guide you through the case and/or readings provided to you. Be prepared to share your findings with the class.

Do not feel limited by the guiding questions, this is a template and may not fit perfectly to each topic. However, be sure identify the additional issues in your case.

Case/Reading Issue: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of seminar participant(s) : \_\_\_\_\_

- What is the issue or social injustice this case is about? How does this injustice affect people in the case?
- Provide some background information to the case and issue.
- Who are the 'stakeholders' in this case? What parties have an interest in the issue, and what are those interests?
- In what ways do social forces such as race, class, sex, gender, sexuality, identity, or any other force apply to the case? Explain.
- In what ways do those forces intersect?
- What is the power relationship in this issue? Who has power and privilege? Who is marginalized or powerless? Why do you think that may be?
- How have the different stakeholders responded to the injustice present in the case?
- Was that response effective?
- What other ways might be available to respond to this injustice?
- What is the significance or legacy of this case? What should we take away from this story?



