

Labor Relations Co-Chair Discusses Top Labor Cases to Watch in 2023

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Labor-related cases will have a busy year in federal courts in 2023. **Steven Bernstein** was tapped by *Law360* to discuss some of the biggest cases to watch in the new year.

One such case, Glacier Northwest Inc. v. International Brotherhood of Teamsters Local Union 174, a lawsuit filed by a Washington concrete company seeking compensation for property destroyed by workers during a work stoppage, could affect how unions conduct strikes and possibly give justices a vehicle to adjust a decades-old labor preemption doctrine.

Steven explains that the ruling may go beyond simply discouraging some union strikes, as the court may create a larger carve-out in the Garmon preemption doctrine. "It's entirely possible that they come away with a fairly sweeping decision that's much broader than the facts in front of the court," he says.

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