



**U.S. Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration
ERISA/USERRA Workshop / Retirement Plan Options Workshop**

Strong fiduciary oversight and protecting workers' benefits is one of the highest priorities of the U.S. Department of Labor. However, we recognize that understanding and complying with DOL regulations can be challenging for any employer, but especially so for small and medium sized employers with limited time, resources and/or access to professional assistance. We also recognize that employers may be interested in sponsoring a pension plan but are confused by or unfamiliar with the types of plans available. The Department wants to help.

Two free employer workshops will be offered in your area:

Understanding Your Responsibilities Under ERISA And USERRA - The Employee Benefits Security Administration (EBSA) will present an introduction to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) and cover some of the basics of pension and health plan administration. This will include an overview of the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA) and an overview of the Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program (VFCP).

The Veterans' Employment and Training Service (VETS) will present an overview of the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA). This regulation guarantees veterans employment and reemployment rights, including protection for certain employment based benefits, such as retirement. This right extends to reservists, guardsmen and returning active duty personnel.

Retirement Plan Options For Small Businesses - The Employee Benefits Security Administration (EBSA) in conjunction with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) will present an introduction to the types of pension plans available and the regulatory requirements associated with each type of plan.

When: June 26, 2007

Where: Bishop Henry Whipple Federal Building Auditorium
1 Federal Drive
Fort Snelling, Minnesota

Parking is available on-site. For a facility map, visit <http://www.doi.gov/febtc/files/directions.pdf>

Cost: It's free! (pre-registration is required and allocated based on a first-come basis. Please make every effort to attend the workshop once you register or send an alternate)

Registration: Fax your registration form to: 816.426.5511 no later than June 20, 2007. Late registrations will be accepted based on availability.

Email your registration form to: MNFORUM@dol.gov

Telephone: Fran Gray or Renee Brown at 816.426.5131

ERISA/USERRA Workshop

7:45 a.m. Registration
8:15 a.m. Opening Remarks
8:20 a.m. VFCP
9:05 a.m. Break
9:20 a.m. ERISA (Pension and Health)
10:25 a.m. Break
10:40 a.m. COBRA
11:35 a.m. Break
11:45 a.m. USERRA
12:30 p.m. Wrap-Up and questions

Retirement Plan Options Workshop

1:45 p.m. Registration
2:15 p.m. Opening Remarks
2:20 p.m. Retirement Plan Options
3:05 p.m. Break
3:20 p.m. Retirement cont'd
4:30 p.m. Wrap-Up and questions

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