

## **REGULATORY AGENDA**

### **DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

Pursuant to subdivision 1 of section 202-d of the State Administrative Procedure Act (SAPA), notice is hereby provided of the following rules that the Department of Labor is considering proposing but for which a rule making proceeding has not been commenced. The Department of Labor's regulatory plans are subject to change and the Department reserves the right to add, delete, or modify any item herein. In addition, the Department may propose a rule for adoption which was not under consideration at the time that this regulatory agenda was submitted for publication.

This notice is also intended to provide small businesses, local governments, and public and private interests in rural areas with the opportunity to participate in the rule making process, as provided for in sections 202-b and 202-bb of SAPA. Each rule listed below may require a regulatory flexibility analysis or a rural area impact statement pursuant to SAPA sections 202-b and 202-bb, respectively.

The public is welcome to send written comments on the Department of Labor's Regulatory Agenda to the contact person at the end of this list.

1. Amend Title 12 NYCRR Part 56 to clarify fire/life safety regulatory requirements at asbestos projects within New York State. This revision will also incorporate Asbestos Successor Law definitions and minor clarifications.
2. Amend Title 12 NYCRR 61-3 To reflect new OSHA regulation regarding crane operators.
3. Amend Title 12 NYCRR Part 195 to conform to the 2012 amendments to Labor Law §195.

4. Amend Title 12 NYCRR Part 470, Part 472, Part 473, Part 480 and Part 481 to conform those parts to changes in state and federal law, and to clarify the terms used, to align the parts to current practices and to repeal obsolete provisions.
5. Amend Title 12 NYCRR Section 471.1 to allow blanket elections of specified groups of employees for liability purposes.
6. Amend Title 12 NYCRR Section 472.6 to strengthen the notice requirements for transfers of business.
7. Amend Title 12 NYCRR Part 700 to implement regulations required by 20 CFR 603 regarding public access to Unemployment Insurance Records.
8. Amend various provisions within 12 NYCRR that are obsolete, have been superseded or where the Commissioner no longer has authority regarding the subject matter of the regulation.

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