

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
OFFICE OF LABOR STANDARDS ENFORCEMENT
 DONNA LEVITT, MANAGER



NOTICE of PROPOSED RULEMAKING

San Francisco Health Care Security Ordinance

Pursuant to the San Francisco Health Care Security Ordinance (“HCSO,” Chapter 14 of the San Francisco Administrative Code), the Office of Labor Standards Enforcement has issued Proposed Rules and Regulations for the Employer Spending Requirement of the HCSO.

The most recent draft of the Proposed Rules and Regulations for the Employer Spending Requirement of the HCSO is available on our website for your review and public comment: http://www.sfgov.org/site/olse_index.asp?id=45168. Copies may also be obtained from the address below during regular office hours.

Any person may present written or oral statements or arguments relevant to the Proposed Rules. The purpose of these hearings and the rulemaking process is to fully inform the OLSE so that the final rules adopted will be reasonable and well-founded. Thus, the scope of public comments is intended to be broad, and the public is encouraged to address not only the rules, as drafted, but the general subject matter that each rule addresses. The public is also encouraged to suggest alternative rules concerning these subjects.

Written comments, which are preferred, may be submitted by electronic or U.S. mail to:
 The Office of Labor Standards Enforcement
 ATTN: Joannie C. Chang
 City Hall, Room 430
 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
 San Francisco, CA 94102-4685
 e-mail: HCSO@sfgov.org

All written comments must be received in the OLSE offices by 5 p.m. on June 29, 2007. Only comments received by that date and time will be considered.

Oral testimony may be provided at either of the public hearings listed below. The OLSE requests, but does not require, that persons who make oral comments at a hearing(s) also submit a written copy of their testimony at the hearing. The schedule of the hearing dates and locations is as follows:

Public Hearing No. 1

DATE: Wednesday, June 27, 2007
TIME: 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
PLACE: City Hall, Room 416

Public Hearing No. 2

DATE: Wednesday, June 27, 2007
TIME: 5:30-8:30 p.m.
PLACE: City Hall, Room 400

Si usted desea testificar en una audiencia y necesita servicios de traducción o de interpretación, es necesario que usted llame al 554-7892 por lo menos dos (2) días antes de la audiencia para coordinarlo.

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在聽證會上我們可以提供中文翻譯。請提前48小時通知我們。

Public Access:

Each of the locations is wheelchair accessible. Accessible seating for persons with disabilities (including those using wheelchairs) will be available.

To request American Sign Language interpreters and a Sound Amplification System or translation into languages other than English, please contact the OLSE with advance notice of at least two (2) business days at (415) 554-7892.

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The ringing of and use of cell phones, pagers, and similar sound-producing electronic devices are prohibited at this meeting. Please be advised that the Chair may order the removal from the meeting room of any person(s) responsible for the ringing or use of a cell phone, pager or other similar sound-producing electronic devices.

Inquiries concerning the Proposed Rules and/or the Public Comment Process may be directed to:

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