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Equal Employment Opportunity Commission

Semiannual Regulatory Agenda

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29 CFR Ch. XIV

Semiannual Regulatory Agenda

AGENCY: Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

ACTION: Semiannual regulatory agenda.

SUMMARY: The Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC or

Commission) is publishing its semiannual regulatory agenda pursuant to Executive Order 12866, 58 FR 51735, and the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. chapter 6. The agenda lists all regulations that are scheduled for review or development during the next 12 months or that have been finalized since the publication of the last agenda.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Commission has identified four items in this regulatory agenda.

Signed in Washington, DC, this 20th day of March 2003.

For the Commission.

Cari M. Dominguez,
Chair.

Equal Employment Opportunity Commission—Proposed Rule Stage

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identification Number
3423	Coordination of Retiree Health Benefits With Medicare and State Health Benefits	3046-AA72
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3425	Procedures—The Age Discrimination in Employment Act	3046-AA54

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Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identification Number
3426	Federal Sector Equal Employment Opportunity Complaint Processing	3046-AA73

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Proposed Rule Stage

3423. COORDINATION OF RETIREE HEALTH BENEFITS WITH MEDICARE AND STATE HEALTH BENEFITS

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: 29 USC 628

CFR Citation: 29 CFR 1625

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Commission proposes to exempt from the prohibitions of the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, 29 USC 621 et seq. (ADEA or Act), the practice of altering, reducing, or eliminating employer-sponsored retiree health benefits when retirees become eligible for Medicare or comparable State retiree health benefits.

Timetable:

Action	Date
NPRM	06/00/03

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No

Small Entities Affected: No

Government Levels Affected: Federal, State, Local

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3424. • POSTING REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE NOTIFICATION AND FEDERAL EMPLOYEE ANTIDISCRIMINATION AND RETALIATION ACT

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: PL 107-174, sec 303

CFR Citation: 29 CFR 1614.701 et seq

Legal Deadline: Final, Statutory, October 1, 2003.

Abstract: Title III of the Notification and Federal Employee Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 requires each Federal agency

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to post on its website certain statistical information about equal employment opportunity complaints that it receives and processes under 29 CFR part 1614. The Act authorizes EEOC to issue regulations defining certain terms and prescribing the time, form, and manner of the posting.

Timetable:

Action	Date
NPRM	06/00/03

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No**Small Entities Affected:** No**Government Levels Affected:** Federal

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Final Rule Stage

3425. PROCEDURES—THE AGE DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT ACT**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Legal Authority:** 29 USC 628, sec 115, Civil Rights Act of 1991**CFR Citation:** 29 CFR 1626**Legal Deadline:** None

Abstract: Section 115 of the Civil Rights Act of 1991 deleted references to the Portal-to-Portal Act from the private suit provisions of the Age Discrimination in Employment Act (ADEA) and replaced them with a requirement that suit be filed no later

than 90 days after termination of proceedings or dismissal of a charge by EEOC. Accordingly, section 1626.7(a) is being deleted and section 1626.15(b) is being revised because they were both based upon the Portal-to-Portal Act. New sections are being added concerning termination of EEOC proceedings and the issuance of notices of the new 90-day limitation period.

Timetable:

Action	Date
NPRM	08/12/02 67 FR 52431
NPRM Comment	10/11/02
Period End	
Final Action	07/00/03

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No**Government Levels Affected:** State, Local

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3426. FEDERAL SECTOR EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMPLAINT PROCESSING**Priority:** Other Significant**CFR Citation:** 29 CFR 1614**Timetable:**

Action	Date
NPRM	To Be Determined

Regulatory Flexibility Analysis Required: No**Government Levels Affected:** Federal

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