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# Hot Topics in Employment Law for New York Employers

### 1. New York's Breastfeeding Accommodations Law

- Employers Take Note: The Amendment to New York's Breastfeeding Accommodations Law is Now in Effect
- New York Department of Labor Breast Milk Expression in the Workplace

#### 2. Model Sexual Harassment Policy and Training Materials

- New York State Issues Revised Model Sexual Harassment Policy and Training Materials
- Harter Secrest & Emery on-Demand Training Program
- New York State Combating Sexual Harassment in the Workplace

### 3. New York Electronic Monitoring Notice

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### 4. Notice of Pay Rate

- New York Department of Labor Notice of Pay Rate
- Notices are required at the time of hire, and when there are changes in the information on the pay notices, and must be kept for 6 years

#### 5. Notice of Employee Rights, Protections, and Obligations Under Labor Law Section 740

• Form LS 740

## 6. New York Paid Family Leave Law Expanded to Include Siblings

- New York State Paid Family Leave
- The list of covered family members now includes siblings (biological, adopted, half-siblings, and stepsiblings)
- Previously covered spouse, domestic partner, child/stepchild, parent/stepparent, parent-in-law, grandparent, and grandchild

#### 7. New York State Wage Transparency Law to Take Effect in Fall 2023

- As of September 17, 2023, all employers with four or more employees in New York State will be required to disclose as part of any job posting, promotion, or transfer opportunity:
  - i. the compensation or "range of compensation" for such position; and
  - ii. the job description for such position, if a description exists.

#### 8. Responding to Reasonable Accommodation Requests

• EEOC - Small Employers And Reasonable Accommodation

#### 9. Public Accommodation Discrimination Claims

New York State Division of Human Rights - Public Accommodations

#### 10. Individual Liability for Harassment and Discrimination



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