

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES

DATE: 3/14/24
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
LOCATION: Teleconference and Room 3110B, Rhodes State Office Tower
30 East Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43215

This meeting will be held by teleconference and in person. If you would like to submit oral testimony, please attend the meeting site location, or call in at the date and time to 1-614-721-2972. Then enter the meeting I.D # which is 758 059 153#. Written testimony may also be submitted electronically to: rules@jfs.ohio.gov

Pursuant to sections 4141.13, 4141.14, and Chapter 119. of the Ohio Revised Code, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services gives notice of the department's intent to consider the recession and adoption of the rules as identified below and of a public hearing thereon.

Rule 4141-1-01, Employer defined, is being proposed as rescinded as a result of a five year review. This rule defines the term "contributory employer" as an employer liable for the payment of contributions. It also defines the term "reimbursing employer" as a public entity to make payments in lieu of contributions. Language from this rule is being consolidated to create a new rule 4141-1-01, Definitions of employers.

Rule 4141-1-01, Definitions of employers, is being proposed as new as a result of the five year review. This rule explains types of employers and specifies when corporate officers, directors and limited partnerships are considered in covered employment. This is a new rule that replaces 4141-1-01, 4141-1-03, 4141-1-04, and 4141-1-05.

Rule 4141-1-03, General partnerships, is being proposed as rescinded as a result of the five year review. This rule states that general partners in a general partnership or a limited partnership are not in the employment of the partnership. They are not counted as employees of the partnership nor are their wages counted as remuneration. Language from this rule is being consolidated to create a new rule 4141-1-01, Definitions of employers.

Rule 4141-1-04, Limited partnership associations, limited partnerships, and limited liability companies, is being proposed as rescinded as a result of the five year review. This rule defines limited partnership associations, limited partnerships and limited liability companies pertaining to unemployment insurance. Language from this rule is being consolidated to create a new rule 4141-1-01, Definitions of employers.

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Rule 4141-1-05, Corporate officers and directors. is being proposed as rescinded as a result of the five year review, and will be combined with new rule 4141-01-01, Definitions of employers. This rule specifies when corporate officers and directors are considered in covered employment. Language from this rule is being consolidated to create a new rule 4141-1-01, Definitions of employers.

Rule 4141-3-07, Professional employer organizations. is being proposed as no change This rule clarifies and explains the obligations of Professional Employer Organizations (PEOs) and Professional Employer Organization Reporting Entities (PEO Reporting Entities) pursuant to ORC section 4141.24(K) and ORC section 4125.01.

A copy of the proposed rule(s) is available, without charge, to any person affected by the rule(s) at the address listed below. The rule(s) is also available on the internet at <http://www.registerofohio.state.oh.us/>. A public hearing on the proposed rule(s) will be held at the date, time, and location listed at the top of this notice. Either written or oral testimony will be taken at the public hearing. Additionally, written comments submitted or postmarked no later than the date of the public hearing will be treated as testimony.

Requests for a copy of the proposed rule(s) or comments on the rule(s) should be submitted by mail to the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Office of Legal and Acquisition Services, 30 East Broad Street, 31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414, by fax at (614) 752-8298, or by e-mail at rules@jfs.ohio.gov.