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[Regulatory Roundup]

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Regulatory Roundup is a weekly compilation of employee wellness and safety news.

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)

Assistant Secretary of Labor nomination is announced

President Trump nominated Scott Mugno for the position of Assistant Secretary of Labor. Mugno is currently the VP of Safety, Sustainability and Vehicle Management with FedEx Ground and he has also served on multiple American Trucking Association committees…MORE

Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA)

New FMCSA administrator faces the Senate

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Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

Raymond Martinez, head of FMCSA, appeared before the Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee for the first time. One mandate in question was electronic logging devices in commercial motor vehicles, which is scheduled to go into effect Dec. 18 and has received mixed reviews…MORE

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

CDC researches tobacco users across industries

The CDC released a report showing that the highest number of workers using tobacco products reside in the construction, mining, transportation and warehousing industries. The agency recommends that employers have coverage for cessation treatment and adopt smoke-free policies…MORE

Studies, resources, trends, news

Training on drowsy driving prevention

With the end of Daylight Saving Time approaching, it's a good time to have a refresher on drowsy driving. The Texas Department of Insurance has a quick five tip presentation to help…MORE

Visualizing safety in your workplace

A recent article from Occupational Health & Safety magazine discusses the importance of your workplace understanding a clear definition of safety. The article presents questions to discuss in order to create a visual model unique to your workplace considering risks and precautions…MORE

New manual explains an integrated approach to worker safety, health and well-being

A recent publication from the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health explains that focusing on policies and practices to influence working conditions can improve worker safety, health and well-being. The manual includes examples and tools to help businesses initiate integration…MORE