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## INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION

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April 28, 2011

Honorable Julia Hearthway, Acting Secretary  
Department of Labor and Industry  
1700 Labor and Industry Building  
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: Regulation #12-93 (IRRC #2869)  
Department of Labor and Industry  
Responsibilities of Employers

Dear Acting Secretary Hearthway:

The Independent Regulatory Review Commission approved the subject regulation today. Our order is enclosed and will be available on our website at [www.irrc.state.pa.us](http://www.irrc.state.pa.us).

We appreciate the joint effort that went into producing a regulation that meets the criteria and intent of the Regulatory Review Act.

Sincerely,

Silvan B. Lutkewitte  
Chairman  
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Enclosure

cc: Honorable John R. Gordner, Majority Chairman, Senate Labor and Industry Committee  
Honorable Christine M. Tartaglione, Minority Chairman, Senate Labor and Industry Committee  
Honorable Ron Miller, Majority Chairman, House Labor and Industry Committee  
Honorable William F. Keller, Minority Chairman, House Labor and Industry Committee

**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION  
APPROVAL ORDER**

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held April 28, 2011

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Regulation No. 12-93 (#2869)  
Department of Labor and Industry  
Responsibilities of Employers

On August 26, 2010, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the Department of Labor and Industry (Department). This rulemaking amends 34 Pa. Code Chapter 63. The proposed regulation was published in the September 11, 2010 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a 30-day public comment period. The final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on February 24, 2011.

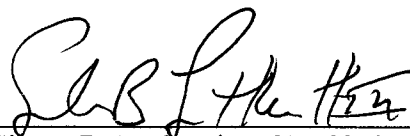
This regulation is a comprehensive update of 34 Pa. Code Chapter 63 titled "Responsibilities of Employers" to conform it to current law and practice.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Department (43 P.S. § 761(a)) and the intention of the General Assembly. Having considered all of the other criteria of the Regulatory Review Act, we find promulgation of this regulation is in the public interest.

**BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:**

This regulation is approved.



  
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Silvan B. Lutkewitte, III, Chairman