

# **Employment Counsel On-Call Service**

Leveraging the legal experience of Foley & Foley's seasoned employment attorneys, the "Employment Counsel'On-Call' Triage Service 2018" ("On-Call Service") provides your company with virtual-In-House Employment Counsel to address day-to-day HR-Related Risk Management issues when they occur. We get it — Human Resources Professionals and C-Suite Executives confront Employment Law Compliance and HR-Related Risk each and every day. HR-Related Risk has never been greater. Employment lawsuits have risen 400% in the last 20 years. The cost to settle an employment lawsuit has tripled during the last five years alone, to an average of more than \$300,000. The average compensator y award in federal employment cases now exceeds \$500,000. This trend will continue. We know that addressing this level of risk costs employers significant time and money and that is why we offer this unique solution to workplace compliance liability that is highly effective and not otherwise available. We provide this service for a fixed monthly fee that is below what our peers charge by the hour.

### **Scope of Service**

The On-Call Service will be provided by the Employment Lawyers at Foley & Foley, PC under an Attorney/Client relationship with your company. The On-Call Service is limited to providing advice and counsel on all employment law questions that can be answered in a telephone c onversation or email response; but the scope of guidance provided is highly inclusive. Foley & Foley is a national practice with lawyers admitted in 20 states. Experienced employment attorneys provide targeted legal advice on topics like:

#### **Best Practices**

- Employee Discipline
- LOA Management
- Monitoring Integrated Disability
  Management Wellness Programs
- Pay Practices
- Recruiting
- Substance Abuse
- Protection Of Personal Information
- Work Rules and Policies
- Employee Assistance Programs
- Record Keeping
- Background Checks
- Negligent Hiring Liabilities
- Performance Management Progressive Discipline
- Paid Leaves Of Absence
- Internal Investigations
- Reductions In Force
- Terminations & Off-Boarding

## Massachusetts Law

- Minimum Wage & Overtime
- Payment of Wages
- Tips
- Pay Deductions
- Meal Breaks
- Reporting Pay
- Parental Leave Law
- Independent Contractor Law
- Marijuana
- Sick Leave Law
- Equal Pay Law
- Sexual Harassment
- Anti-Discrimination
- Written Information Security Plan
- Small Necessities Leave
- Domestic Violence Leave
- Military Leave
- Limitations on Non-Competes and Non-
- Solicitation Agreements

#### **Federal Law**

- Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA)
- Military Leave (USERRA)
- FMLA
- Intermittent FMLA Leave
- ADFA
- EEOC Investigations
- NLRA
- COBRA
- GINA
- HIPAA
- OWBPA
- ADA
- OSHA
- FTC Disclosures
- FCRA
- WARN
- I-9 Documentation

We staff the dedicated toll-free phone line from 9am – 5pm EST; and check emails around the clock. All messages will be responded to within 24 hours, except for those telephone or email message that you identify as urgent. **Urgent messages sent during business hours will be responded to within an hour.** 

The On-Call Service does not include: the drafting of or interpretation of documents; factual investigations related to issues presented; advice, counsel or advocacy related to contested administrative cases or litigation; IRC/IRS or ERISA-related issues. However, unlike an HR consultant, Foley & Foley can assist you with these issues. If your company retains the Firm to perform services beyond the "On-Call Service" described herein, the Firm will do so at the hourly rate of \$500.

To get started simply contact us at <u>questions@foleylawpractice.com</u>; or call us at (508) 548-4888.

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