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## **Focus Areas**

Workplace Policy Institute

## **Overview**

James A. Paretti, Jr. is an experienced management-side employment and labor relations attorney with in-depth political and policy knowledge of labor, pension, healthcare and employment law, regulations and legislation. Jim is well versed in all aspects of legislative and political processes with demonstrated knowledge in the substance of federal labor and employment policy. He has over two decades of experience working with federal legislators and policymakers, including former Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives, Chairmen of the U.S. House Committee on Education and the Workforce, and senior level administration officials.

Prior to joining Littler, Jim was chief of staff and senior counsel to the acting chair of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. He provided legal and political counsel with respect to all aspects of agency business, administered and managed the Office of the Chair where he was responsible for over 2,200 employees and a 375 million dollar annual budget, and served as primary liaison to regulated stakeholders and Capitol Hill.

His extensive experience includes developing policy and providing legal counsel on the Committee on Education and Labor in the U.S. House of Representatives as well as coordinating external communications and media relations for a senior member of Congress. Jim represented corporate and nonprofit clients in employment litigation in federal and state court, before administrative agencies and in private arbitration while with two Boston firms.

During law school, he held positions as editor as well as note and comment editor for the *New York University Law Review.* 

## Recognition

- Recipient, John J. Galgay Fellowship in Bankruptcy and Reorganization Law, New York University School of Law, 1995
- Dean's List, Harvard College, all semesters

## **Education**

J.D., New York University School of Law, 1997, *cum laude* A.B., Harvard College, 1990

## **Bar Admissions**

District of Columbia New York Massachusetts

## **Publications & Press**

**EEOC Updates Workplace Harassment Guidance** *Littler Insight* April 30, 2024

#### **3 Tips For Navigating DOL's New OT Rule**

*Law360 Employment Authority* April 29, 2024

#### DOL's 'unprecedented,' two-pronged overtime rule adds new HR wrinkles

*HR Dive* April 24, 2024

#### 401(k) Advice, Overtime Rules Poised to Reprise Obama-Era Fights

*Bloomberg Law* April 24, 2024

#### New overtime rule may not survive expected court challenge

American City Business Journals April 24, 2024

#### 4 Takeaways From The DOL's Final Overtime Rule

*Law360 Employment Authority* April 24, 2024

#### Department of Labor Publishes Final Rule to Update the Salary Level for Overtime Eligibility

*Littler ASAP* April 23, 2024

## FTC Issues Final Rule Effectively Banning Workplace Non-Compete Agreements

*Littler Insight* April 23, 2024

Partisan Split On Display As EEOC Makes Policy Strides Law360 Employment Authority April 11, 2024

#### Federal Court Vacates NLRB Joint Employer Rule, Restores 2020 "Substantial Direct and Immediate Control" Standard

*Littler Insight* March 10, 2024

#### House Hearing Highlights Real Estate Contractor Question

*Law360 Employment Authority* February 15, 2024

## Mark Cuban's Clash With EEOC Official Shows Bias Proof Confusion

Bloomberg Law February 12, 2024

## Employers Ask 'What Is Al' as Regulators Probe Hiring Biases Bloomberg Law

January 30, 2024

## Chevron's Potential Demise: What Bias Attys Should Know

*Law360 Employment Authority* January 26, 2024

## Massachusetts Revises Guidance on Paid Family and Medical Leave SHRM Online January 10, 2024

#### U.S. Department of Labor Finalizes Independent Contractor Regulation

*Littler Insight* January 9, 2024

## 5 Cases General Counsel Should Watch In 2024

Law360 Pulse January 2, 2024

## Massachusetts Revises Paid Family and Medical Leave Guidance to Provide More Discretion to Employers

*Littler ASAP* January 2, 2024

# DOL to Require Successor Employers to Offer Right of First Refusal to Predecessor Employees Under Service Contract Act Littler ASAP

December 18, 2023

## How The High Court Shook Up Workplace Bias Law In 2023

*Law360 Employment Authority* December 12, 2023

## Justice O'Connor's Lasting Impact On Sex Harassment Law

*Law360 Employment Authority* December 4, 2023

#### 10 California Bills that May Resurface in 2024

SHRM Online November 21, 2023

## In Focus At The EEOC: Emerging And Developing Issues Law360 November 15, 2023

# Labor Board's Joint Employer Rule Faces Court, Congress Hurdles Bloomberg Law

October 27, 2023

## Joint Employment Rules Vary by Agency: Different Tests Explained Bloomberg Law

October 27, 2023

## NLRB Final Joint-Employer Rule Dramatically Expands Definition of Joint Employment Under the NLRA Littler Insight October 26, 2023

#### **3** Takeaways From NLRB's Latest Joint Employment Rule

*Law360 Employment Authority* October 26, 2023

## New EEOC Top Cop Bolsters Dem Leaders' Playbook Law360 Employment Authority

October 17, 2023

## EEOC's Year-End Lawsuit Surge Puts Focus On ADA

*Law360 Employment Authority* October 6, 2023

#### What To Know If Partisan Gridlock Shuts Down EEOC

*Law360 Employment Authority* September 27, 2023

## Workplace AI Use On The Rise, But Regulatory Guidance And HR Policies Still Taking Shape, Littler Survey Finds Littler Press Release

September 25, 2023

## Littler Al in the Workplace Survey Report 2023 Littler Report September 25, 2023

## **3 Takeaways From EEOC's Finalized Enforcement Strategy** *Law360 Employment Authority* September 25, 2023

## Littler's Workplace Policy Institute Releases 2023 Labor Day Report Littler Press Release September 5, 2023

WPI Labor Day Report 2023 Littler WPI Report September 5, 2023 DOL Proposes to Significantly Increase the Minimum Salary Level to Qualify for the "White Collar" Overtime Exemptions Littler ASAP

August 30, 2023

#### EEOC Eyes Revival of Race-Gender Pay Reports, Tempting Lawsuits

Bloomberg Law August 18, 2023

**4 Areas To Watch As EEOC Gets Final Puzzle Piece In Place** *Law360 Employment Authority* August 8, 2023

**EEOC Guidance Provides Examples of Accommodations for People with Visual Disabilities** *SHRM Online* 

August 3, 2023

Express Yourself – Supreme Court Rules that Businesses May Deny "Expressive Services" to the Public Based on Their Owner's Beliefs

*LexisNexis* | *Practical Guidance* July 25, 2023

**Kotagal's Arrival Pushes EEOC Into High Gear** *Law360 Employment Authority* July 13, 2023

Nearly 50 Years Later, the Supreme Court "Clarifies" the Undue Hardship Standard in Religious Accommodation Claims Littler Insight June 30, 2023

Express Yourself – Supreme Court Rules that Businesses May Deny "Expressive Services" to the Public Based on Their Owner's Beliefs

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#### European AI Act Progresses to the Next Stage of the Legislative Process

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#### Latest labor board ruling broadens who's considered an employee - for now

*Marketplace* June 15, 2023

# Third Try's the Charm? National Labor Relations Board (Again) Narrows Definition of "Independent Contractor" Under the National Labor Relations Act

*Littler Insight* June 14, 2023

## EEOC Issues Guidance on Use of Al SHRM Online May 18, 2023

## EEOC Issues Guidance on Use of Artificial Intelligence Tools in Employment Selection Procedures Under Title VII Littler Insight

May 18, 2023

## Federal regulators urge HR to perform AI bias audits

*TechTarget* May 18, 2023

## An Overview of the Employment Law Issues Posed by Generative AI in the Workplace

Littler Report May 11, 2023

## NYC Agency to Hold Employer-focused Roundtable to Clarify New AI Regulations

*Littler ASAP* April 27, 2023

#### Annual Report on EEOC Developments – Fiscal Year 2022

*Littler Report* April 25, 2023

## Littler WPI Contests FTC Proposed Ban on Non-Competes on Behalf of Employers

*Littler Press Release* April 24, 2023

## Supreme Court Hears Oral Argument on Title VII Religious Accommodation Standard

*Littler ASAP* April 19, 2023

## New York City Adopts Final Regulations on Use of AI in Hiring and Promotion, Extends Enforcement Date to July 5, 2023 Littler Insight April 13, 2023

#### Tiger Woods Case Tests Breadth of New #MeToo Nondisclosure Law

Bloomberg Law March 22, 2023

#### **3 Takeaways From The EEOC's Latest Performance Report**

Law360 Employment Authority March 14, 2023

#### California Legislature Serves Up Bill Proposing Joint Employer Liability For Fast Food Franchisors

Littler ASAP February 21, 2023

# When It Comes to AI-Based Recruiting Tech, Tread Carefully

WorldatWork February 14, 2023

## **Bipartisan Passage of Workplace Laws Puts Employers on Notice**

Bloomberg Law February 3, 2023

# What are the key areas our organization should keep top of mind when considering AI and ADA in our workplace? Littler 2 the Point Video

January 24, 2023

## 4 Priorities Highlighted In The EEOC's Draft Enforcement Plan

Law360 Employment Authority January 11, 2023

## **Regulatory Update: New Law Ends Sexual Harassment NDAs** EHS Today January 5, 2023

## **Discrimination Legislation And Regulations To Watch In 2023**

Law360 Employment Authority January 2, 2023

## National Labor Relations Board Expands Make-Whole Remedy Littler Insight December 15, 2022

New York City Defers AI Law Enforcement to April 15, 2023 Littler ASAP December 12, 2022

## President Biden Enacts Speak Out Act Curtailing the Use of Pre-Dispute Non-Disclosure and Non-Disparagement Clauses Involving Sexual Assault and Harassment Claims Littler ASAP

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# How Biden's pledge to be the 'most pro-union' US president has affected HR HR Brew

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## Gig Workers Face Unclear Path in Bill to Nix Nondisclosure Pacts

*Bloomberg Law* November 28, 2022

## OFCCP Sued to Compel Release of EEO-1 Data

*Littler ASAP* November 22, 2022

## Confusion Reigns over Approaching New York City Al Bias Audit Law

Asian Robotics Review November 16, 2022

## 3 Areas Where A Democratic-Led EEOC Will Leave Its Mark

*Law360 Employment Authority* November 10, 2022

## Midterm Election Results Could Put EEOC Under Microscope

*Law360 Employment Authority* November 4, 2022

## NLRB General Counsel Calls for Board to Crack Down on Electronic Surveillance and Automated Management Practices

*Littler Insight* November 3, 2022

**Employers, It's Time to Update Your EEO Poster** *Littler ASAP* October 25, 2022

## New Guidance on Contractor Vaccine Mandate Anticipated Soon

*Littler ASAP* October 18, 2022

## Department of Labor Proposes New Rule for Independent Contractor Status

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## New York City Proposes Rules on Automated Employment Decision Tools

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## New York City Proposes Regulations to Clarify Requirements for Using Automated Employment Decision Tools Littler ASAP September 23, 2022

## NLRB's Proposed Joint-Employer Standard Would Dramatically Expand the Scope of "Joint Employment"

*Franchising.com* September 12, 2022

## NLRB's Joint Employer Move May Foreshadow EEOC Action

*Law360 Employment Authority* September 12, 2022

## **Littler's Annual Labor Day Report** *Industry Today* September 7, 2022

## **Littler's Workplace Policy Institute Releases 2022 Labor Day Report** *Littler Press Release* September 6, 2022

## NLRB Proposes New Joint-Employer Standard That Would Dramatically Expand Scope of "Joint Employment" Under the National Labor Relations Act Littler Insight September 6, 2022

## **WPI Labor Day Report 2022** *Littler WPI Report* September 5, 2022

Appeals Court Limits Injunction of Government Contractor Vaccine Mandate, But Enforcement Unlikely for Now Littler ASAP

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## OFCCP Plans to Disclose Confidential Employer EEO-1 Data: Can Employers Protect Their Information?

*Littler Insight* August 22, 2022

## **EEOC Nominee Opposition Stems From Fear of Panel Majority Shift**

*Bloomberg Law* August 4, 2022

## EEOC Updates COVID-19 Guidance, Potentially Limiting Employers' Ability to Screen Employees for COVID-19 Littler Insight

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## NLRB GC's Settlement Push Already Being Felt, Attys Say

*Law360 Employment Authority* July 12, 2022

## U.S. District Court Denies Preliminary Injunction Against Florida "Stop-WOKE" Law

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#### Down But Not Out: U.S. District Court Denies Preliminary Injunction Against Florida "Stop-WOKE" Law

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## New Connecticut law limits "captive audience" meetings in the workplace

*Marketplace* June 28, 2022

## NLRB General Counsel Continues Push for Extraordinary Remedies

*Littler ASAP* June 27, 2022

## Spring Regulatory Agenda Provides Roadmap to Anticipated Federal Rulemaking

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#### How Federal Workplace Law Could Apply In A Post-Roe World

*Law360 Employment Authority* May 20, 2022

**EEOC Issues Guidance on Artificial Intelligence and Americans with Disabilities Act Considerations** *Littler Insight* May 18, 2022

## The Littler Annual Employer Survey 2022 Littler Report

May 4, 2022

## Littler Survey: Competitive Talent Market and Pandemic Uncertainty Complicate Return-to-Office Policies Littler Press Release May 4, 2022

## Annual Report on EEOC Developments – Fiscal Year 2021

*Littler Report* April 26, 2022

## Florida Limits Permissible Workplace Training on Diversity, Implicit Bias, and Systemic Racism

*Littler ASAP* April 22, 2022

## USDOL's Proposed Rewrite of Davis-Bacon Enforcement Rules: Back to the 1970s

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## Application of 'ABC Test' to Franchise Relationships May Cause 'Wave of Misclassification Litigation,' Employment

Lawyers Say

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## NLRB General Counsel Aggressively Seeks to Expand Unions' Right to Demand Recognition; Restrict Employer Speech Littler ASAP

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## Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson is Confirmed as Next SCOTUS Justice

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#### New OFCCP Directive Increases Employer Burden in Compliance Review Process

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**Two Developments Could Impact California's Proposed Regulations Governing AI and Automated Decision-making** Littler ASAP

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**4 More Things The EEOC Could Do To Help LGBTQ Workers** *Law360 Employment Authority* April 1, 2022

Massachusetts Top Court Issues Key Ruling Impacting Independent Contractors Littler Insight March 31, 2022

## America's Top Employers Are Winning at RaceData Transparency - Except Musk and Buffett

*Bloomberg Equality* March 21, 2022

California Fair Employment & Housing Council Proposes Sweeping Regulation of Automated Decision-making and Artificial Intelligence in Employment Littler ASAP

March 17, 2022

# Federal Court Decision Protects Independent Contractor Status

Littler ASAP March 15, 2022

**EEOC Budget Could See \$15.5M Boost From Spending Bill** Law360 Employment Authority March 10, 2022

Following Ukraine Invasion, Russian-American Workers Are Being Harassed SHRM Online March 8, 2022

## Labor of Law: Should Employers Be Liable When Their AI Tools Break the Law?

*Law.com* March 3, 2022

#### Court shifts vaccine choice back to employers

Business Insurance February 1, 2022

#### 4 Discrimination Questions Employers Have About COVID-19

Law360 Employment Authority January 21, 2022

# An Update on the Federal Contractor Vaccine Mandate: No Need to Comply for Now, but Private Arrangements May Still be Enforceable

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#### Labor Agencies Face Biden Enforcement Push Without Extra Funding

*Bloomberg Law* January 18, 2022

#### Supreme Court Stays OSHA "Vaccinate or Test" Emergency Temporary Standard

*Littler ASAP* January 13, 2022

#### Justices Sink Vax-Or-Test Rule But Clear Health Care Mandate

Law360 January 13, 2022

#### Justices Seem Divided on OSHA's Authority to Issue Vaccine-or-Testing ETS

SHRM Online January 10, 2022

#### Biden's federal vaccine mandate for workplace in trouble at Supreme Court

*Politico* January 7, 2022

#### U.S. Supreme Court to Hear Oral Argument on OSHA ETS, Medicare/Medicaid Vaccination Mandates on Friday, January 7,

2022

*Littler ASAP* January 5, 2022

#### New York City Enacts Law that Hinders Use of Automated Tools in Hiring and Promotion Decisions

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## Cal/OSHA Approves 2nd Readoption of ETS and Governor Issues Order Potentially Further Extending COVID Restrictions Littler ASAP

December 17, 2021

## Reprisal on the Rise: EEOC Updates Addresses COVID-Related Retaliation

*WorldatWork* December 15, 2021

## EEOC Gridlock Over Regulatory Playbook to Continue into 2022

*Bloomberg Law* December 14, 2021

## Down the Rabbit Hole: A Trip through the OFCCP's New Contractor Portal

*Littler Insight* December 14, 2021

## Federal Contractor and Subcontractor Vaccine Mandate Temporarily Enjoined in Kentucky, Ohio, and Tennessee

*Littler Insight* December 1, 2021

## Punching In: Biden's Work Retaliation Enforcement Push Is Coming

Bloomberg Law November 15, 2021

## Alabama Joins Pushback on Vaccine Mandates

*Littler ASAP* November 8, 2021

# The Safer Federal Workforce Task Force Publishes Additional Federal Contractor and Subcontractor Guidance

*Littler Insight* November 3, 2021

## 4 Steps for Handling Religious Objections to Workplace Vaccine Mandates

*SHRM Online* October 28, 2021

## Guide to Federal Contractor Obligations under Recent COVID-19 Executive Orders

*Littler Insight* September 30, 2021

## The Safer Federal Workforce Task Force Publishes its Federal Contractor and Subcontractor Guidance Littler Insight

September 24, 2021

## Many Unknowns as Franchise Industry Considers COVID Vaccine Mandate

Franchise Times September 14, 2021

## President Biden's COVID-19 Action Plan—What Employers Want to Know

*Littler Insight* September 14, 2021

## U.S. House Poised to Add Civil Penalties to National Labor Relations Act Littler ASAP

September 9, 2021

## White House Announces Vaccine Mandates for Employees of Large Private Employers, Federal Contractors, and Most

Healthcare Employers

*Littler Insight* September 9, 2021

# WPI Labor Day Report 2021 Littler WPI Report

September 6, 2021

## OFCCP Reverses Course, Will Use EEO-1 Pay Data for Investigation, Enforcement

*Littler ASAP* September 1, 2021

## Biden Announces Vaccine Requirements for Federal Employees, Contractors

*Littler ASAP* July 30, 2021

## Employers Tiptoeing into TikTok Hiring: Beware, Attorneys Say

Bloomberg Law July 30, 2021

## Department of Labor Withdraws Joint Employer Regulations

*Littler ASAP* July 29, 2021

## Mandating COVID-19 Vaccines

HR Professionals Magazine July 28, 2021

## Why Workplace COVID-19 Vaccine Mandates Aren't Widespread -- Yet

The Wall Street Journal July 27, 2021

## EEOC's Pandemic Operations Get High Marks From Lawyers

*Law360 Employment Authority* July 20, 2021

## President Biden Seeks to Regulate (and Potentially Ban) Non-Competes

*Littler ASAP* July 9, 2021

## What To Know About EEOC Conciliation Regs' Coming Demise

*Law360 Employment Authority* June 24, 2021

# Labor and Employment Rulemaking Prominent in President Biden's First Regulatory Agenda

*Littler ASAP* June 16, 2021

## Dear Littler: May We Ask Our Employees About Their COVID-19 Vaccination Status?

*Dear Littler* June 14, 2021

## COVID-19 Vaccine Ruling Is Good News for Employers, Lawyers Say

*Texas Lawyer* June 14, 2021

## President's FY 2022 Budget Proposal Boosts Labor and Employment Funding

*Littler ASAP* June 4, 2021

# Key Takeaways from the EEOC's Updated Guidance Regarding COVID-19 Vaccinations, Incentives Littler Insight

June 1, 2021

#### Biden Nominates SEIU Attorney to National Labor Relations Board

*Littler ASAP* June 1, 2021

#### EEOC Blesses Vaccine Incentives, But Gray Areas Remain

*Law360 Employment Authority* May 28, 2021

## What Biden's worker organizing task force could mean for non-union employers

HR Dive May 25, 2021

## Employers Should Start Preparing their EEO-1 Reports Now SHRM Online May 21, 2021

## DOL Withdraws Independent Contractor Regulations, Meaning More Uncertainty for Employers

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## Hitting the Ground Running: The First 100 Days of the Biden Administration, and Key Takeaways for Employers Littler Insight May 3, 2021

Paid Family Leave In \$1.8T Biden Plan No Sure Thing Law360

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# Biden Increases Minimum Wage and Phases Out Tip Credit for Federal Contractors

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## Biden Issues Executive Order to Encourage Worker Organizing and Bargaining

*Littler ASAP* April 27, 2021

## Can My Boss Force Me Not to Wear a Face Mask at Work?

*The Wall Street Journal* April 26, 2021

## **Biden Calls on Employers to Provide Paid Time Off for Vaccination** *Littler ASAP* April 21, 2021

**EEOC Hiring Bump May Mean Faster Outcomes, Bigger Cases** *Law360 Employment Authority* 

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## What's at Stake with the PRO Act Vote

*World at Work* April 14, 2021

## Biden Unveils Infrastructure Plan with Heavy Focus on Organized Labor

*Littler ASAP* April 1, 2021

## Inaugural Report of Littler's Global Workplace Transformation Initiative

*Littler Report* March 30, 2021

## **OFCCP Week In Review** Direct Employers Association March 29, 2021

## Latest COVID-19 Relief Package Provides Tax Credits for Voluntary Paid Sick and Family Leave Littler ASAP March 18, 2021

## **Biden signs coronavirus relief law expanding FFCRA tax credit, unemployment funding** *HR Dive* March 12, 2021

## Department of Labor Proposes to Roll Back Joint Employment, Independent Contractor Rules Littler ASAP March 11, 2021

## House Passes Sweeping Labor Law Rewrite Littler ASAP

March 10, 2021

## \$1.9 Trillion COVID Relief Package on Track to Become Law Littler ASAP

March 8, 2021

## Annual Report on EEOC Developments – Fiscal Year 2020

Littler Report March 1, 2021

## DOL Gets 1,500 Comments On Contractor Rule Delay Proposal

*Law360* February 26, 2021

## **Equality Act's Critics Rally Around RFRA Nullification** *Law360* February 25, 2021

## OFCCP Has Fresh Chance to Improve Diversity, Compensation Enforcement

*Bloomberg Law* February 10, 2021

## California DFEH on Track to Collect Pay Data Reports by March 31, 2021

*Littler Insight* February 3, 2021

## W-2s May Need to Be Corrected Due to the FFCRA

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# Restaurants push for more access to COVID vaccine, but unlikely to force workers to receive it *CNBC*

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## Biden Revokes Trump Executive Order on Diversity and Inclusion, Adopts Policies "Advancing Racial Equity" and Extending LGBT Protections Littler ASAP January 25, 2021

## **Biden Names Charlotte Burrows as EEOC Chair** *Littler ASAP* January 22, 2021

#### President-Elect Biden Releases COVID-19 Economic Stimulus Proposal

Littler ASAP January 19, 2021

## What to Expect in Labor and Employment Law Under the Biden Administration

Littler Insight January 19, 2021

## DOL Simplifies Independent Contractor Analysis in Final Rule

*Littler Insight* January 7, 2021

# Bostock's Been On The Books For 6 Months. What's Next? Law360

January 3, 2021

## Trump signs coronavirus relief bill without demanded revisions

*HR Dive* December 28, 2020

## Federal Court Issues Nationwide Injunction of Executive Order on Diversity and Inclusion Training

*Littler ASAP* December 23, 2020

## Coronavirus relief bill extends FFCRA tax credits to March 2021

*HR Dive* December 21, 2020

## Congress Set to Approve Additional COVID-19 Relief for Individuals, Small Businesses

*Littler ASAP* December 21, 2020

## **EEOC Issues Guidance on COVID-19 Vaccination Policies**

*Littler Insight* December 17, 2020

## Storage, Dosage Demands Push Employers' Covid-19 Shots Off Site

*Bloomberg Law* December 17, 2020

#### EEOC Predicted to Veer From Novel Lawsuits in Early Biden Years

*Bloomberg Law* November 30, 2020

## California Provides Additional Guidance on Employee Pay Data Reporting

*Littler ASAP* November 25, 2020

## Littler WPI's Election Report: How Voters Have Shaped Workplace Policy

*Littler WPI Report* November 6, 2020

## Future Biden EEOC Chair May Face Headwinds with GOP Majority

*Bloomberg Law* November 7, 2020

## California's Proposition 22: Impacts in the Golden State and Beyond

*Littler Insight* November 4, 2020

#### California Offers Limited Guidance on New Pay Data Reporting Requirements; Further Guidance Expected

*Littler ASAP* November 3, 2020

## Demystifying President Trump's Executive Order on Diversity Training

*Littler Podcast* October 26, 2020

## OFCCP Issues Voluntary Request for Information Regarding Diversity and Inclusion Programs

*Littler ASAP* October 22, 2020

## **EEOC Proposes Conciliation Procedures Rule**

*Littler Insight* October 9, 2020

## White House Order Against Diversity Training Generates Confusion

*The Wall Street Journal* October 8, 2020

#### Some Diversity Training Programs Are in Limbo After White House Order

*The Wall Street Journal* October 7, 2020

## OFCCP Releases FAQs on Diversity and Inclusion Executive Order

*Littler ASAP* October 7, 2020

## **'My Brain's Not as Sharp': COVID Woes Stalk Workers Back on Job** *Bloomberg Law* October 6, 2020

## AB 5 Update: Newspaper Carriers Secure (Another) One-Year Exception Littler ASAP October 1, 2020

## **COVID-19 employment lawsuits**

*Thomson Reuters Westlaw* September 29, 2020

## A Closer Look at Trump's Latest SCOTUS Nominee: Judge Amy Coney Barrett

*Littler Insight* September 26, 2020

## 6 Tips For Employers Tackling Post-Virus Telework Requests

*Law360* September 23, 2020

## New Executive Order Seeks to Regulate Diversity Training by Federal Contractors and Grant Recipients

*Littler Insight* September 23, 2020

## EEOC Must Follow Certain Steps Before Filing a Systemic Bias Suit

SHRM Online September 10, 2020

## The State of American Employment in the Midst of the Pandemic

*Littler Podcast* September 8, 2020

#### WPI Labor Day Report 2020

*Littler WPI Report* September 8, 2020

## What Hospitality Employers Can Expect to See in Employment Law if Vice President Biden Wins the Election

*Littler ASAP* September 2, 2020

## Independent Contractor Issues in California: Summer 2020 Update

*Littler WPI Report* September 1, 2020

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## California Poised to Enact Law Requiring Compensation Data Collection

*Littler ASAP* August 31, 2020

## Treasury Department Issues Guidance on Payroll Tax Deferral

Littler ASAP August 31, 2020

#### AB 5 Update: AB 2257 Would Amend California Independent Contractor Law

*Littler ASAP* August 26, 2020

Home Health Agencies Seek Narrower Covid-19 Paid Leave Rule Bloomberg Law August 13, 2020

## White House Takes Executive Action on Unemployment Insurance, Payroll Taxes

Littler ASAP August 10, 2020

## As the Pandemic Rages On, Liability Protection Is Vital to Economic Recovery The National Law Journal

August 6, 2020

#### **Going Beyond Compliance to End Workplace Harassment**

SHRM Online July 30, 2020

#### Senate Republicans Unveil Latest COVID-19 Response Legislation

*Littler ASAP* July 28, 2020

## DOL Issues Return-to-Work Guidance Under the Families First Coronavirus Response Act

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## A Return to Workplace Civility: The NLRB Adopts the Wright Line Burden-Shifting Approach to Section 7 Speech Littler Insight

July 22, 2020

## DOL Issues Return-to-Work Guidance Under the Families First Coronavirus Response Act

*Littler ASAP* July 21, 2020

## Religion, LGBT Rights Again on Collision Course at High Court

Bloomberg Law July 8, 2020

## Labor and Employment Rulemaking Prominent in Spring 2020 Regulatory Agenda

*Littler ASAP* July 7, 2020

## States Enact Laws Limiting COVID-19 Liability

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## DOL Provides Guidance on FFCRA Leave Due to Summer Camp Closures

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## EEOC Rule To Revamp 'Conciliation' Process Is On Horizon

*Law360* June 30, 2020

## DOL Provides Guidance on FFCRA Leave Relating to Summer Camp and Program Closures Littler ASAP

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## **COVID-19 Lawsuits and Claims Increasing in Courts Nationwide**

*Littler ASAP* June 23, 2020

## EEOC Reverses Course on Allowing Employers to Test Workers for COVID-19

*EHS Today* June 23, 2020

## **EEOC Provides Return-to-Work and COVID-19 Antibody Testing Guidance Under Federal Civil Rights Laws** *Littler ASAP* June 17, 2020

## Decade Of Work Pays Off In Landmark LGBTQ Rights Ruling

*Law360* June 15, 2020

Supreme Court Rules that Gay, Lesbian, and Transgender Individuals Are Protected Under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act Littler Insight June 15, 2020

## Supreme Court Ruling on Gay Rights Affects Work Life for Millions

*Wall Street Journal* June 15, 2020

## White House Urges Federal Regulators to Support Economic Recovery in Light of COVID-19 Littler ASAP May 20, 2020

House Passes New \$3 Trillion COVID-19 Relief Package with Significant Labor and Employment Provisions, but Future Unclear Littler ASAP May 18, 2020

## Newly Unveiled HEROES Act Includes Grant Program for Employers to Provide Premium Pay to Essential Workers Littler ASAP May 13, 2020

House Democrats Unveil "Phase 4" COVID-19 Relief Legislation, Including Expansion of Paid Sick and Family Leave, Hazard Pay, and Unemployment Benefits Littler ASAP May 12, 2020

Risky Business: EEOC Interprets ADA Coverage for Individuals at Higher Risk of Contracting COVID-19 Littler ASAP May 8, 2020

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## Joint Employer: Are Franchise Companies in the Clear?

International Franchise Association (IFA) April 23, 2024

## 2023 Littler Al Summit Washington, DC

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## Federal Level Efforts to Regulate Al in HR Decision-Making July 27, 2023

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