

**NEW****USDOL Overtime Rule Temporarily Suspended**

On November 22, 2016 a federal judge in Texas issued a nationwide injunction against a new federal overtime regulation regarding “white collar exemptions.” The new regulation was scheduled to take effect on December 1, 2016 and would have increased the minimum salary from \$23,660 to \$47,476 that employers must pay administrative, executive and professional employees in order for them to remain exempt from overtime. The injunction against the new rule is only a temporary measure that suspends the regulation until the judge can issue a further ruling.