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Business Travel Per Diems May Simplify Expense Reporting



Are you tired of keeping detailed records to substantiate business travel expenses? The IRS offers simplified methods for reimbursing employees' out-of-town lodging, meals and incidental expenses that may be worthwhile for some companies. This article discusses government-approved per diem rates, the mechanics of the high-low method and changes that go into effect for travel starting on October 1, 2014.

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Employee Benefits

Two Perspectives on the FMLA



Since its passage, the *Family and Medical Leave Act* (FMLA) has caused many employers to voice concerns about the effects on business operations. That's one of the reasons the Department of Labor put together a report describing the FMLA experiences of both managers and employees. Click "Full Article" to read some comments from the report that details the strengths and weaknesses of the law. Copyright © 2014

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Transitional Assignments Help Employees Find Their Way Back to Work



Good employees are hard to find, and expensive to lose. When one goes out on disability, you can help ensure a successful "homecoming" by tailoring the return-to-work plan to his or her post-injury abilities. But don't make the mistake of assigning meaningless tasks. Continue reading to get a list of guidelines that will make the return an easy transition, and at the same time, hold down your Workers' Comp costs.

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Qualified Roth 401(k) Distributions Are Tax-Free



As with most areas of federal tax law, the guidelines governing Roth 401(k) distributions are complex. However, IRS rules regarding this issue offer guidance. Click "Full Article" to learn more about how these rules can help you review your 401(k) plan and administrative practices for compliance.

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