Employee Benefits Advisory: An Employer's Guide to the 2006 Massachusetts Health Care Reform Act

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For a copy of the most current version of An Employer's Guide to the 2006 Massachusetts Health Care Reform Act, please click here. This version of the guide is updated to include the following items:

Connector Notice dated November 15, 2007 modifying the definition of "minimum creditable coverage" in certain respects

Chapter 205 of the Acts of 2007, An Act Further Regulating Health Care Access (adopted November 29, 2007)

Massachusetts Department of Revenue, Technical Information Release 07-16-relating to "imputed income" resulting from group health insurance coverage of dependents under the Act's expanded dependent coverage requirement

Massachusetts Department of Revenue (Draft) Notice, dated December 30, 2007–imposing penalties for violating the Act's individual insurance mandate for 2008 Massachusetts Department of Revenue emergency regulation 830 CMR 111M.2.1 (December 29, 2007)–addressing key aspects of the individual mandate and the 1099-HC reporting requirement

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