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**Part XXVI**

## **Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service**

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**Semiannual Regulatory Agenda**

**FEDERAL MEDIATION AND CONCILIATION SERVICE (FMCS)**

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**29 CFR Ch. XII**

**Semiannual Regulatory Agenda**

**AGENCY:** Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service (FMCS).

**ACTION:** Semiannual regulatory agenda.

**SUMMARY:** This document sets forth the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service's (FMCS) regulatory agenda issued under Executive Order 12866 and the Regulatory Flexibility Act. The agenda lists regulations that are currently under development or review or that FMCS expects to have under development or review during the next

12 months. The effect of this agenda is to advise the public of FMCS' current and future regulatory activities.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For further information on the agenda in general, contact Maria A. Fried, Attorney-Advisor, Office of the General Counsel, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, at (202) 606-8090. For information about a specific regulation project listed on the agenda, contact the person designated in the agenda for that regulation.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under the President's order on Regulatory Planning and Review, Executive Order 12866 (58 FR 51735, October 4, 1993), each agency is required to prepare an agenda of all regulations under development or review. The Regulatory

Flexibility Act, Public Law 98-354, has a similar agenda requirement (5 U.S.C. 602). Under the law, the agenda must list any regulation that is likely to have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities.

The Office of Management and Budget has issued guidelines prescribing the form and content of the regulatory agenda. Under those guidelines, the agenda must list all regulatory activities being conducted or reviewed in the next 12 months and provide certain specified information on each regulation. All of the items on this agenda are current or projected rulemakings.

**Dated:** May 4, 2004.  
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Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service—Final Rule Stage

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
3461	Public Information .....	3076-AA06
3462	Access to Neutrals .....	3076-AA10

Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service—Completed Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
3463	Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants) .....	3076-AA08

**Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service (FMCS)**

**Final Rule Stage**

**3461. PUBLIC INFORMATION**

**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant

**Legal Authority:** 5 USC 552 et seq

**CFR Citation:** 29 CFR 1401 (Revision)

**Legal Deadline:** None

**Abstract:** The proposed revision to FMCS' Public Information regulations is intended to incorporate the recent amendments to the Freedom of Information Act into FMCS' portion of the Code of Federal Regulations.

**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	11/03/99	64 FR 59697
NPRM Comment Period End	01/03/00	

Action	Date	FR Cite
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Final Action 11/00/04

Final Action Effective 12/00/04

**Regulatory Flexibility Analysis**

**Required:** No

**Small Entities Affected:** No

**Government Levels Affected:** None

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**3462. ACCESS TO NEUTRALS**

**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant

**Legal Authority:** 29 USC 172 and 173 et seq

**CFR Citation:** 29 CFR 1480

**Legal Deadline:** None

**Abstract:** FMCS proposes to establish a list of neutrals for use by private individuals and/or organizations for employment-related alternative dispute resolution services.

**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/05/03	68 FR 23634
NPRM Comment Period End	07/07/03	
Final Action	12/00/04	

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**Regulatory Flexibility Analysis**

Required: No

Small Entities Affected: No

Government Levels Affected: None

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**Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service (FMCS)****Completed Actions**

**3463. GOVERNMENTWIDE  
DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION  
(NONPROCUREMENT) AND  
GOVERNMENTWIDE REQUIREMENTS  
FOR DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE  
(GRANTS)**

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 29 CFR 1471 and 1472

**Completed:**

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	11/26/03	68 FR 66533

**Regulatory Flexibility Analysis**

Required: No

Government Levels Affected: None

**Federalism:** This action may have  
federalism implications as defined in  
EO 13132.

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