Minimize the Chance of Employment Issues!

Toll-Free Helpline Available for Employment Practices Questions



To assist insurance agents and brokers who are insured by the member companies of the Utica National Insurance Group, Utica National has partnered with Jackson Lewis P.C., a law firm specializing in employment law, to offer a risk management program that may help you prevent employment issues, out-of-pocket expenses and damage to your reputation.

Together, Utica National and Jackson Lewis offer access to a dedicated telephone helpline for employment issues at no additional cost to our Agents' E&O policyholders.

Guidance regarding the following issues is available:

- · What you should generally do when faced with a sexual harassment, discrimination or retaliation issue
- · Points to consider when adding a section to the employee handbook about references
- What employment training you are required by law to offer and which topics will best help you prevent adverse employment situations.

THE HELPLINE

- Agency administrators and human resource staff can call 1-844-635-8696 and seek the employment practices advice they need. You will be asked for your E&O policy number.
- · Service is always confidential.
- Available from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. If there is an unusually high volume of inquiries, calls are returned the same day or within 24 hours.

For more information on the hotline, contact Jackson Lewis P.C. at 1-844-635-8696 or your agent. If you have a claim to report, email us at claimsnewreport@uticanational.com or call us at 1-800-598-8422.

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