Human Resources Legislative Update

Healthcare Accountability Legislation Carries at Second Reading, Referred to Committee

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On May 12, 2010, <u>Bill 46, the Excellent Care for All Act, 2010</u> carried at Second Reading and was Ordered referred the Standing Committee on Justice Policy. <u>As previously reported</u>, the Act would, if passed, make health care providers and executives accountable for improving patient care and enhance the patient experience. Although aimed at the hospital sector specifically, <u>the Ontario government has indicated</u> that following an assessment of its impact, these requirements may be extended to other health sectors as well. For a detailed discussion of Bill 46 and how it may impact your organization, see our <u>FTR Now of May 5, 2010</u>.

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