SERVICE CONTRACT ACT (SCA) COMPLIANCE

Contracts subject to SCA, now known as the Service Contract Labor Standards (SCLS), have specific labor requirements related to labor category mapping, rate of pay, and benefits (H&W). As a contractor, it is critical to understand the rules and regulations surrounding SCA because non-compliance can be costly, if not devastating. Our team of experts supports contractors, of all sizes, in determining which contracts are subject to SCA while also providing guidance on the daunting requirements and creating and implementing compliant processes customized to your company. We educate and train all involved to foster a firm understanding that will allow for continued efficiencies and success.

WHY Choose Us?

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Over 50 years of combined HR and law experience.

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Highly knowledgeable and experience with an immense array of experience with SCA or SCLS. Ø

Proven track record for preventing suspension or debarment.



Expertise allows for efficient response to needs.

Our Services

SCA or SCLS Compliance Assessment

Whether this is your first contract subject to SCA or if you want to eliminate the risk of being non-compliant in your current practices, our consulting experts can evaluate your practices related to the SCA administration and assist with process development and improvement.

Labor Category Mapping

Knowing which labor categories at your company are subject to SCA is vital to avoid DOL issues and back-pay. We assist in determining which of your employees is covered by SCA and map to the appropriate Wage Determination labor category.

Conformance Process

Wage Determinations are not all-encompassing and often don't include every possible labor category subject to SCA. However, this doesn't mean the regulations don't apply if other labor factors are in play. If a position is not listed on the Wage Determination, we can manage the process of proposing that the position be added.

Calculate Health and Welfare (H&W)

Not only is the rate of pay mandated by SCA for covered employees, but the benefits, or the value of the benefits, you offer your employees is also mandated. Our experts will assist you with identifying bona fide benefits and calculating H&W appropriately.

Paid Leave

Mandated hours of paid leave is another consideration for contractors with employees subject to SCA. We formulate a customized approach to compliant processes with the SCA's vacation, holiday, and sick leave requirements.

Training

Knowledge is power. Our experts will train your staff on the requirements of the SCA and help each to understand their role in maintaining compliance.

Investigation Support

DOL audits can be intimidating and overwhelming. We can support you and your company through the audit process and even serve as the liaison between the contractor and auditor.

Calculation of Back Wages

Mistakes happen when administering SCA compliance, but the need for back wages often comes with those mistakes. Our team will help calculate back wages and assist you with effective communication across your company.

Price Adjustments

Wage Determinations get updated periodically, and with those updates come changes in contract cost. Upon the incorporation of a new Wage Determination in your contract, we will assist you with the preparation and timely submission of a Price Adjustment so that you recover all contract costs to which you are entitled.



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