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Federal Acquisition Regulation: Prohibition on	INTERIM RULE : DoD, GSA, and NASA are issuing an interim rule
Unmanned Aircraft Systems From Covered Foreign	amending the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) to implement
Entities, 89 Federal Register 89464, November 12, 2024	a prohibition on the procurement and operation of unmanned
	aircraft systems manufactured or assembled by an American
	Security Drone Act-covered foreign entity.
	EFFECTIVE DATE: November 12, 2024
Federal-State Unemployment Compensation Program:	NOTICE : The Acting Secretary of Labor signed the annual
Certifications for 2024 Under the Federal	certifications under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, thereby
Unemployment Tax Act, 89 Federal Register 90053,	enabling employers who make contributions to state
<u>November 14, 2024</u>	unemployment funds to obtain certain credits against their
	liability for the federal unemployment tax. By letter, the
	certifications were transmitted to the Secretary of the Treasury.
DOI Request for Information on Proposed Conflict of	NOTICE: The Department of the Interior (DOI) is developing a
Interest Disclosure Policy, 89 Federal Register 92714,	conflict of interest (COI) disclosure policy and corresponding
November 22, 2024	term and condition for financial assistance awards (i.e., grants
	and cooperative agreements) to address undue foreign influence
	in DOI-supported research and development (R&D). DOI is
	soliciting public comment on its proposed policy and
	accompanying award term and condition to ensure government
	resources are managed with integrity to the greatest public
	benefit.
	COMMENTS DUE: January 21, 2025
HHS Final Scientific Integrity Policy, 89 Federal Register	POLICY STATEMENT : The Scientific Integrity Policy of the U.S.
92830, November 25, 2024	Department of Health and Human Services (Policy) was
	approved on September 16, 2024. The finalized Policy was
	announced to the HHS community and posted on the HHS
	scientific integrity website, at https://www.hhs.gov/programs/
	research/scientificintegrity/index.html, on September 30, 2024.
	EFFECTIVE DATE: October 16, 2024.
Employment Authorization for Lebanese F-1	NOTICE: The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) is
Nonimmigrant Students Experiencing Severe Economic	suspending certain regulatory requirements for F-1
Hardship as a Direct Result of the Current Crisis in	nonimmigrant students from Lebanon who are experiencing
Lebanon, 89 Federal Register 93634, November 27, 2024	severe economic hardship as a direct result of the current crisis
	in Lebanon. The Secretary is providing relief to these students
	who are in lawful F-1 nonimmigrant status, so the students may
	request employment authorization, work an increased number
	of hours while school is in session, and reduce their course load
	while continuing to maintain their F-1 nonimmigrant status.
	EFFECTIVE DATES: November 27, 2024, and ending on May 27,
	2026
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Nothing of relevance to higher educaiton	
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