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Employers Must Update Employment Standards Posting -For Now

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The Ontario Ministry of Labour has issued a new version of its *Employment Standards Act, 2000* ("ESA") poster to reflect recent changes to employment standards in the province. Employers are obligated to post the new version in a conspicuous place in the workplace, provide a copy to any new hires and, where the majority of employees speak a language other than English, post a copy in that language alongside the English version (provided that the Ministry has a translated version of the poster available). A link to Version 8 of the ESA poster and the translated versions can be found here.

It should be noted that if Bill 66, *Restoring Ontario's Competitiveness Act, 2018*, is passed as currently drafted it will remove employers' posting obligations under the ESA. Bill 66 has yet to proceed to Second Reading but we will continue to monitor its progress.

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