MEMORANDUM FOR CHIEF HUMAN CAPITAL OFFICERS

FROM: LINDA M. SPRINGER
DIRECTOR

Subject: Perspectives on Employment of Persons with Disabilities Annual Training Conference

The Perspectives on Employment of Persons with Disabilities Annual Training Conference will be held December 5-7 in Bethesda, Maryland. The training conference is targeted towards Federal employees.

This two and one-half day conference qualifies as training in compliance with 5 U.S.C. Chapter 41. The Perspectives on Employment of Persons with Disabilities Conference can provide Federal managers with many of the tools they need to recruit, hire, and retain qualified employees with disabilities. For 26 years, the Conference has provided participants with new and updated information on federal personnel policies, advancements in assistive technology, legal developments in the ADA and Rehabilitation Act, best practices, and recruitment resources. Subject-matter experts from both inside and outside of the Government conduct the workshops and provide top quality training.

Federal employees and managers are encouraged to review additional conference and training information when deciding to participate, such as course descriptions, costs, and schedules, at https://register.grad.usda.gov/Conferences/Perspectives/.

Agencies are reminded that a change to 5 C.F.R. 410 on the reporting of training has become effective as of December 31, 2006. A copy of this final regulation may be found at http://www.opm.gov/fedregis/2006/71-051006-28547-a.pdf to help you comply.

cc: Human Resources and Equal Employment Opportunity Directors