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## FLRA ISSUES UPDATED SYSTEM OF RECORDS NOTICES

The Federal Labor Relations Authority (FLRA) announces that, on October 27, 2017, it issued a comprehensive update to its Privacy Act [System of Records Notices \(SORNs\)](#). This is the first time the FLRA has republished its entire library of SORNs since 1980.

FLRA Acting Chairman Patrick Pizzella stated: “At a time when the public is especially interested in how the Government protects private information, the publication of a comprehensive update to the FLRA’s SORNs is an important achievement. These new notices will ensure that the public the agency serves has up-to-date information about records that the FLRA maintains and how to access or correct them. I am pleased to announce this publication, which is a critical part of the FLRA’s continued strategic efforts to better serve its customers.”

The updated SORNs, which are available on [the FLRA’s Privacy webpage](#), announce that the FLRA will maintain seven systems of records containing personal information. These systems include amended versions of the FLRA’s pay and leave record systems, its internal employee grievance records, its employee emergency contact information files, and its Office of Inspector General Investigation files. The FLRA also announced a new system of records for Freedom of Information Act Requests and Appeals files. It also rescinded 11 systems of records concerning FLRA employees, such as recruiting, personnel, and occupational health records, because those systems duplicated government-wide SORNs.

The SORN will be effective without further notice on November 27, 2017 unless comments are received that would result in a contrary determination. The FLRA requests the public to send any comments to Gina K. Grippando, Counsel for Regulatory and Public Affairs, Federal Labor Relations Authority, 1400 K St., NW, Washington, DC 20424, or email [EngagetheFLRA@flra.gov](mailto:EngagetheFLRA@flra.gov).

The FLRA administers the labor-management-relations program for 2.1 million non-Postal federal employees worldwide, approximately 1.2 million of whom are represented in 2,200 bargaining units. It is charged with providing leadership in establishing policies and guidance related to federal-sector labor-management relations and with resolving disputes under, and ensuring compliance with, the Federal Service Labor-Management Relations Statute.

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