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# fraud reduction efforts in "green card" processing will increase costs for employers

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New federal regulations attempt to reduce fraud in connection with green card applications by: (1) prohibiting employers from making any amendments to or substituting employee beneficiaries of approved or pending labor certification applications; (2) mandating that employers bear all financial costs of the labor certification application; and (3) limiting the time period for filing an immigrant visa petition after approval of an application for labor certification.

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