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Telephonic Press Call with Chair Catherine E. Lhamon

Working for Inclusion: Time for Congress to Enact Federal Legislation to Address Workplace Discrimination against Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Americans

Wednesday, November 29, 2017, 1:00 pm ET

Washington, DC – Tomorrow, November 29, 2017, the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights will release *Working for Inclusion: Time for Congress to Enact Federal Legislation to Address Workplace Discrimination against Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Americans*. Based on extensive research and expert testimony, including that collected at the Commission's public [briefing](#) on the subject, the report addresses the question of whether Congress needs to enact a law explicitly banning discrimination in the workplace based on sexual orientation and gender identity.

Chair Catherine E. Lhamon will discuss the report and its findings and recommendations via a telephonic press call on **Wednesday, November 29, beginning at 1:00 pm EST**. The call-in line for members of the press will be: **888-401-4668, Conference ID: 1637341**.

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