SUBJECT: Upcoming Satellite Broadcasts

The purpose of this BAL is to give you a heads up on the 1997 Human Resource Management Satellite Broadcast Schedule. The satellite broadcasts are sponsored by the Interagency Advisory Group Directors of Personnel. Please mark your calendars now!

1:00 - 2:30 p.m. (Eastern Daylight/Eastern Standard Time)

Wednesday, January 29, 1997
Wednesday, March 26, 1997
Wednesday, June 25, 1997
Wednesday, September 24, 1997

Test Pattern runs 12:30 - 1 p.m. (Eastern Time)

We post coordinates in the Retirement and Insurance Forum of OPM Mainstreet when they become available for each show. Mainstreet can be reached at 202-606-4800.

Each broadcast airs 90 minutes, with a live question and answer period at the end. You will be able to phone or fax your questions directly to the studio. The shows will have a news magazine format, with continuing standing segments such as legislative activity, as well as items of interest from the various areas of personnel administration.

This year there will be a segment on benefits in each broadcast. These segments may include not only information about retirement and insurance, but also benefits administered by other agencies, such as Social Security. If you have benefits ideas for upcoming shows, please forward your suggestions to Irene Meader by fax at (202) 606-1108, or call (202) 606-0788.

We hope you will find these broadcasts useful to you.

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