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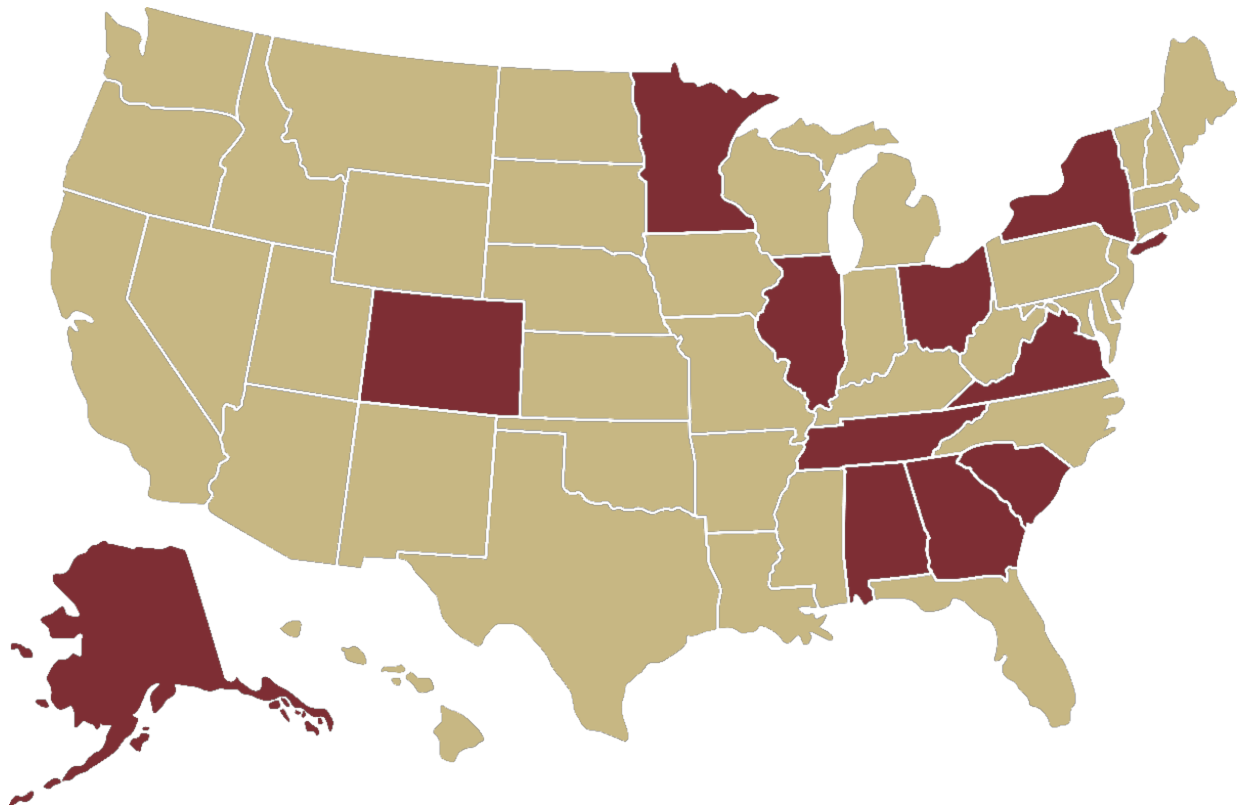
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REMEMBER AND HONOR

This Memorial Day, the attorneys and staff at Barrett & Farahany honor the commitment and sacrifice of America's military service members who gave their lives protecting the United States of America.



ARE YOU ENTITLED TO OVERTIME PAY ON HOLIDAYS LIKE MEMORIAL DAY?

Despite what some may think, federal law does not require that employers give employees off for federal holidays, including Memorial Day. But if you are forced to work on this holiday meant to honor American heroes, are you at least owed overtime?



The answer is complicated. Overtime laws in the United States do not require employers to pay overtime on federal holidays. Holidays are treated as normal workdays, which means they fall under the requirements of your employment contract. This means, that if your employment contract does not promise you overtime hours, or specifically states you are not owed overtime hours on holidays, you are not owed overtime pay.

That being said, many employees are promised overtime pay for normal workdays. Since holidays are considered normal workdays, those employees would be owed overtime pay. If you are unsure of how much overtime pay you are owed, schedule a consultation with Barrett & Farahany's overtime pay attorneys. We can review your contract and your situation to provide you with informed recommendations.

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WHAT DO YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT OVERTIME PAY?

Overtime kicks in when you work more than 40 hours in a week. In some states, it is measured how much time you work over the normal 8 hours in a day. Most overtime is paid at time-and-a-half your regular rate...

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