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#### WHO IS HR ONE CONSULTING?

- An upstate NY family-run business.
- Founded in 1986, HR One has become the premier human resource consulting firm in upstate New York.
- Simply stated... We serve as a part-time HR department for over 400 small to midsized employers and supplement existing HR departments through projects.

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HR One Consulting, Inc. HR One, Inc. (Payroll)

"Behind every paycheck is an employee, managing your employees just got easier."

# The First Line of Defense:

HR's Role in Preventing and Detecting Fraud in the Workplace



#### Today's Agenda

Presentation Q&A



#### **Fraud Defined**

- wrongful or criminal deception intended to result in financial or personal gain;
- a person or concept intended to deceive others, typically by unjustifiably claiming or being credited with accomplishments or qualities.



#### Fraud Requires a Person or People



#### Who within your workplace has the potential to commit fraud?



Step 1 of Fraud Prevention: The Hiring Process

#### **Resume Falsification Statistics**

http://www.statisticbrain.com/resume-falsification-statistics/

<ul> <li>Percent of job applications that contain</li> </ul>	
false information	53%
<ul> <li>Percent of resumes that are misleading</li> </ul>	78%
<ul> <li>Resumes that state fraudulent degrees</li> </ul>	21%
<ul> <li>Show altered employment dates</li> </ul>	29%
<ul> <li>Have inflated salary claims</li> </ul>	40%
<ul> <li>List inaccurate job summaries</li> </ul>	33%
• Give falsified references	27%
<ul> <li>Percent of college students that would</li> </ul>	
lie on a resume to get a job they want	70%

#### Why do People Lie on a Resume or Application?



## **Common Hiring Mistakes**

- Inconsistent hiring practices
- Lack of background check
- Untrained interviewers
- Rushing through the process



### **Checking References**



Why don't employers validate references these days?



Step 2 of Fraud Prevention: Employee Supervision

### **Proper Time Management**

- Employees falsifying time records
- Buddy punches
- Punch in/out outside of true working time
- Extended lunch or other breaks
- Workplace socializing



#### Not Clearly Communicating Policies or Procedures

Do your employees know what is acceptable and unacceptable behavior?



#### **Employees Taking Shortcuts**



#### Using Company Resources for Personal Use Examples

- Expenses on a company expense report
- Company gas card
- Office supplies for home use
- Personal use of company-owned equipment, including computers and cell phones
- Using company computer network resources for personal internet use



http://www.macpas.com/prevention-of-high-risk-fraud-situations/

## HELLO

# SUING YOU

Step 3 of Fraud Prevention: Falsifying Claims

#### Falsification of Harassment / Discrimination Claims





#### Falsification of Department of Labor Claims





#### **NEW YORK STATE REGULATIONS**

- Overtime compensation, including exempt and non exempt status
- Call-in pay
- Meal periods
- Final paycheck
- Separation notice
- Employment of minors



#### FEDERAL REGULATIONS

- Age Discrimination in Employment Act (ADEA)
- Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA)
- Older Workers Benefits Protection Act (OWBPA)
- Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act
- Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)
- Employment Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA)
- Rehabilitation Act of 1973
- Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA)

#### FEDERAL REGULATIONS

- Civil Rights Act Title VII; Civil Rights Act of 1991
- Equal Pay Act
- Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA)
- Immigration Reform and Control Act (IRCA)
- Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA)
- National Labor Relations Act (NLRA)
- Pregnancy Discrimination Act



#### Organizational Protection Requirement

What is the documentable business-related reason for the action you are taking with the employee?



Step 4 of Fraud Prevention: Employee Engagement

# We hire employees for the use of their hands



#### We hope that employees use their head



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# If we are successful we manage to engage their heart



#### **Questions?**

