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Bob Young Writes "FTC proposes sweeping changes to non-compete law" for Worcester Business Journal

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The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) issued a notice of proposed rulemaking this month that would eliminate almost all non-compete agreements. The rule would override even the relatively new Massachusetts non-compete statute, which significantly limits the use of non-compete clauses. In his article in the *Worcester Business Journal*, Bob Young discusses the proposed rule and how it will impact employers. Here is an excerpt:

> The far-reaching ban the FTC has proposed would apply not only to new arrangements but also to existing non-compete agreements, and the FTC would require employers to send individualized notices to employees (and even former employees where possible) who currently are subject to a non-competition agreement to inform them the non-competition provision is no longer effective.

Continue reading the full article "FTC proposes sweeping changes to non-compete law" on the *Worcester Business Journal* website (subscription required).

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