

29 C.F.R. § 18.57

Failure to make disclosures or to cooperate in discovery; sanctions.

- (a) Motion for an order compelling disclosure or discovery—(1) In general. On notice to other parties and all affected persons, a party may move for an order compelling disclosure or discovery. The motion must include a certification that the movant has in good faith conferred or attempted to confer with the person or party failing to make disclosure or discovery in an effort to obtain it without the judge's action.
- (2) *Specific motions*—(i) *To compel disclosure.* If a party fails to make a disclosure required by § 18.50(c), any other party may move to compel disclosure and for appropriate sanctions.
- (ii) *To compel a discovery response.* A party seeking discovery may move for an order compelling an answer, designation, production, or inspection. This motion may be made if:
- (A) A deponent fails to answer a question asked under §§ 18.64 and 18.65;
- (B) A corporation or other entity fails to make a designation under §§ 18.64(b)(6) and 18.65(a)(4);
- (C) A party fails to answer an interrogatory submitted under § 18.60; or
- (D) A party fails to respond that inspection will be permitted—or fails to permit inspection—as requested under § 18.61.

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