



The Daily Dish

# Regulatory Lessons

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AAF's Week in Regulation is always worth a read, but a few highlights from [last week's edition](#) stand out. First, in tracking the recent administrations' regulatory records, it is somewhat stunning to find the Biden and Trump Administrations tied at 352 final rules at this point in their respective tenures (and ahead of the 480 final rules of the notorious if-it-moves-regulate-it Obama Administration). Even more shocking is the difference in the burdens imposed on the private sector: \$214.7 billion in final rule costs for the Biden Administration, compared to \$1 billion (yes, one) for the Trump Administration. Sort of amazing.