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"Cosmeotical" creams tap antiaging market; questions about claims

Dr. Perricone's TV Specials

BY VALERIE BEERRY

SIDNEY, N.Y. - Inside a mahogany-panelled salon-like reception area just down the street from the mall, a crowd of middle-aged women sit on leather couches and listen - some intently, others dozing. They are here to see Dr. Nicholas Perricone, whose television specials on antiaging are a hit in the New York area.

After waiting for what he said is a "mad rush" of patients, the dermatologist, who lives on Long Island, begins his one-hour talk. Some of the women have been listening for hours.

"You can see more energy and even a new process," he says. "You can feel the excitement."...
Cash-Balance Plans Appear to Face a Regulatory Limbo

By Ryan E. Sweeney

Cash-balance plans will likely remain a regulatory limbo for another year. Last December, the House passed a bill that would have allowed these plans to be used by some companies, and would have eliminated the restrictions on the use of these plans. Congress has spoken, the battle is on! Cash-Balance plans have been the subject of much debate in recent years, and there is a lot of interest in their future prospects. While there are still some hurdles to overcome, it seems that these plans are here to stay for the time being.

Cash-balance plans are an attractive option for employers who are looking to reduce their costs and provide a competitive retirement plan for their employees. They have been gaining popularity in recent years, and there is a lot of interest in their future prospects. While there are still some hurdles to overcome, it seems that these plans are here to stay for the time being.