The table below outlines the other merger/spin-off rules, which follow the Notice 2024-2 guidance:

Plan Mergers				
Plan Surviving the Merger	Plan Merging into the Other	Special Circumstances	GF status of Surviving Plan	
Single Employer GF Plan	Single Employer GF Plan	n/a	GF Plan	
Single Employer GF Plan	Single Employer Non- GF Plan	None	Not GF	
Single Employer Non- GF Plan	Single Employer GF Plan	n/a	Not GF	
Single Employer GF Plan	Single Employer Non- GF Plan	410(b)(6) transaction; completed within transition period	GF Plan	
Any MEP or PEP	Single Employer GF Plan	n/a	GF as to that employer	
Any MEP or PEP	Single Employer non- GF Plan	None	GF as to that employer	
Any MEP or PEP	Single Employer non- GF Plan that is now sponsored by a previously Participating Employer due to an acquisition	410(b)(6) transaction; completed within transition period; acquiring Participating Employer has GF Plan	GF Plan	
Any GF Plan	Any non-CODA plan	n/a	GF Plan	

Plan Spin-Offs				
Original Plan Structure	Spin-off Portion	Special Circumstances	GF Status of Spun-Off Plan	
Single Employer GF Plan		None	GF Plan	
Single Employer Non- GF Plan		None	Not GF	
MEP – Participating Employer is GF for its portion of the plan	Any portion or all	None	GF Plan	
MEP – Participating Employer portion is not GF	Any portion or all	None	Not GF	