

**Congress of the United States**  
**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Committee on Small Business**  
2361 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515-6515

**NOTICE OF HEARING**  
**June 12, 2013**  
**1:00 P.M. 2360 Rayburn House Office Building**

**TO: Members, Subcommittee on Economic Growth, Tax and Capital Access**

**FROM: Tom Rice, Chairman**

**DATE: Wednesday, June 5, 2013**

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The Committee on Small Business Subcommittee on Economic Growth, Tax and Capital Access will meet for a hearing titled, *The Seasonal Employment Needs of Small Tourism Businesses and H-2B Visa Policy*. The hearing is scheduled to begin at **1:00 P.M. on June 12, 2013, in Room 2360 of the Rayburn House Office Building.**

This hearing will examine the H-2B visa program and the use of the program by small tourism businesses. The program allows employers who cannot find temporary or seasonal United States workers to bring foreign workers into the United States to fill unskilled, non-agricultural jobs during their peak seasons. The hearing will explore the H-2B visa program, its importance to small businesses and a recent regulatory change that may affect utilization by small businesses.

A staff briefing will be held on Monday, June 10, 2013 at 2:00 P.M. in Room 2360 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

If you or your staff has any questions, please contact Viktoria Ziebarth, Counsel for the Committee, at 202-225-5821.