

Application for Temporary Employment Certification  
 ETA Form 9142  
 U.S. Department of Labor



**Please read and review the filing instructions carefully before completing the ETA Form 9142. A copy of the instructions can be found at <http://www.foreignlaborcert.doleta.gov/>. In accordance with Federal Regulations, incomplete or obviously inaccurate applications will not be certified by the Department of Labor. If submitting this form non-electronically, ALL required fields/items containing an asterisk ( \* ) must be completed as well as any fields/items where a response is conditional as indicated by the section ( § ) symbol.**

**A. Employment-Based Nonimmigrant Visa Information**

1. Indicate the type of visa classification supported by this application (Write classification symbol): *	
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**B. Temporary Need Information**

1. Job Title *	
2. SOC (ONET/OES) code *	3. SOC (ONET/OES) occupation title *
4. Is this a full-time position? * <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<b>Period of Intended Employment</b>
	5. Begin Date * <small>(mm/dd/yyyy)</small>
7. Total workers being requested for temporary labor certification in the job opportunity for the visa classification *	
7a. Total workers <b>employed</b> in the job opportunity from the <b>prior year</b>	
<input type="text"/> a. Total workers*	<input type="text"/> c. Total workers in the visa classification * (recruited from outside the U.S. and employed)
<input type="text"/> b. Total U.S. workers*	<input type="text"/> d. Total workers in the visa classification * (recruited from inside the U.S. and employed)
8. Nature of Temporary Need: (Choose only one of the standards) *	
<input type="checkbox"/> Seasonal <input type="checkbox"/> Peakload <input type="checkbox"/> One-Time Occurrence <input type="checkbox"/> Intermittent or Other Temporary Need	
8a. For H-2B Applications ONLY, please enter the H-2B Registration Number (from an approved ETA Form 9155), if applicable. *	
9. Statement of Temporary Need *	

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**C. Employer Information**

**Important Note:** Enter the full name of the individual employer, joint employer, job contractor, partnership, corporation and all other required information in this section. For joint employer or master applications filed on behalf of more than one employer, identify the main or primary employer in the section below and then submit a separate attachment that identifies each additional employer, by name, mailing address, and total worker positions needed, under the application.

1. Legal business name *		
2. Trade name/Doing Business As (DBA), if applicable		
3. Address 1 *		
4. Address 2		
5. City *	6. State *	7. Postal code *
8. Country *	9. Province	
10. Telephone number *	11. Extension	
12. Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN from IRS) *	13. NAICS code (must be at least 4-digits) *	
14. Type of employer application (choose only one box below) *		
<input type="checkbox"/> Individual Employer <input type="checkbox"/> Association – Sole Employer (H-2A only)		
<input type="checkbox"/> H-2A Labor Contractor or H-2B Job Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Association – Joint Employer (H-2A only)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Joint Employer (H-2B only) <input type="checkbox"/> Association – Filing as Agent (H-2A only)		

**D. Employer Point of Contact Information**

**Important Note:** The information contained in this Section must be that of an employee of the employer who is authorized to act on behalf of the employer in labor certification matters. The information in this Section must be different from the agent or attorney information listed in Section E, unless the attorney is an employee of the employer. For joint employer or master applications filed on behalf of more than one employer under, enter only the contact information for the main or primary employer (e.g., contact for an association filing as a joint employer) under the application.

1. Contact's last (family) name *	2. First (given) name *	3. Middle name(s)
4. Contact's job title *		
5. Address 1 *		
6. Address 2		
7. City *	8. State *	9. Postal code *
10. Country *	11. Province	
12. Telephone number *	13. Extension	14. E-Mail address

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**E. Attorney or Agent Information (If applicable)**

1. Is/are the employer(s) represented by an attorney or agent in the filing of this application (including associations acting as agent under the H-2A program)? If "Yes", complete Section E. *		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
2. Attorney or Agent's last (family) name §	3. First (given) name §	4. Middle name	
5. Address 1 §			
6. Address 2			
7. City §		8. State §	9. Postal code §
10. Country §		11. Province	
12. Telephone number §	13. Extension	14. E-Mail address	
15. Law firm/Business name §		16. Law firm/Business FEIN §	
17. State Bar number (only if attorney) §		18. State of highest court where attorney is in good standing (only if attorney) §	
19. Name of the highest court where attorney is in good standing (only if attorney) §			

**F. Job Offer Information**

**a. Job Description**

1. Job Title *	
2. Number of hours of work per week Basic *: _____ Overtime: _____	3. Hourly Work Schedule * A.M. (h:mm): ____ : ____ P.M. (h:mm): ____ : ____
4. Does this position supervise the work of other employees? * <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	4a. If yes, number of employees worker will supervise (if applicable) § _____
5. Job duties – A description of the duties to be performed <b>MUST</b> begin in this space. If necessary, add attachment to <u>continue and complete</u> description. *	

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**F. Job Offer Information (continued)**

**b. Minimum Job Requirements**

1. Education: minimum U.S. diploma/degree required *	
<input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> High School/GED <input type="checkbox"/> Associate's <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's <input type="checkbox"/> Master's <input type="checkbox"/> Doctorate (PhD) <input type="checkbox"/> Other degree (JD, MD, etc.)	
1a. If "Other degree" in question 1, specify the diploma/degree required §	1b. Indicate the major(s) and/or field(s) of study required § (May list more than one related major and more than one field)
2. Does the employer require a second U.S. diploma/degree? *	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
2a. If "Yes" in question 2, indicate the second U.S. diploma/degree and the major(s) and/or field(s) of study required §	
3. Is training for the job opportunity required? *	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
3a. If "Yes" in question 3, specify the number of <u>months</u> of training required §	3b. Indicate the field(s)/name(s) of training required § (May list more than one related field and more than one type)
4. Is employment experience required? *	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
4a. If "Yes" in question 4, specify the number of <u>months</u> of experience required §	4b. Indicate the occupation required §
5. Special Requirements - List specific skills, licenses/certifications, and requirements of the job opportunity. *	

**c. Place of Employment Information**

1. Worksite address 1 *	
2. Address 2	
3. City *	4. County *
5. State/District/Territory *	6. Postal code *
7. Will work be performed in multiple worksites within an area of intended employment or a location(s) other than the address listed above? *	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
7a. If Yes in question 7, identify the geographic place(s) of employment with as much specificity as possible. If necessary, submit an attachment to <u>continue and complete</u> a listing of all anticipated worksites. §	

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**G. Rate of Pay**

1. Basic Rate of Pay Offered * From: \$ _____ . _____ To (Optional): \$ _____ . _____	1a. Overtime Rate of Pay (if applicable) § From: \$ _____ . _____ To (Optional): \$ _____ . _____
2. Per: (Choose only one) * <input type="checkbox"/> Hour <input type="checkbox"/> Week <input type="checkbox"/> Bi-Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Month <input type="checkbox"/> Year <input type="checkbox"/> Piece Rate	
2a. If Piece Rate is indicated in question 2, specify the wage offer requirements: §	
2b. For H-2B Applications ONLY, please enter the Prevailing Wage Determination tracking number (ETA Form 9141) *	
3. Additional Wage Information (e.g., multiple worksite applications, itinerant work, or other special procedures). If necessary, add attachment to <u>continue and complete</u> description. §	

**H. Declaration of Employer and Attorney/Agent**

In accordance with Federal regulations, the employer must attest that it will abide by certain terms, assurances and obligations as a condition for receiving a temporary labor certification from the U.S. Department of Labor. Applications that fail to attach Appendix A.2 or Appendix B.1 will be considered incomplete and not accepted for processing by the ETA application processing center.

1. For H-2A Applications ONLY, please confirm that you have read and agree to all the applicable terms, assurances and obligations contained in <b>Appendix A.2. §</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
2. For H-2B Applications ONLY, please confirm that you have read and agree to all the applicable terms, assurances and obligations contained in <b>Appendix B.1. §</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A

**I. Preparer**

Complete this section if the preparer of this application is a person other than the one identified in either Section D (employer point of contact) or E (attorney or agent) of this application.

1. Last (family) name §	2. First (given) name §	3. Middle name
4. Job Title §		
5. Firm/Business name §		
6. E-Mail address §		

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**J. U.S. Government Agency Use (ONLY)**

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 101(a)(15)(h)(ii) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, as amended, I hereby certify that there are not sufficient U.S. workers who are qualified and who will be available to perform the temporary services or labor for which an employer desires to import foreign workers and the employment of the foreign workers will not adversely affect the wages and working conditions of U.S. workers similarly employed. By virtue of the signature below, the Department of Labor hereby acknowledges the following:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Case number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Receipt Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Case Status

\_\_\_\_\_  
Total Worker Positions Certified

\_\_\_\_\_  
Validity Period From

\_\_\_\_\_  
Validity Period To

\_\_\_\_\_  
Department of Labor, Office of Foreign Labor Certification

\_\_\_\_\_  
Determination Date (date signed)

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