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Announcements

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July 20, 2020. OFLC Announces 60-Day Public Comment Period on Proposed Revisions to Permanent Labor Certification Program Forms

The U.S. Department of Labor published a *Federal Register* notice announcing its intent to revise application forms, instructions, and other information collected under the Permanent labor certification (PERM) program.

The proposed revision better aligns information collection requirements with the Department's PERM regulation, provides greater clarity to employers on regulatory requirements, standardizes and streamlines information collection for employers preparing PERM applications, and promotes greater efficiency and transparency in OFLC's review and issuance of labor certification decisions.

Written comments must be submitted in accordance with the instructions in the Federal Register notice. The deadline to submit comments is September 18, 2020.

- [View the Federal Register notice](#)
- [View the Supporting Statement](#)
- [View the proposed Form ETA-9089](#)
- [View the proposed Form ETA-9089, Appendix A](#)
- [View the proposed Form ETA-9089, Appendix B](#)
- [View the proposed Form ETA-9089, Appendix C](#)
- [View the proposed Form ETA-9089, Appendix D](#)
- [View the proposed Form ETA-9089, Final Determination](#)
- [View the proposed Form ETA-9089, Instructions](#)

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July 15, 2020. OFLC Releases Fiscal Year 2020 Q3 Foreign Labor Recruiter List

The Office of Foreign Labor Certification (OFLC) is publishing an updated list of the names of foreign labor recruiters for the H-2B program (as required by [20 CFR § 655.9\(c\)](#)).

The list contains the name and location of persons or entities hired by, or working for, the recruiter that employers have indicated they engaged, or planned to engage, in the recruitment of prospective H-2B workers to perform the work described on their Form ETA-9142B, H-2B Application for Temporary Employment Certification. The H-2B Foreign Labor Recruiter List includes cases filed from October 1, 2019, through June 30, 2020. This information is also available in Form ETA-9142B, Appendix C, which presents foreign recruiter information sorted by H-2B case number.

By publishing the foreign labor recruiter list, OFLC is ensuring greater transparency for the H-2B worker recruitment process and facilitating information sharing between the U.S. Department of Labor and other agencies.

In order to view the Foreign Labor Recruiting list, please visit the [Foreign Labor Recruiting List web page](#).

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