

September 17, 2012

The Honorable Lamar Smith 2409 Rayburn House Office Building Washington DC 20515

Dear Congressman Smith:

The NanoBusiness Commercialization Association, the voice of the U.S. nanotechnology business community, strongly supports the STEM Jobs Act of 2012. Nanotechnology entrepreneurs routinely report that one of their greatest challenges is finding employees who have the highly technical skills that are needed in this cutting-edge field. Our members are working in a variety of ways to draw U.S. students into STEM fields. In the meantime, we must keep qualified foreign students here instead of sending them home to compete with us. Your bill will improve our international competitiveness and help our members generate high-quality STEM jobs here in the United States. Please let us know if we can provide case studies or witness testimony in a future hearing on this important legislation.

Sincerely,

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