



Published on *US Immigration Lawyer, Law Offices of Rajiv S. Khanna, PC, Rajiv S. Khanna* (<https://immigration.com>)

Government Shutdown ? Impact on Immigration Matters

Government Shutdown ? Impact on Immigration Matters [1]

Submitted by Chief Editor on Oct 4th 2013

1. Our employees are deployed at government sites. Are we still obliged to pay the H-1 wage?
2. Can we ask such employees to use their paid leave?

ANSWER:

A1. Yes. In my view, that obligation continues unabated.

A2. No. If the employees voluntarily wish to do so for their convenience, I feel that would be legal. But the employer may not force employees to do so.

Unless the context shows otherwise, all answers here were provided by [Rajiv](#) [2] and were compiled and reported by our editorial team from comments and blog on [immigration.com](#) [3]

Add new comment [4]

Source URL (retrieved on 10 Aug 2020 - 02:55): <https://immigration.com/faq/h-1-visa/government-shutdown-%E2%80%93-impact-immigration-matters>

Links:

[1] <https://immigration.com/faq/h-1-visa/government-shutdown-%E2%80%93-impact-immigration-matters>

[2] <http://www.immigration.com/law-offices-rajiv-s-khanna-pc>

[3] <http://www.immigration.com>

[4] <https://immigration.com/JavaScript%3Avoid%280%29%3B>