

Trump Administration's Immigration Policies are Bad for Business

Today, in an [op-ed in *The New York Times*](#), U.S. Chamber CEO Tom Donohue explained why the U.S. Chamber is taking aggressive action to preserve legal immigration and halt the new job-killing restrictions.

"If you want businesses to grow and the economy to rebound, you allow skilled workers to come here legally to work and contribute to the well-being of our nation; you don't lock them out," he wrote.

Earlier this week, the Chamber filed a joint [lawsuit](#) with other trade associations seeking an injunction to stop administration immigration restrictions.

Why this matters. On CNN today, Chamber Executive Vice President and Chief Policy Officer Neil Bradley explained how restrictionist immigration policies hurt one American company. "A manufacturer we've heard from is building an assembly line in the United States. That assembly line will employ American workers," he explained. "They would like to bring in an engineer to set up that technology. They are not going to be able to do that under the president's proclamation. No engineer, no assembly line, no American jobs."

What's next? "The Chamber hopes to work productively with the administration on these issues," wrote Donohue in the *Times*. "But if the administration persists with its job-killing immigration restrictions, we will see them in court."

Read the entire op-ed [here](#).