



# Navigating H-1B RFE Challenges: A Case Study with Imagility's Response Builder

Explore how Imagility empowered a global tech firm to overcome USCIS hurdles and secure a specialized IT workforce. Learn how our RFE Response Builder streamlines H-1B challenges. Contact us for innovative solutions tailored to your IT company's immigration needs.

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### **Introduction and Background**

A leading global tech firm in the United States, filed a Form I-129, Petition for Nonimmigrant Worker with U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS), seeking to classify Aryan Deepak Sharma (name changed due to privacy concerns) as an H-1B specialty occupation worker. The company, with a team of about 600 employees, aimed to employ Aryan as a Java/J2EE Developer. However, USCIS issued an RFE, questioning the specialty occupation designation and educational requirements for the position.



### **Problem Statement**



In the RFE, the USCIS highlighted concerns regarding the definition of a specialty occupation and the relationship between the proffered position and the generalized field of study. USCIS raised questions about the specificity of the educational requirements, particularly in the context of computer science, information systems, software engineering, or similar disciplines in the information technology field. The tech firm had to establish that the role was specialized and needed a compelling response to show how the educational requirements directly matched the duties and responsibilities of the Java/J2EE Developer position.

### **Imagility's RFE Response Builder Solution**

To address concerns the USCIS raised, the tech firm utilized Imagility's RFE Response Builder, a powerful Al-enabled tool designed to streamline the entire RFE response process. Imagility's platform provided guided assistance, enabling the tech company to:



#### **Clearly Define Specialty Occupation**

Imagility's platform assisted in explaining how the Java/J2EE Developer role demanded highly specialized knowledge, both in theory and practice. It helped create a compelling argument about why a higher degree in specific disciplines was essential for entry into this specialized IT position.



#### **Customized Documentation**

Imagility's RFE Response Builder made it easy for the organization to gather all the necessary documentation, including detailed job descriptions, educational qualifications, and industry-specific standards. This ensured that the response was comprehensive and well-documented, meeting all the requirements effectively.



#### **Compliance Assurance**

Imagility's platform empowered the tech firm to craft a compelling narrative, emphasizing the critical link between the educational prerequisites and the specialized nature of the Java/J2EE Developer position. By using Al-driven insights and compliance checks, the response was not only substantiated but also strategically aligned with USCIS guidelines. This strengthened the company's position and ensured a strong defense against the RFE challenges.

### **Outcome and Comparative Analysis**

With Imagility's assistance, the tech company successfully addressed USCIS's concerns. The response provided detailed explanations and expert opinions, demonstrating that the Java/J2EE Developer position met the criteria of a specialty occupation. This meticulous approach resulted in the approval of Aryan Deepak Sharma's H-1B visa application. This success reaffirmed the effectiveness of Imagility's RFE Response Builder in overcoming immigration hurdles.

### **Employee Profile: Aryan Deepak Sharma**



Aryan, with his background in computer science, became a pivotal case study within the tech firm. The successful approval of his H-1B visa demonstrated the effectiveness of Imagility's RFE Response Builder. Imagility's platform played a crucial role in shaping a detailed and well-organized response, effectively showcasing his qualifications. This ensured that he could continue his valuable contributions to essential IT projects within our company.

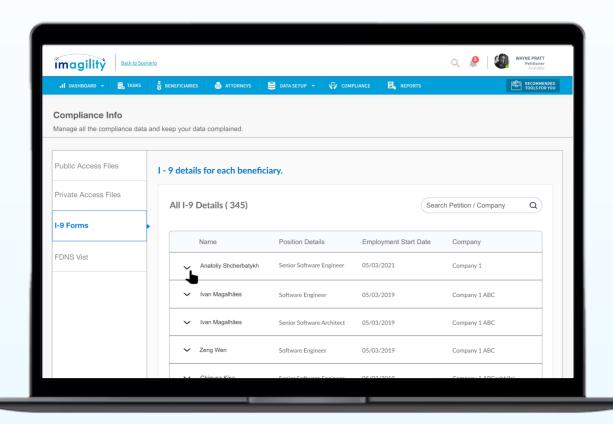
### **Client Testimonial**

Imagility's RFE Response Builder not only facilitated our employee's H-1B approval but also simplified our entire onboarding process. Their intuitive platform allowed us to swiftly upload the USCIS RFE notice, streamlining the documentation process seamlessly. Imagility's expert guidance helped us to provide a comprehensive and precise response. Their support was not only valuable, but also transformative, making our immigration process remarkably efficient and stress-free. We are deeply grateful for their practical assistance, which enabled us to seamlessly transition into this specialized role without any difficulties.



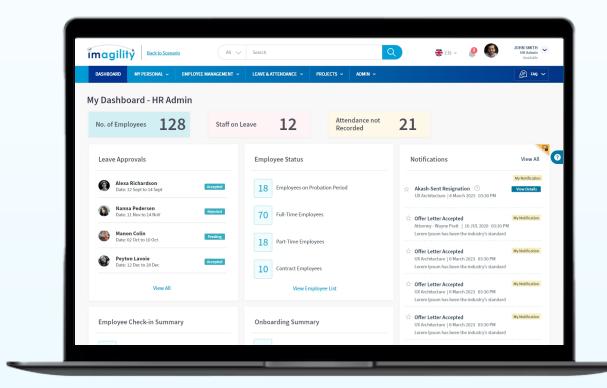
### **Future Collaboration and Expansion**

By aligning Imagility's RFE Response Builder with the issues the USCIS raised in the RFE, the tech company was able to successfully navigate the complexities of the immigration process, ensuring the continued growth and innovation of its specialized IT workforce.



The global tech firm was impressed by the effectiveness of Imagility's RFE Response Builder and envisions a strong future collaboration with the company.

They are eager to use Imagility's advanced solutions beyond RFE responses, and are particularly interested in integrating Imagility's I-9 compliance and HR products into their workflow. The features of these products align with the company's vision of efficient immigration processes and streamlined HR operations. By embracing Imagility's cutting-edge tools, the firm anticipates enhancing not only its immigration procedures but also its overall talent acquisition strategies.





Are you an IT company facing challenges with H-1B RFEs? Discover how Imagility's innovative solutions can streamline your immigration processes and drive your success. Contact Imagility today to explore our services and empower your business.



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