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Mr. Hugh Morrow, Jr.  
President  
Ruby Falls, LLC  
1720 South Scenic Highway  
Chattanooga, TN 37409

Dear Mr. Morrow:

Thank you for appearing before the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations on Wednesday, June 26, 2013, to testify at the hearing entitled "Challenges Facing America's Businesses Under the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act."

Pursuant to the Rules of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the hearing record remains open for ten business days to permit Members to submit additional questions for the record, which are attached. The format of your responses to these questions should be as follows: (1) the name of the Member whose question you are addressing, (2) the complete text of the question you are addressing in bold, and (3) your answer to that question in plain text.

To facilitate the printing of the hearing record, please respond to these questions by the close of business on Friday, July 26, 2013. Your responses should be e-mailed to the Legislative Clerk in Word format at [brittany.havens@mail.house.gov](mailto:brittany.havens@mail.house.gov) and mailed to Brittany Havens, Legislative Clerk, Committee on Energy and Commerce, 2125 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

Thank you again for your time and effort preparing and delivering testimony before the Subcommittee.

Sincerely,



Tim Murphy  
Chairman  
Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations

cc: Diana DeGette, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations

Attachment

## Attachment—Additional Questions for the Record

### The Honorable Tim Murphy

1. Can you describe how Ruby Falls' seasonal employee needs are being impacted by the health care law? How are you planning to handle this?
2. A huge issue in the debate of the health care law is the definition of "full time" employees as those working over 30 hours a week. What do you think of this definition and how has it impacted Ruby Falls and its planning for the future?
3. Do you believe that other owners or operators of tourist attractions or seasonal businesses are experiencing these problems as well?
4. What steps will you take to address your rising health care costs?
5. You mentioned that you employ a number of high school and college aged individuals—do you find that these individuals typically purchase health care?
6. You testified that "We have spent more time analyzing the effects of this law than creating memories for our visitors." Can you elaborate on this? What administrative burdens have you encountered?