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## *UK Aerospace Debriefing*

United Kingdom (UK) Trade & Investment in coordination with the Arizona Department of Commerce and the Snell & Wilmer L.L.P. law firm cordially invite you to a seminar for the UK Aerospace Debriefing. The UK is number one in Europe for aerospace, second only to the US globally, directly employing over 100,000 people in the sector that is responsible for £20 billion (\$30.6 billion) per year to the UK economy.

*Tuesday, March 23rd, 2010 – 8am-10am*

Hosted at the ASU SkySong Center, 3rd floor  
1475 N. Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85257

*Airbus, Bristol International Airport and easyJet are a recognized £11.5 (\$17.6 billion) billion industry in the UK.*

Today, aviation supports 200,000 jobs directly, and 500,000 indirectly, in the UK, and is worth more than £11.5 billion in GDP. These jobs cover skills from designing complex IT systems, advanced engineering and manufacturing, to customer services. All are vital pieces to the UK and US economy. There are opportunities for US SMEs in the UK Aerospace Market to learn more UK Trade & Investment and Arizona Department of Commerce organised a seminar which set out the opportunities that exist for US aerospace companies in the UK market. Attendees will hear from Nick Hooper, Vice Consul, Specializing in the Aerospace Industry, United Kingdom Trade & Investment, at the British Consulate-General in Los Angeles.

As a Vice Consul, Mr. Hooper assists US companies in leveraging UK resources to meet their international growth plans. This includes facilitating UK/US business partnerships, providing location assistance and identifying research alliances at UK universities.

Please RSVP your attendance to Karla Teixeira by March 19th,  
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