

Habib Ilahi, Eric Whytsell Publish in *Law360* on Contractor Settlements

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Partners Habib Ilahi and [Eric Whytsell](#) recently published in *Law360* regarding the [potential risks for small businesses participating in the Small Business Administration's preference programs](#).

"Indeed, the programs can be fraught with peril and contain many land mines for those who do not understand and diligently comply with applicable small business program requirements," write the authors.

Habib and Eric go on to detail the purpose of small business government contracting programs, the increase in criminal and civil enforcement of program rules, and guidance on how businesses can remain compliant.

Habib is a trusted partner on health care and business litigation matters, counseling business entities and individuals in highly regulated industries through complex health care, procurement and other government enforcement investigations and litigation, as well as through general white collar criminal and civil defense matters.

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