U.S. Commercial Service Perception and Awareness Survey

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1. Where	e did you first find out about the Commercial Service?
	 Advertising: Trade Publications Articles: Newspaper/Magazines Colleagues/Friends/Family Email broadcasts from the Commercial Service Product brochures Commercial Service staff State Trade Office Tradeshows Industry Associations Website (please specify below) Don't remember Other (please specify)
If yo	ou selected other, please specify:
2. Why d	lid you first choose to work with the Commercial Service?
	 □ Reputation □ Recommended by friends/family/colleagues □ Advertising: Publications □ Newspaper/Magazine articles □ Variety of service offerings □ U.S. Government □ Trusted brand/organization □ Trade and global knowledge □ Trade and global network □ Good value for money □ Good market research products □ Convenient location

Other (please specify)

3.	Where do you most often hear about the Commercial Service? (Pick top 3)
	Advertising: Trade Publications Articles: Newspaper/Magazines Colleagues/Friends/Family Email broadcasts from the Commercial Service Events Industry associations Product brochures Relationship with Commercial Service staff State Trade Office Tradeshows Website (please specify):
4.	Using a scale of 1 to 10 where "1" means "Limited" and "10" means "Very much" how much do you rely on the Commercial Service for export assistance/support services? (If you do not rely on the Commercial Service for assistance, please select "N/A" for Not Applicable.) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 N/A
5.	What other organizations do you work with for your international sales/exporting assistance?
	 □ Local Chamber of Commerce □ City Government □ State Government □ Consultants □ Banks □ Commercial Service only □ Other (please specify): □ Not Applicable
an	Using a scale of 1 to 10 where "1" means "Very weak association" of "10" means "Very strong association" to what extent do you sociate the following word descriptions with the Commercial

If you selected other, please specify:

Very Weak Association

Service:

Very Strong Association

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Network										
Connection										
Resourceful										
Relationship										
Accessible										
Value										
Global										
Trade Knowledge										
Industry/Technical Knowledge										
Trust										
Reliable										
Consistent										

7. Using a scale of 1 to 10 where "1" means "Very negative" and "10" means "Very positive" please rate your overall perception of the Commercial Service as a source for advocacy assistance. (If you have not experienced advocacy assistance within the past 12 months, please select "N/A" for not applicable.)

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8. Using a scale of 1 to 10 where "1" means "Very negative" and "10" means "Very positive" please rate your overall perception of the Commercial Service as a source of international sales/exporting assistance. (If you have not experienced international sales/exporting assistance within the past 12 months, please select "N/A" for not applicable.)

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Thank you very much for your opinions, they are very valuable to us.

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