

DRAFT Business Trends and Outlook Content

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Attachment A

1. Overall, how would you describe this business's current performance?
 - Excellent
 - Above average
 - Average
 - Below average
 - Poor

2. Between May 16 – May 29, how did this business's operating revenues/sales/receipts change?
 - Increased
 - Decreased
 - No change

3. Between May 16 – May 29, did this business do any of the following?
Select all that apply.
 - Open a new location
 - Open a previously closed location
 - Temporarily close a location
 - Permanently close a location
 - None of the above

4. Between May 16 – May 29, how did this business's number of paid employees change?
 - Increased
 - Decreased
 - No change

5. Between May 16 – May 29, how did the total number of hours worked by this business's paid employees change?
 - Increased
 - Decreased
 - No change

6. Between May 16 – May 29, did this business have difficulties hiring paid employees?
 - Yes
 - No
 - Not applicable

7. Between May 16 – May 29, how did demand for this business's goods or services change?
 - Increased
 - Decreased
 - No change

8. Between May 16 – May 29, how did the prices this business charges for its own goods or services change?
 - Increased
 - Decreased
 - No change

9. Between May 16 – May 29, how did the prices this business pays for goods or services change?
 - Increased
 - Decreased
 - No change

10. Between May 16 – May 29, how did the time it takes for this business to receive deliveries from suppliers change?
 - Increased
 - Decreased
 - No change

11. Between May 16 – May 29, did this business have any of the following?
 - Domestic supplier delays
 - Foreign supplier delays
 - Difficulty locating alternative domestic suppliers
 - Difficulty locating alternative foreign suppliers
 - Production delays at this business
 - Delays in delivery/shipping to customers
 - None of the above

12. Between May 16 – May 29, how has this business's use of online platforms to offer goods or services changed?
 - Increased
 - Decreased
 - No change
 - Not applicable

13. Six months from now, how do you think you will describe this business's performance?
 - Excellent
 - Above average
 - Average

- Below average
- Poor

14. During the next six months, do you think this business will do any of the following?

- Open a new location
- Open a previously closed location
- Temporarily close a location
- Permanently close a location
- None of the above

15. Six months from now, how do you think this business's number of paid employees will have changed?

- Increased
- Decreased
- No change

16. Six months from now, how do you think the total number of hours worked by this business's paid employees will have changed?

- Increased
- Decreased
- No change

17. Six months from now, do you think this business will have difficulties hiring paid employees?

- Yes
- No
- Not applicable

18. Six months from now, how do you think demand for this business's goods or services will have changed?

- Increased
- Decreased
- No change

19. Six months from now, how do you think the prices this business charges for its own goods or services will have changed?

- Increased
- Decreased
- No change

20. Six months from now, how do you think the prices this business pays for goods or services will have changed?

- Increased
- Decreased
- No change

21. Six months from now, how do you think the time it takes for this business to receive deliveries from suppliers will have changed?

- Increased
- Decreased
- No change

22. Six months from now, how do you think this business's use of online platforms to offer goods or services will have changed?

- Increased
- Decreased
- No change
- Not applicable

23. What is the longest time period over which you believe you can predict this business's performance?

- 1 month or less
- 2-3 months
- 4-6 months
- 7-12 months
- More than 12 months

24. Would you like to provide any information about your responses to these questions or this business?

Remarks (500 characters)