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Ohio Ranks 8th in Nation for “Insourced” Jobs

Washington, DC — September 25, 2007 — With 213,800 Ohioans working for U.S. subsidiaries of companies headquartered abroad, Ohio ranks 8th in the nation in terms of the total number of “insourced” jobs. The Organization for International Investment (OFII) today released new Commerce Department statistics, which show that insourced jobs continue to be an integral part of the U.S. economy.

“Foreign-based companies have paid the Ohio workforce a huge compliment by choosing to employ hundreds of thousands of workers in the state,” said Todd Malan, President and CEO of the Organization for International Investment, a Washington, DC-based business group representing U.S. subsidiaries of companies based abroad. “U.S. subsidiaries insource jobs to every state in the country, supporting a total of 5.1 million American jobs and a \$336 billion annual payroll,” Malan stated.

Ohio “Insourcing” Job Facts

- Ohio ranks 8th in the nation in terms of the number of workers employed by U.S. subsidiaries of foreign firms, with a total of 213,800 – providing the livelihood for more than 4 percent of Ohio’s private-sector workforce;
- Overall, almost 45 percent of the insourced jobs in Ohio are in the manufacturing sector, totaling 95,400 employees;
- Insourcing companies in Ohio include: BASF Corporation, Boehringer Ingelheim, BP, Miller Brewing Co., Bridgestone Americas, GlaxoSmithKline, Lafarge North America Oldcastle Inc., Reed Elsevier, Rexam Inc., Rolls-Royce North America, Shell Oil Company and Tyco.

Visit www.ofii.org for state specific information on “insourcing” and the overall economic impact of U.S. subsidiaries of foreign companies.

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