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## **Texas Ranks 3<sup>rd</sup> in Nation for “Insourced” Jobs**

**Washington, DC — September 25, 2007** — With 344,600 Texans working for U.S. subsidiaries of companies headquartered abroad, Texas ranks 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 Texas 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.

### **Texas “Insourcing” Job Facts**

Texas ranks 3<sup>rd</sup> in the nation in terms of the number of workers employed by U.S. subsidiaries of foreign firms, with a total of 344,600 – providing the livelihood for more than 4 percent of Texas’s private-sector workforce;

Overall, almost 25 percent of the insourced jobs in Texas are in the manufacturing sector, totaling 84,200 employees;

Insourcing companies in Texas include: Air Liquide, AMEC Americas, Bridgestone Americas Holding Group, BP, Miller Brewing Company, Honda, Philips, Shell Oil Company, Sodexo, Square D Company and Toyota Motor North America.

Visit [www.ofii.org](http://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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