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**Subject:** U.S. Business Response Survey to the Coronavirus Pandemic

Dear Employer,

Over the past few months the novel coronavirus pandemic has affected businesses and workers across the United States and the world. The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) has launched a new survey to ask U.S. businesses how they are changing the ways in which they operate due to the pandemic. We request that you answer a few brief questions about how the coronavirus pandemic has affected your business. Your response is important to ensure that the data we produce are accurate, timely, and relevant. Don't miss this opportunity to ensure that your business is included.

Please log on to our secure website to complete your report: <https://idcfars.bls.gov/>

**WEB ID 1: 991234567890**

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Please complete the Business Response Survey within **14 days**. If you are having difficulty accessing the system, please see our illustrated step-by-step instructions at <https://www.bls.gov/respondents/COVID-19/webreporting.htm>

This survey is approved with O.M.B. No. 1220-0197. The information collected will be used for statistical purposes in accordance with the law. Additional information and instructions for this survey can be found at: <https://www.bls.gov/respondents/COVID-19.htm>

Thank you for your participation in keeping us informed of your situation. We greatly value your input.

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