

**Appendix table 1. Survey establishment response, National Compensation Survey, March 2009**

Establishments	Total	Private industry	State and local governments
Total in sampling frame <sup>1</sup> .....	5,389,642	5,174,044	215,598
Total in sample .....	18,287	16,265	2,022
Responding .....	10,570	8,782	1,788
Refused or unable to provide data .....	4,979	4,766	213
Out of business or not in survey scope .....	2,738	2,717	21

<sup>1</sup> The list of establishments from which the survey sample was selected (sampling frame) was developed from State unemployment insurance reports and is based on the 2007 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). For private

industries, an establishment is usually a single physical location. For State and local governments, an establishment is defined as all locations of a government entity.