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ROSELAND, N.J. – July 30, 2014 – U.S. private-sector franchise jobs increased by 17,010 during the month of July, according to the <u>ADP National Franchise Report SM</u>. Broadly distributed to the public each month free of charge, the <u>ADP National Franchise Report measures monthly changes in franchise employment derived from ADP's actual transactional payroll data. The report is produced by ADP[®], a leading global provider of Human Capital Management (HCM) solutions, in collaboration with Moody's Analytics, Inc. and is published by the <u>ADP Research Institute</u>[®].</u>

July 2014 ADP National Franchise Report Highlights

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The table below presents U.S. franchise employment growth over time, measuring current month growth, year-over-year changes, and the average monthly growth rate over the past 12 months. This chart also reflects changes in small business employment to help illustrate the correlation between small businesses overall and franchises.

[&]quot;Franchise job growth slowed significantly in July," said Ahu Yildirmaz, vice president and head of the ADP Research Institute. "Since many franchise businesses fall into the less than 50 employees category, this is consistent with a sharp drop in small business hiring during the month."

July 2014

			Growth (%)	Rate (%)	Avg. Growth Rate (%)
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218,060	117,006	0.2%		2.2%	0.2%
84,300	49,113	0.2%		2.2%	0.2%
17,010	8,285	0.2%	100%	3.3%	0.3%
6,240	4,195	0.1%	37%	3.3%	0.3%
5,430	1,258	0.4%	32%	3.7%	0.3%
1,900	417	0.5%	11%	6.1%	0.5%
1,250	112	1.1%	7%	8.3%	0.7%
970	179	0.5%	6%	4.1%	0.3%
960	700	0.1%	6%	2.5%	0.2%
640	90	0.7%	4%	4.7%	0.4%
460	66	0.7%	3%	5.0%	0.4%
300	123	0.2%	2%	2.3%	0.2%
250	47	0.5%	1%	3.4%	0.3%
170	64	0.3%	1%	5.8%	0.5%
150	23	0.7%	1%	3.6%	0.3%
70	34	0.2%	0%	1.3%	0.1%
(120)	91	-0.1%	-1%	1.5%	0.1%
(550)	455	-0.1%	-3%	2.5%	0.2%
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^{*} ADP National Employment Report

Note: Sum of components may not equal total due to rounding. Industries are ranked based on monthly contribution to Total Franchise Employment

The August 2014 *ADP National Franchise Report* will be released at 8:15 a.m. ET on Wednesday, September 4, 2014. A schedule of future release dates, as well as additional information about franchise employment, charts on monthly job growth and employment levels, and historical data is available at www.ADPemploymentreport.com.

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The *ADP National Franchise Report*, the first and only report of its kind, is a monthly measure of the change in total U.S. nonfarm private franchise employment derived from actual, anonymous payroll data of client companies served by ADP[®], a leading provider of human capital management solutions. The matched sample used to develop the *ADP National Franchise Report* is derived from ADP payroll data, which represents 15,000 Franchisors and Franchisees employing nearly one million workers in the U.S.

The ADP National Franchise Report is published by the ADP Research Institute[®], a specialized group within ADP that provides insights around employment trends and workforce strategy, in collaboration with Moody's Analytics, Inc.

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For a description of the underlying data and the statistical model used to create this report, please see "<u>ADP National Franchise Report</u>: Development Methodology."

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