

Table 2.23

Native Hawaiian-Owned Business Firms with Paid Employees in the United States, Continental United States, and Hawai'i: 1997, 2002, 2007

Area	Native Hawaiian-Owned Business Firms											
	Firms With Paid Employees (number)			Sales & Receipts (\$1,000)			Employees (number)			Annual Payroll (\$1,000)		
	1997	2002	2007	1997	2002	2007	1997	2002	2007	1997	2002	2007
State of Hawai'i	875	889	1,295	720,673	1,200,861	1,957,146	9,071	9,063	15,517	191,527	232,491	458,819
United States	2,023	2,180	2,465	1,956,793	2,458,465	3,543,850	20,698	19,891	26,034	497,950	582,098	796,656
Continental United States	1,148	1,291	1,170	1,236,120	1,257,604	1,586,704	11,627	10,828	10,517	306,423	349,607	337,837

Source: US. Bureau of the Census. 1997 Economic Censuses. *Survey of Minority-Owned Business Enterprises. MB97-3.* (Washington, 1999). 2002 Economic Census. Survey of Business Owners. Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander-Owned Firms: 2002. SB02-00CS-NHPI (Washington, 2006). U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 Survey of Business Owners