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NONEMPLOYER BUSINESS RECEIPTS
NEAR ONE TRILLION DOLLARS

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THERE WERE MORE THAN 20-MILLION NONEMPLOYER BUSINESSES IN THE U-S IN 2006. THOSE BUSINESSES HAD TOTAL RECEIPTS OF MORE THAN 970-BILLION DOLLARS, ACCORDING TO THE U-S CENSUS BUREAU. CHILD DAY CARE SERVICES REPORTED NEARLY 700-THOUSAND BUSINESSES IN 2006, WITH EIGHT-POINT-FIVE BILLION DOLLARS IN RECEIPTS. ANOTHER INDUSTRY REPORTING LARGE NUMBERS OF NONEMPLOYER BUSINESSES WAS THE TAXI AND LIMOUSINE SERVICE INDUSTRY. FOUR OF THE FIVE COUNTIES WITH THE HIGHEST NUMBERS OF BUSINESSES IN THIS INDUSTRY WERE IN THE NEW YORK CITY AREA, AND REPRESENTED NEARLY ONE-THIRD OF ALL SUCH BUSINESSES. THESE NUMBERS COME FROM AN ANNUAL REPORT THAT COVERS BUSINESSES WITH NO PAID EMPLOYEES. FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT W-W-W-DOT-CENSUS-DOT-GOV.

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