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## Redundant workers given fresh jobs hope

TWEED residents who lost their jobs as a result of the global financial crisis stand a good chance of finding work again with a majority of employers.

According to a national survey of 308 businesses by the Salvation Army Employment Plus (TSAEP), 82 per cent of employers said they would hire workers made redundant during last year's economic breakdown which forced many companies to wield the axe among its workforce.

"Our experience shows this is a real concern for workers who lost out in the GFC," said TSAEP spokeswoman Kirrilee Trist.

"They fear there's some kind of black mark against their name even though it was beyond their control.

"They will find this very heartening."

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