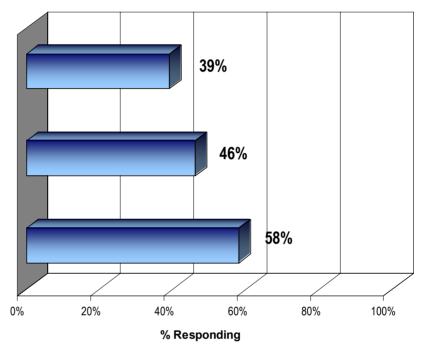
## Agreement with Statements About Offshore Outsourcing by US Companies

% Agree Strongly or Somewhat

US companies should be free to send work overseas which is normally done by American employees

US companies sending work overseas is not as much of a crisis as the media has made it out to be

The federal government should penalize US companies that send work overseas that could be done by American workers



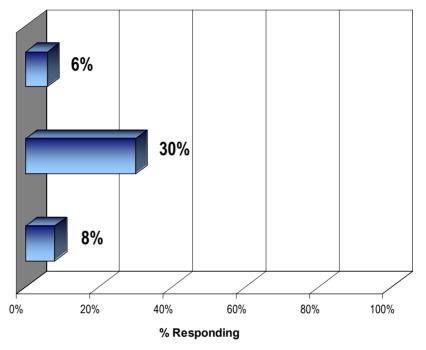
- 58% of American workers feel that companies outsourcing work that could be done by American workers to offshore providers should be penalized by the federal government.
- 39% believe that American companies should be free to outsource work overseas.
- Just under half of those surveyed believe the media has exaggerated the problem of offshore outsourcing by US companies.

## Experience With Job Displacement Due to Offshore Outsourcing

I have lost a job because the work was sent outside the United States

A family member, friend or co-worker has lost a job because the work was sent outside the United States

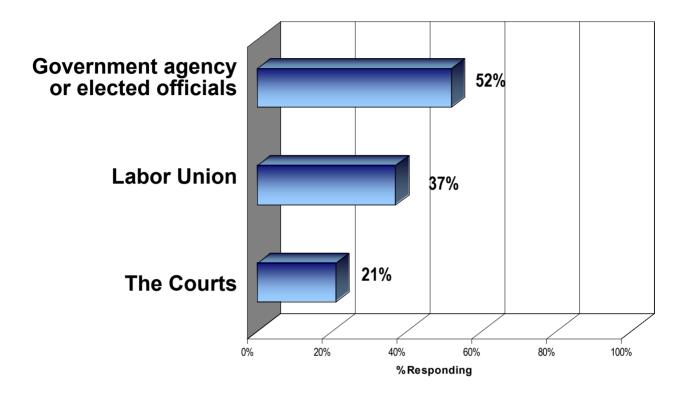
I feel my job security is currently threatened because my employer may send my work overseas



- Although only 6% of workers surveyed have lost a job because their work was sent overseas, 30% know of someone else who has lost a job due to offshore outsourcing.
- About one out of ten American workers currently feels their job security is threatened because their employer is considering sending their work to an overseas subcontractor.

## Help Sources Would Use if Job Threatened by Offshore Outsourcing

% Very or Somewhat Likely to Turn to Source



- Half of American workers surveyed would turn to government agencies or their elected officials for help if their job was threatened by offshore outsourcing.
- Although only 12% of workers surveyed currently belong to a union, 37% would turn to a labor union for help if they thought they might lose their job due to overseas subcontracting.
- About two in ten of American workers would consider legal action in a situation where their job security was threatened by the possibility of an employer sending their work overseas.