

**Table 15.26-- BUSINESS CLIMATE INDEXES: 1993 TO 1997**

Index	1993	1994	1995	1996		1997	
				Index	Rank	Index	Rank
Economic performance	A	A	A	B	14	C	23
Business vitality	F	F	F	F	50	F	48
Development capacity	B	B	B	C	21	B	20

Source: The Corporation for Enterprise Development, *The 1997 Development Report Card for the States* (11th ed., 1997), pp. 15, 17, 19.