

D. Specific Anticipated Effects

While a majority, albeit a slim one, anticipate positive general effects of the FTA, perceptions of specific possible outcomes or consequences of free trade are not, in every case, so positive. As in May, and in previous surveys respondents were asked to consider a number of possible outcomes or consequences of free trade and asked to indicate the extent to which they feel these outcomes are likely to occur. The responses to these statements appear in Table 8, which also includes data from previous surveys conducted over the past year.