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Hiring floodgates opening across Yorkshire and the Humber

Employers anticipate the strongest labour market in 12 years, reporting a Net Employment Outlook of +12% for the next three months. Hiring prospects improve by a considerable margin of 13 percentage points when compared with the previous quarter and by five percentage points in comparison with this time one year ago.



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MARKET OVERVIEW

Employers are confident on labour market gains in the next quarter, with Brexit having a positive impact on hiring trends. Organisations are trying to switch from temporary staff to permanent roles in efforts to shore up talent while candidates while EU talent pools are still available to them. The region is highly reliant on overseas talent. Employers are consequently acting fast now to guarantee the skills they need long-term.

In the backdrop of this improving economic picture, the region's main commerce hubs like Leeds are experiencing notable hiring upticks. Elsewhere, import and export hubs such as Grimsby are registering increased demand for new staff as business picks up again, creating opportunities right across the supply chain.