

# Managing Change: Responding to reduced public expenditure in Yorkshire and Humber



## Annex C: Regional Trends

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**Table C1: The changing role of the public sector 1998-2008**

	% Public Sector 1998	% Public Sector 2008	Percentage Point Change
Wales	29.7	33.8	4.0
North East	28.5	32.7	4.2
Scotland	26.4	30.8	4.5
South West	25.8	29.3	3.5
Yorkshire and Humber	24.8	29.1	4.4
North West	25.0	28.7	3.7
West Midlands	22.5	27.5	4.9
East Midlands	23.6	27.2	3.6
South East	23.5	26.0	2.5
East of England	22.2	25.8	3.5
London	20.8	22.6	1.8
<b>Great Britain</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>27.5</b>	<b>3.5</b>

**Table C2: Unemployment increases in recession February 2008-February 2010**

	February 2008		February 2010		Claimants	Change Rate
	Claimants	Rate	Claimants	Rate		
Northern Ireland	24,641	2.2	56,860	5.2	32,219	3.0
Yorkshire and Humber	81,294	2.5	164,637	5.1	83,343	2.6
West Midlands	99,629	3.0	183,246	5.6	83,617	2.6
North East	51,364	3.2	89,639	5.6	38,275	2.4
East Midlands	56,078	2.0	115,431	4.2	59,353	2.2
Wales	43,002	2.4	82,986	4.6	39,984	2.2
Scotland	76,111	2.4	146,910	4.5	70,799	2.1
North West	112,475	2.7	204,157	4.8	91,682	2.1
East	59,586	1.7	124,614	3.6	65,028	1.9
London	132,539	2.6	229,114	4.5	96,575	1.9
South East	69,827	1.4	161,432	3.2	91,605	1.8
South West	42,393	1.4	98,015	3.1	55,622	1.7
<b>Great Britain</b>	<b>824,298</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>1,600,181</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>775,883</b>	<b>2.1</b>

Source: Claimant Count (February 2008-February 2010)

**Table C3: The Yorkshire and Humber public sector compared (2008)**

	<b>Total public sector employees</b>	<b>% Central government</b>	<b>% Local government</b>	<b>% Emergency services</b>	<b>% Health</b>	<b>% Education</b>
North East	335,700	10.0	28.9	4.2	27.8	29.1
North West	857,300	7.3	25.2	4.9	29.2	33.4
<b>Yorkshire &amp; Humber</b>	<b>646,300</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>28.8</b>	<b>36.2</b>
East Midlands	509,700	5.8	28.1	4.5	27.7	34.0
West Midlands	641,600	7.2	24.2	4.8	26.7	37.1
East of England	610,000	5.6	26.5	4.1	25.6	38.2
London	942,900	7.0	27.2	6.9	26.1	32.8
South East	968,000	5.6	25.2	4.3	27.0	38.0
South West	648,800	7.9	26.7	4.1	27.4	33.9
Wales	394,600	6.9	29.5	4.4	28.6	30.6
Scotland	738,300	6.0	29.9	4.3	33.1	26.8
<b>Great Britain</b>	<b>7,293,200</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>26.5</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>34.0</b>

*Source: Annual Business Inquiry – Workplace Analysis (2008)*

**Note:** Excludes the self-employed, HM Forces and people on government training schemes

**Table C4: Composition of the Yorkshire and Humber public sector (2008)**

2008	Workplace jobs	% Y&H public sector employment	% Y&H total employment
<b>CENTRAL GOVERNMENT</b>	<b>48,000</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>2.2</b>
7512 : Regulation of the activities of agencies that provide health care, education, cultural services and other social services excluding social security	18,500	2.9	0.8
7513 : Regulation of and contribution to more efficient operation of business	7,700	1.2	0.3
7514 : Supporting service activities for the government as a whole	1,500	0.2	0.1
7521 : Foreign affairs	0	0.0	0.0
7522 : Defence activities	4,000	0.6	0.2
7523 : Justice and judicial activities	10,200	1.6	0.5
7530 : Compulsory social security activities	6,100	0.9	0.3
<b>LOCAL GOVERNMENT</b>	<b>148,800</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>6.7</b>
3710 : Recycling of metal waste and scrap	1,300	0.2	0.1
3720 : Recycling of non-metal waste and scrap	1,400	0.2	0.1
7511 : General (overall) public service activities	42,600	6.6	1.9
8531 : Social work activities with accommodation	37,400	5.8	1.7
8532 : Social work activities without accommodation	57,300	8.9	2.6
9232 : Operation of arts facilities	600	0.1	0.0
9251 : Library and archive activities	4,800	0.7	0.2
9252 : Museum activities and preservation of historical sites and buildings	2,500	0.4	0.1
9253 : Botanical and zoological gardens and nature reserve activities	800	0.1	0.0
<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	<b>29,100</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>1.3</b>
7524 : Public security, law and order activities	23,300	3.6	1.0
7525 : Fire service activities	5,800	0.9	0.3
<b>HEALTH</b>	<b>186,400</b>	<b>28.8</b>	<b>8.4</b>
8511 : Hospital activities	134,500	20.8	6.1
8512 : Medical practice activities	16,700	2.6	0.8
8513 : Dental practice activities	5,400	0.8	0.2
8514 : Other human health activities	29,800	4.6	1.3
<b>EDUCATION</b>	<b>234,000</b>	<b>36.2</b>	<b>10.5</b>
8010 : Primary education	106,600	16.5	4.8
8021 : General secondary education	50,800	7.9	2.3
8022 : Technical and vocational secondary education	17,000	2.6	0.8
8030 : Higher education	43,100	6.7	1.9
8042 : Adult and other education not elsewhere classified	16,400	2.5	0.7
<b>PUBLIC SECTOR</b>	<b>646,300</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>29.1</b>
<b>TOTAL (ALL SECTORS)</b>	<b>2,219,400</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: Annual Business Inquiry – Workplace Analysis (2008)

**Note:** Excludes the self-employed, HM Forces and people on government training schemes

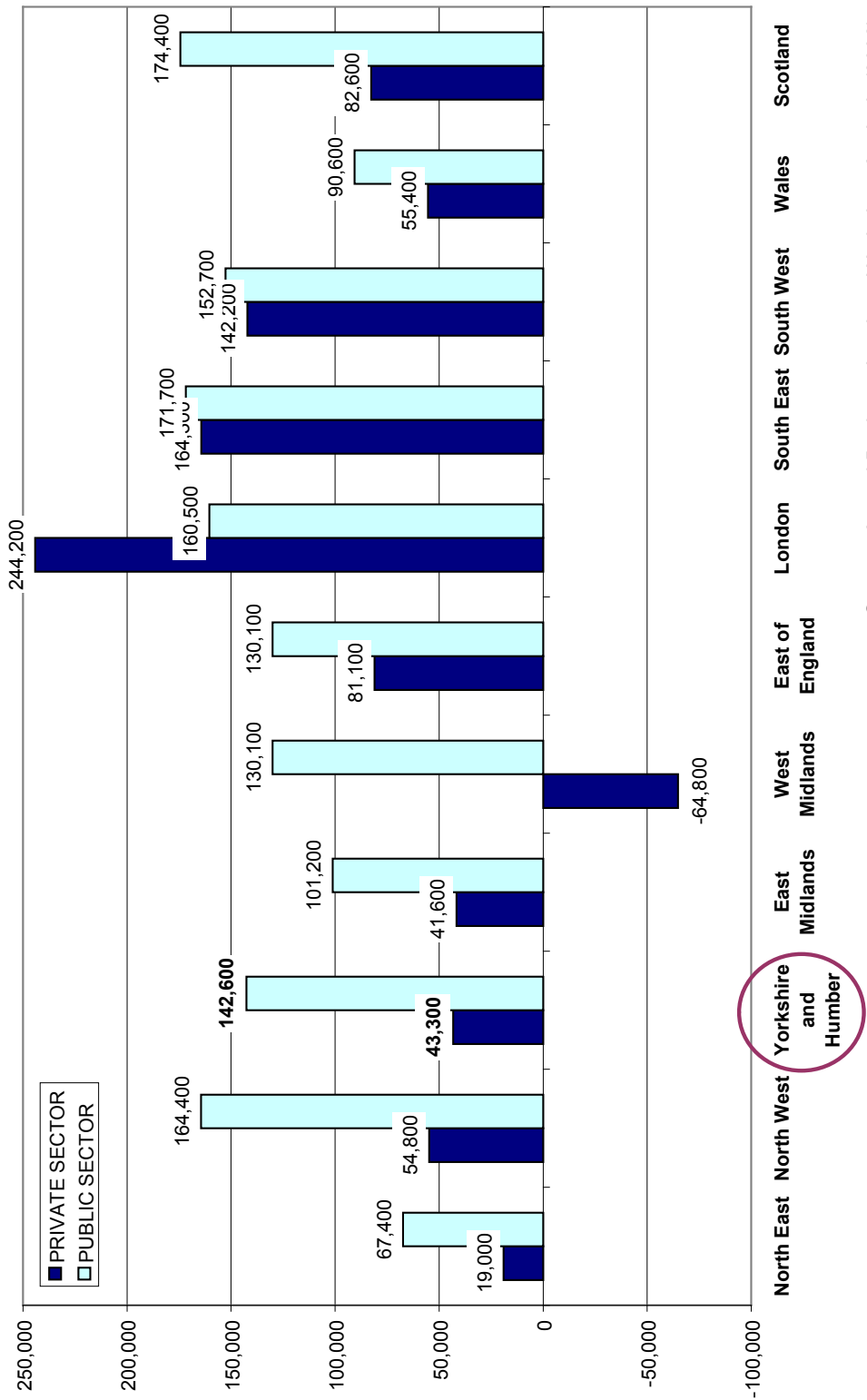
**Table C5: Changing composition of the Yorkshire and Humber public sector**

	Workplace jobs (1998)	Workplace jobs (2008)	Net change	New jobs as % new public sector jobs	New jobs as % total new jobs
<b>CENTRAL GOVERNMENT</b>	<b>42,400</b>	<b>48,000</b>	<b>5,600</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.0</b>
7512 : Regulation of the activities of agencies that provide health care, education, cultural services and other social services excluding social security	15,700	18,500	2,800	2.0	1.5
7513 : Regulation of and contribution to more efficient operation of business	5,900	7,700	1,800	1.3	1.0
7514 : Supporting service activities for the government as a whole	900	1,500	600	0.4	0.3
7521 : Foreign affairs	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
7522 : Defence activities	5,900	4,000	-1,900	-1.3	-1.0
7523 : Justice and judicial activities	5,700	10,200	4,500	3.2	2.4
7530 : Compulsory social security activities	8,200	6,100	-2,100	-1.5	-1.1
<b>LOCAL GOVERNMENT</b>	<b>116,900</b>	<b>148,800</b>	<b>31,900</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>17.2</b>
3710 : Recycling of metal waste and scrap	900	1,300	400	0.3	0.2
3720 : Recycling of non-metal waste and scrap	600	1,400	800	0.6	0.4
7511 : General (overall) public service activities	32,100	42,600	10,500	7.4	5.6
8531 : Social work activities with accommodation	38,200	37,400	-800	-0.6	-0.4
8532 : Social work activities without accommodation	38,600	57,300	18,700	13.1	10.1
9232 : Operation of arts facilities	400	600	200	0.1	0.1
9251 : Library and archive activities	3,300	4,800	1,500	1.1	0.8
9252 : Museum activities and preservation of historical sites and buildings	2,200	2,500	300	0.2	0.2
9253 : Botanical and zoological gardens and nature reserve activities	400	800	400	0.3	0.2
<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	<b>25,000</b>	<b>29,100</b>	<b>4,100</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.2</b>
7524 : Public security, law and order activities	18,700	23,300	4,600	3.2	2.5
7525 : Fire service activities	6,200	5,800	-400	-0.3	-0.2
<b>HEALTH</b>	<b>145,300</b>	<b>186,400</b>	<b>41,100</b>	<b>28.8</b>	<b>22.1</b>
8511 : Hospital activities	111,600	134,500	22,900	16.1	12.3
8512 : Medical practice activities	14,400	16,700	2,300	1.6	1.2
8513 : Dental practice activities	5,000	5,400	400	0.3	0.2
8514 : Other human health activities	14,300	29,800	15,500	10.9	8.3
<b>EDUCATION</b>	<b>174,200</b>	<b>234,000</b>	<b>59,800</b>	<b>41.9</b>	<b>32.2</b>
8010 : Primary education	64,700	106,600	41,900	29.4	22.5
8021 : General secondary education	36,300	50,800	14,500	10.2	7.8
8022 : Technical and vocational secondary education	13,200	17,000	3,800	2.7	2.0
8030 : Higher education	42,900	43,100	200	0.1	0.1
8042 : Adult and other education not elsewhere classified	17,000	16,400	-600	-0.4	-0.3
<b>PUBLIC SECTOR</b>	<b>503,700</b>	<b>646,300</b>	<b>142,600</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>76.7</b>
<b>TOTAL (ALL SECTORS)</b>	<b>2,033,500</b>	<b>2,219,400</b>	<b>185,900</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: Annual Business Inquiry – Workplace Analysis (2008)

**Note:** Excludes the self-employed, HM Forces and people on government training schemes

Figure C6: Net change in public and private sector employment 1998-2008



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