## 61,000 fewer employed than in January 2009 Total Nonfarm Employment, Seasonally Adjusted 134,000 Jan 2009 133,561,000 Sept 2012 workers 133,500,000 132,000 Employees, Thousands workers 130,000 128,000 126,000 Sep Sep Sep Jan Mar May Nov Jan Mar May Sep Nov Jan Mar May Nov Jan Mar May Jul Jul Jul Jul 2009 2010 2011 2012

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Table B-1 "Employees on nonfarm payrolls," accessed September 5, 2012, http://www.bls.gov/news.release/empsit.t17.htm. For historical numbers data retrieval via establishment data <u>http://www.bls.gov/webapps/legacy/cesbtab1.htm</u>. Produced by Veronique de Rugy, Mercatus Center at George Mason University.