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The Milwaukee Journal Sentinel confirms, writing on Wisconsin's entrepreneurial downturn as evidenced in the report by the nation's third largest decrease in entrepreneurial activity, "The state saw an 0.08 percentage point decline in entrepreneurial activity in the three years through 2013 vs. the three years through 2003 — one of the worst declines in the country, it said."

Read the entire Milwaukee Journal Sentinel article here.

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