



**WEST COAST PORTS
UNITE TO SOLVE
CHALLENGES**



**E-COMMERCE
DEVELOPMENT & THE
"AMAZON EFFECT"**



**INVESTIGATION
OF INDUSTRIAL
PROPERTIES**

AREA DEVELOPMENT

SITE AND FACILITY PLANNING

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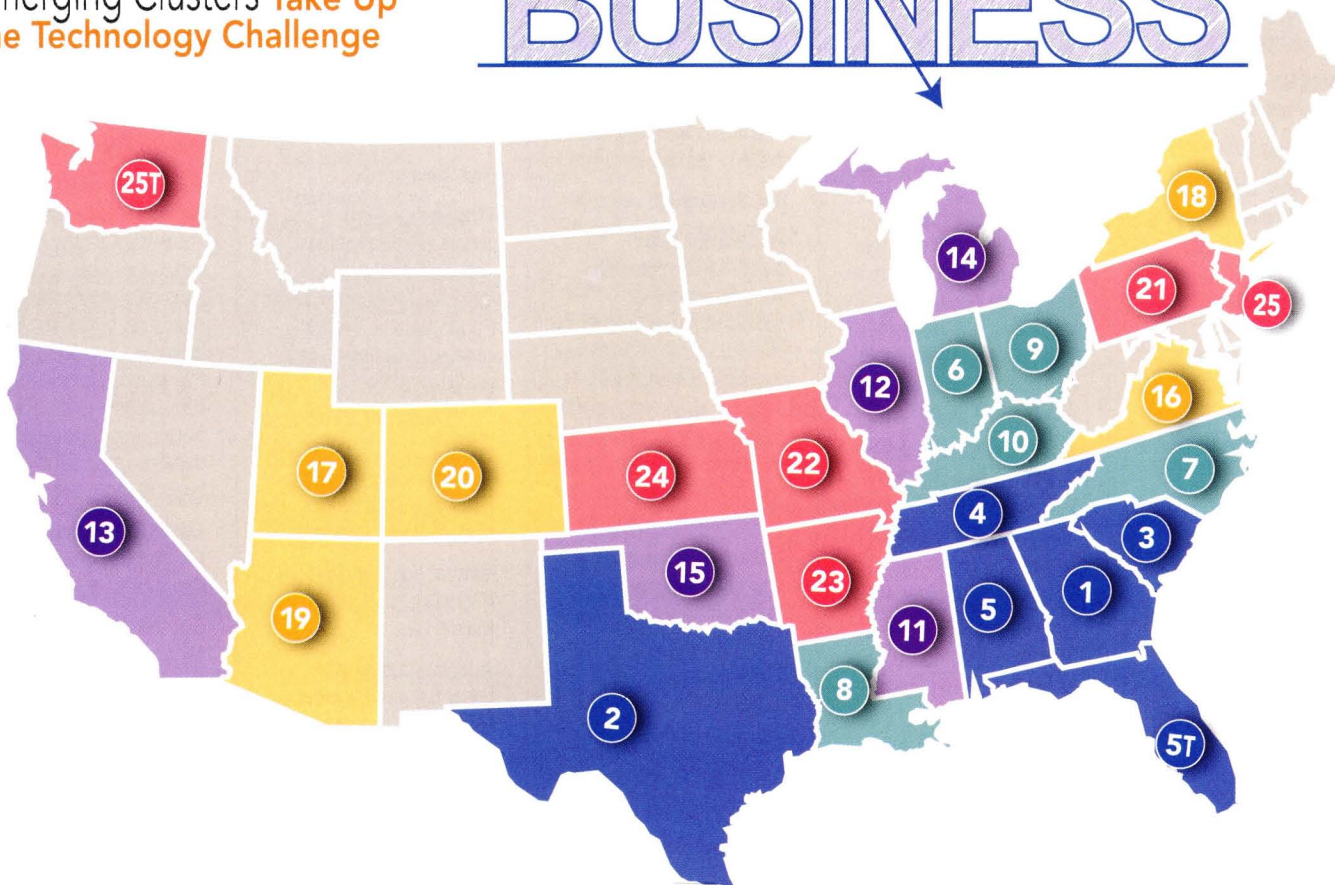
PLUS

Call Centers **Increasingly
Returning Home**

Compliance: **Where
Incentives Are Won or Lost**

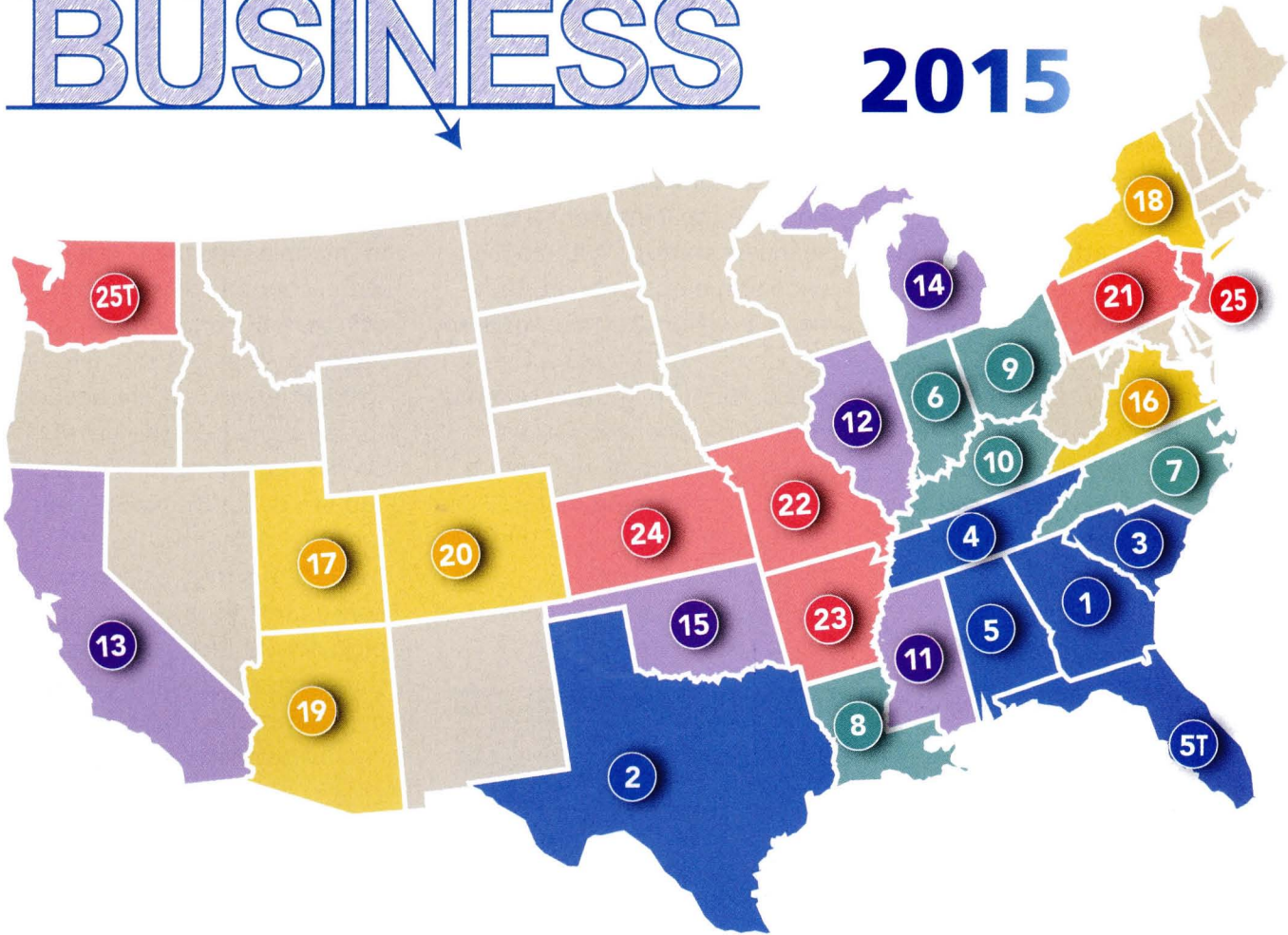
Emerging Clusters **Take Up
the Technology Challenge**

TOP STATES FOR DOING BUSINESS



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TOP STATES

1	georgia	6	indiana
2	texas	7	north carolina
3	south carolina	8	louisiana
4	tennessee	9	ohio
5	alabama	10	kentucky
5T	florida		

best overall

BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT

texas • south carolina • georgia
louisiana • tennessee

LABOR CLIMATE

georgia • south carolina • texas
north carolina • alabama

INFRASTRUCTURE/GLOBAL ACCESS

tennessee • georgia • texas
indiana • illinois