# SMALL BUSINESSES WANT TO REMAIN IN THE EU.

INDEPENDENT SURVEY OF SMALL BUSINESSES:

TO COMMANT TO REMAIN IN THE EU

ONLY 6% WANT TO LEAVE THE EU

19%

Survey by: Aston University/Goldman Sachs

**BRITAIN STRONGER IN EUROPE** 

# Being in the EU is vital for UK jobs and small businesses in London



Of all British small and medium-sized businesses that export do so to the EU.

(Source: Federation of Small Businesses).



"Being in the EU allows me to keep growing my business, creating more jobs here in south London."

### Jalal,

Business founder and CEO, London

### **O STRONGER ECONOMY**

Small firms need a strong economy to grow and create jobs, but leaving Europe would hit our economy so households would be £4,300 worse off and public services would be hit by £36 billion in cuts (Sources: HM Treasury).

# OPPORTUNITIES FOR SMALL BUSINESSES

Being in the EU single market means UK small businesses can trade in a market of 500 million consumers across the EU, without barriers or tariffs.

### **MORE TRADE**

Over 200,000 British businesses trade with the EU, with 100,000 small businesses exporting to the EU in 2014 (Source: HMRC).

### **O** MORE JOBS

Over 3 million UK jobs are linked to our trade with the EU, 650,000 in London (Source: HM Treasury).

### **O BETTER FOR CONSUMERS**

The London School of Economics has shown that being in Europe means lower prices in shops, with the average UK household saving over £350 a year. (Source: London School of Economics).

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Vote Remain to keep our small businesses strong, jobs protected and prices down.

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