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## Layoff Announcements Not in Recession Territory——

Each week for 15 years we've tallied layoff announcements. To be sure, they're still occurring, eg, JC Penney to cut 200 jobs and Yahoo to cut 1,000 jobs. But they're not surging like they did before 2001's recession, and they're running lower than they were in 1995's mid-cycle slowdown.

