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LABOUR IS 'SCARING OFF' BIG BUSINESS

Sudden collapse in confidence over UK
economy, survey of bosses reveals as
tax rises and workplace reform loom

BUSINESS confidence is collapsing under Labour, bosses warned last night.

Optimism about the economy has been 'snuffed out'

By **Jason Groves** and
John-Paul Ford Rojas

by fears of a tax-raising Budget next month and concern about Labour's plans for a union-friendly package of workers' rights.

It fuels worries that downbeat statements on the economy from Sir Keir Starmer and Rachel Reeves risk becoming a self-fulfilling prophecy.

Despite Britain recording the fastest growth in the G7, the

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