

# Takin Care of Business

Bachman Turner Overdrive (BTO)

Key: Cm  
128 BPM

## INTRO

**C7** **Bb7 F7 C7**

(guitar1) (+drums and piano)

**C7** **Bb7 F7 C7**

(+bass)

**C7** **Bb7 F7 C7**

(+guitar2)

**C7 Bb7** **F7 C7**

(all instruments)

## VERSE 1

**C7**

**Bb7**

You get up every morning from your 'larm clock's warning.

**F7**

**C7**

Take the 8:15 into the city.

**C7**

**Bb7**

There's a whistle up above and people pushin' people shovin'

**F7**

**C7**

and the girls who try to look pretty.

**C7**

**Bb7**

And if your train's on time, you can get to work by nine

**F7**

**C7**

and start your slaving job to get your pay.

**C7**

**Bb7**

If you ever get annoyed, look at me, I'm self-employed

**F7**

**C7**

I love to work at nothin' all day.

## **CHORUS 1**

**C7**

**Bb7**

And I'll be TCOB, every day.

**F7**

**C7**

Takin' care of business, every way.

**C7 Bb7**

I've been TCOB. It's all mine.

**F7**

**C7**

Takin' care of business and workin' overtime. Work out.

## **SOLO 1**

**C7 Bb7 F7 C7**

(guitar solo)

**C7 Bb7 F7 C7**

(guitar solo)

## **VERSE 2**

**C7**

**Bb7**

If it were easy as fishin', you could be a musician

**F7**

**C7**

If you could make sounds loud or mellow

**C7**

**Bb7**

Get a second-hand guitar, chances are you'll go far

**F7**

**C7**

If you get in with the right bunch of fellows

**C7**

**Bb7**

People see you having fun, just a-lying in the sun

**F**

**C7**

Tell them that you like it this way

**C7**

**Bb7**

It's the work that we avoid and we're all self-employed.

**F7**

**C7**

We love to work at nothin' all day.

## **CHORUS 2**

**C7 Bb7**

And we be TCOB, every day!

**F**

**C7**

Takin' care of business, every way.

**C7 Bb7**

We be TCOB. It's all mine!

**F7**

**C7**

TCOB and working overtime.

## SOLO 2

**C      Bb F C**

(guitar solo)

**C      Bb F C**

(guitar solo)

## INTERLUDE 1

(NC)

\*(DRUMS ONLY...)

(NC)      (NC)      (NC)

Wooooooh! Alright! Owe! (yeah love me!)

**C(1)   F(3)   Eb(1)   Bb(3)**

(power chords and drums)

**C(1)   F(3)   Eb(1)   Bb(3)**

(power chords and drums)

**C(1) F(3)   Eb(1)   Bb(3)**

(+bass) Take good care of my business

**C(1)   F(3)   Eb(1)   Bb(3)**

When I'm away, every day Whooooo!

## SOLO 3

**C              Bb F C**

(solo+band)

**C              Bb F C**

(solo+band)

## VERSE 3

**C**

**Bb**

You get up every morning from your 'larm clock's warning

**F**

**C**

Take the 8:15 into the city

**C**

**Bb**

There's a whistle up above and people pushin', people shovin'

**F**

**C**

And the girls who try to look pretty

**C**

**Bb**

And if your train's on time, you can get to work by nine

**F**

**C**

and start your slaving job to get your pay

**C**

**Bb**

If you ever get annoyed, look at me, I'm self-employed

**F**

**C**

I love to work at nothin' all day.

## CHORUS 3

**C**

**Bb**

And I'll be TCOB, every day.

**F**

**C**

TCOB, every way.

**C Bb**

I've been TCOB, it's all mine.

**F C**

TCOB and workin' overtime.

(LEAD GUITAR: hold the note)

## **INTERLUDE 2**

(NC) (NC) (NC) (NC)

\*(DRUMS ONLY)

(in unison)

(NC) (NC) (NC) (NC)

TCOB whoo. TCOB

(in harmony)

(NC) (NC) (NC) (NC)

TCOB yeah TCOB

**C Bb F C**

TCOB, every day. TCOB, every way.

**C Bb F**

TCOB. It's all mine! TCOB

**C**

and workin' overtime. Whooooo!

## OUTRO

**C      Bb F C**

TCOB   TCOB

**C      Bb   F   C**

TCOB   We be TCOB

**C      Bb F C**

We be TCOB   TCOB

**C7**

Yeah ee-yeah, yeah!

END