

## Self-Assessment Checklist

Take a few moments to think about the statements below. See which statements you agree with and which statements you disagree with.

	Strongly Agree	Somewhat Agree	Do Not Agree
I am a risk-taker.			
I am a self-starter.			
I like to be in control.			
I am intuitive.			
I am organized.			
I am adaptable and learn from my mistakes.			
I am flexible and open to new ideas.			
I have a competitive spirit.			
I have a marketable skill.			
I am good with people.			
I am persistent and don't give up easily.			
I have the support of my family.			
I am a good salesperson.			
I can deal calmly with criticism and rejection.			
I am not afraid to make decisions.			
I have the discipline to see a job through to the end.			
I am good at networking, meeting, and talking with people.			
When there's something I want, I keep my goal clearly in mind.			
If something can't be done, I find a way.			
To solve a problem, I explore unfamiliar subjects.			
I recognize my weaknesses and can find others who complement my skills.			
I do not mind working long hours and weekends.			
I am willing to undergo sacrifices for long-term rewards.			

The more "Strongly Agree" and "Somewhat Agree" items that you have checked, the more prepared you are right now to start your own business. Consider the items in the "Do Not Agree" column as challenges.