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Hello, my name is (first and last name) and I'm a (student/on the staff of) Rutgers University--I'm taking a short survey for the Eagleton Institute about problems facing New Jersey--Your participation is very important because only 1,000 people have been randomly selected for this survey and your views will represent many people throughout the state

1. To begin with, far how many years have you lived in New Jersey, or have you lived here all of your life?

- 1 LESS THAN ONE
- 2 ONE OR TWO
- 3 3-5
- 4 6-10
- 5 11 - 20
- 6 21 - 30
- 7 MORE THAN 30
- 8 ALL MY LIFE
- 9 DON'T KNOW

2. New Jersey will be electing a Governor and Legislature later this year. How interested have you been in the primary election for Governor coming up in June--very interested, somewhat interested, not very interested, or not at all interested?

- 2 VERY INTERESTED
- 4 SOMEWHAT INTERESTED
- 6 NOT VERY INTERESTED
- 8 NOT AT ALL INTERESTED
- 9 DON'T KNOW

3. Where have you gotten most of your information about this election--from radio, TV, newspapers, magazines or from other people?

- 1 RADIO
- 2 TV
- 3 NEWSPAPERS
- 4 MAGAZINES
- 5 PEOPLE
- 6 COMBINATION: TV MENTIONED
- 7 COMBINATION: TV NOT MENTIONED
- 8 OTHER
- 9 DON'T KNOW/NO INFORMATION

4. If you were a candidate for Governor, what would be the two or three most important issues you would talk about--PROBE: What else would you talk about --

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- A FIRST MENTION?
- B SECOND MENTION

A5. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] I'm going to read you a list of issues the next Governor will face--For each one please tell me whether YOU are very

concerned, somewhat concerned, or just a little concerned--First how about (___)
are you very, somewhat or just a little concerned -- |

- A public education in NJ?
- B corruption in government?
- C problems of the elderly?
- D unemployment in New Jersey?
- E preservation of and farm open land?
- F air and water pollution?
- G holding down crime?

- 1 VERY CONCERNED
- 2 SOMEWHAT CONCERNED
- 3 JUST A LITTLE CONCERNED
- 9 DON'T KNOW

B5. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] I'm going to read you a list of issues
the next Governor will face--For each one please tell me whether YOU are very
concerned, somewhat concerned, or just a little concerned--First how about (___)
are you very, somewhat or just a little concerned|

- A state and local taxes?
- B problems of the poor?
- C the water shortage in parts of the state?
- D the problem of hazardous and toxic wastes?
- E the condition of state roads and highways?
- F holding down crime?
- G public transportation?

- 1 VERY CONCERNED
- 2 SOMEWHAT CONCERNED
- 3 JUST A LITTLE CONCERNED
- 9 DON'T KNOW

5x. Are you registered to vote at your current address?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

A6. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] Can you recall the names of any of the
candidates running for the Republican nomination for Governor--PROBE: Anybody
else--Can you think of anybody else who might be running - NAMES |

- A Anthony Imperiale?
- B Thomas Kean (Kane)?
- C Pat Kramer?
- D Richard McGlynn?
- E Barry Parker?
- F John Rafferty?
- G Bo Sullivan?
- H James Wallwork?

B6. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] Can you recall the names of any of the candidates running for the Democratic nomination for Governor--PROBE: Anybody else--Can you think of anybody else who might be running - NAMES |

I John Degnan?
 J Pat Dodd?
 K James Florio?
 L Kenneth Gibson?
 M Bill Hamilton?
 N Ann Klein?
 O Joseph Merlino?
 P Barbara McConnell?
 Q Robert Roe?
 R Tommy Smith?
 S Stella Mann?

A7. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] FOR EACH REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE MENTIONED:
 Is your general impression of (name) favorable or unfavorable; or don't you have an opinion about him -- |

A Anthony Imperiale?
 B Thomas Kean (Kane)?
 C Pat Kramer?
 D Richard McGlynn?
 E Barry Parker?
 F John Rafferty?
 G Bo Sullivan?
 H James Wallwork?

B7. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] FOR EACH DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE MENTIONED:
 Is your general impression of (name) favorable or unfavorable; or don't you have an opinion about him/her -- |

I John Degnan?
 J Pat Dodd?
 K James Florio?
 L Kenneth Gibson?
 M Bill Hamilton?
 N Ann Klein?
 O Joseph Merlino?
 P Barbara McConnell?
 Q Robert Roe?
 R Tommy Smith?
 S Stella Mann?

Turning now to another topic,

8. As you probably know, there is a water shortage in many parts of New Jersey-- How serious is the shortage in your community--very serious, somewhat serious or is it not really a problem where you live?

1 VERY SERIOUS
 2 SOMEWHAT SERIOUS
 3 NOT A PROBLEM
 9 DON'T KNOW

9. In what township or municipality do you live?

10. What county is that?

11. Is there water rationing now in your community?

- 1 YES [Go to q.13]
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

(IF "NO" OR "DON'T KNOW TO Q.11, ASK:)

12. (IF "NO" OR "DON'T KNOW TO Q.11, ASK:) Did there used to be rationing there?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

13. Do you know what the penalties are for those living in rationed areas who use too much water--IF YES, PROBE: What penalties are there?

14. Thinking back over the last few months would you say the water shortage has become worse, gotten better or stayed about the same--IF BETTER OR WORSE, PROBE: Would you say a lot (better/worse) or only a little (better/worse)?

- 1 MUCH WORSE [Go to q.15]
- 2 A LITTLE WORSE [Go to q.15]
- 3 STAYED THE SAME [Go to q.15]
- 4 A LITTLE BETTER [Go to q.14A]
- 5 MUCH BETTER [Go to q.14A]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.15]

(IF "A LITTLE BETTER" OR "MUCH BETTER" TO Q14, ASK:)

14A. Do you think the main crisis is past, or could things get just as bad in the near future?

- 1 CRISIS PAST
- 2 CRISIS COULD RETURN
- 9 DON'T KNOW

A15. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you received any information about the water shortage|

- A from newspapers?
- B from advertisements on television?
- C from television news?
- D from friends and other people?
- E from radio?
- F from a water company?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO

9 DON'T KNOW

A16. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] Have you taken any steps in your household to conserve water?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.18A]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.18A]

(IF "YES" TO Q16, ASK:)

A17. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] Compared to a month ago, would you say that people in your household are doing more, less or the same to conserve water--IF MORE OR LESS, PROBE: A lot (more/less) or only a little (more/less?)

- 1 LOT MORE
- 2 LITTLE MORE
- 3 SAME
- 4 LITTLE LESS
- 5 LOT LESS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

I'm going to read you a list of things some people have done in order to conserve water--Please tell me whether or not you are now doing each thing I read

A18. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] (I'm going to read you a list of things some people have done in order to conserve water--Please tell me whether or not you are now doing each thing I read) Please tell me whether or not you are now taking fewer or shorter showers or baths?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

A19. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] (I'm going to read you a list of things some people have done in order to conserve water--Please tell me whether or not you are now doing each thing I read) Please tell me whether or not you are now reusing bath or dishwater for other purposes?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

A20. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] (I'm going to read you a list of things some people have done in order to conserve water--Please tell me whether or not you are now doing each thing I read) Please tell me whether or not you are now using your washing machine or dishwasher less?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

A21. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] (I'm going to read you a list of things some people have done in order to conserve water--Please tell me whether or not you are now doing each thing I read) Please tell me whether or not you are now flushing your toilet less often?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

A22. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] (I'm going to read you a list of things some people have done in order to conserve water--Please tell me whether or not you are now doing each thing I read) Is there something in your toilet tank so that less water is used when it is flushed?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

A23. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] (I'm going to read you a list of things some people have done in order to conserve water--Please tell me whether or not you are now doing each thing I read) Have you heard or read anything about "flow restricters"--devices used to cut down on the amount of water coming out of a faucet?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.25A]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.25A]

(IF "YES" TO Q23A, ASK:)

A24. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] (I'm going to read you a list of things some people have done in order to conserve water--Please tell me whether or not you are now doing each thing I read) Do you have any FLOW RESTRICTORS in your house?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

A25. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] Do you have any idea about where you might go to get one of these devices if you wanted one?

A25a. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] where would you go to get one of these devices if you wanted one - 1st mention?

A25b. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM A ONLY:] where would you go to get one of these devices if you wanted one - 2nd mention?

I'd like to ask you a few questions about crime and safety.

B15. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] How safe do you feel in your neighborhood during the day--very safe, somewhat safe, or not at all safe?

- 1 VERY SAFE
- 2 SOMEWHAT SAFE
- 3 NOT AT ALL SAFE
- 9 DON'T KNOW

B16. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] How about your neighborhood at night--do you feel very safe, somewhat safe, or not at all safe?

- 1 VERY SAFE
- 2 SOMEWHAT SAFE
- 3 NOT AT ALL SAFE
- 9 DON'T KNOW

B17. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] In the past year would you say that the amount of crime in your neighborhood has gone up, gone down, or remained the same?

- 1 UP
- 2 DOWN
- 3 SAME
- 8 MOVED
- 9 DON'T KNOW

During the last six months have any of the following things happened to you or anyone in your household.

B18. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] During the last six months have any of the following things happened to you or anyone in your household. -- Have you had property vandalized?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

B19. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] During the last six months have any of the following things happened to you or anyone in your household. -- Have you money or property stolen?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

B20. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] During the last six months have any of the following things happened to you or anyone in your household. -- Have you your home broken into?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

B21. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] During the last six months have any of the following things happened to you or anyone in your household. -- Have you your car stolen or broken into?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

B22. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] During the last six months have any of the following things happened to you or anyone in your household. -- Have you been assaulted or mugged?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

IF YES TO ANY, ASK 23B; IF NOTHING CIRCLED GO TO Q24B

B23. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] ASSULT VICTIMS ONLY -- Was there a handgun used in this crime?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

B24. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] Do you favor or oppose a Law banning the sale and possession of handguns in New Jersey?

- 1 FAVOR
- 2 OPPOSE
- 9 DON" T KNOW

B25. [SPLIT HALF SAMPLE - FORM B ONLY:] Does anyone in your household have a firearm--IF YES, PROBE: Is this a handgun, something else, or both?

- 1 FIREARM -- HANDGUN ONLY
- 2 FIREARM -- HANDGUN AND SOMETHING ELSE
- 3 FIREARM - SOMETHING ELSE ONLY
- 4 NO FIREARM
- 5 REFUSED
- 9 DON'T KNOW

Now I'd like to ask you some questions about President Reagan.

26. [Now I'd like to ask you some questions about President Reagan.] In general, how would you rate the job Ronald Reagan is doing as President--excellent, good, not very good or poor?

- 1 EXCELLENT
- 2 GOOD
- 3 NOT VERY GOOD
- 4 POOR
- 9 DON'T KNOW

27. [Now I'd like to ask you some questions about President Reagan.] How about his handling of the nation's economy--excellent, good, not very good or poor?

- 1 EXCELLENT
- 2 GOOD
- 3 NOT VERY GOOD
- 4 POOR
- 9 DON'T KNOW

28. [Now I'd like to ask you some questions about President Reagan.] How about his handling of the nation's foreign affairs?

- 1 EXCELLENT
- 2 GOOD
- 3 NOT VERY GOOD
- 4 POOR
- 9 DON'T KNOW

29. [Now I'd like to ask you some questions about President Reagan.] How would you rate his handling of the nation's energy problems-excellent, good, not very good or poor?

- 1 EXCELLENT
- 2 GOOD
- 3 NOT VERY GOOD
- 4 POOR
- 9 DON'T KNOW

30. [Now I'd like to ask you some questions about President Reagan.] Reagan's handling of our relations with the Soviet Union?

- 1 EXCELLENT
- 2 GOOD
- 3 NOT VERY GOOD
- 4 POOR
- 9 DON'T KNOW

31. [Now I'd like to ask you some questions about President Reagan.] So overall, would you say that you approve or disapprove of the job Reagan is doing as President-- IF APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE, PROBE: Do you strongly (approve/disapprove) or mildly (approve/disapprove)?

- 1 STRONGLY APPROVE
- 2 MILDLY APPROVE
- 3 MILDLY DISAPPROVE
- 4 STRONGLY DISAPPROVE
- 9 DON'T KNOW

32. Now I'd like to ask you some questions about TV. A number of channels are reserved to be used for educational television--or public broadcasting--Do you know if any of these channels are located in New Jersey?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

33. Can you receive any UHF channels on your TV set (that is any channels between 14 and 83)--IF NOT, ASK: Is your reception of these channels just very poor or you can't get them at all?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO--VERY POOR RECEPTION
- 3 NO--CAN'T GET AT ALL
- 4 NO TELEVISION
- 9 DON'T KNOW

34. [AMONG THOSE WHO RECEIVE UHF:] In the last month, have you or any member of your family watched a UHF television station-- that is any channel between 14 and 83?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

35. The New Jersey Public Broadcasting Authority currently operates four television stations--In the past month have you watched any of these New Jersey Public Television channels 23, 50, 52 or 58?

- 1 YES [Go to q.37]
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW TO Q.35 ASK:)

36. Can you get any of the New Jersey Public Television Channels-23, 50, 52 or 58 on your television?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

37. Which ones [NJ Public TV Channels can you get]-- |

- A CHANNEL 23 (Camden)?
- B CHANNEL 50 (Montclair)?
- C CHANNEL 52 (Trenton)?
- D CHANNEL 58 (New Brunswick)?
- E DON'T KNOW ?

38. I'd like to get your reaction to some new ideas for television shows--After I describe each show please tell me if you think you would have a lot, some, a little Or no interest in watching it -- |

- A A program about scientific research being done by N.J. companies--how current discoveries and development affect daily life?
- B a series on the performing arts in New Jersey with taped performances of music and dance groups?
- C A knowledge-quiz program with teams of NJ high school students competing against each other, leading up to a state championship?
- D A show about cooking that would emphasize ethnic cooking and its relationship to New Jersey's ethnic communities?
- E A nightly magazine show about life in New Jersey--Segments would be on traffic, weather, gardening, business, personality profiles, consumer affairs, arts, the outdoors and health?
- F A show on the wide range of recreational opportunities available in N.J. for those who enjoy doing things in the outdoors?

- 1 A LOT
- 2 SOME
- 3 A LITTLE
- 4 NO INTERET
- 9 DON'T KNOW

39. Which New Jersey public TV channels have you watched in the past month-- |

- A CHANNEL 23 (Camden)?
- B CHANNEL 50 (Montclair)?
- C CHANNEL 52 (Trenton)?

D CHANNEL 58 (New Brunswick)?
E DON'T KNOW?

1 SAW
2 DID NOT SEE

(IF MORE THAN ONE CHANNEL ASK:)

40. Which one do you watch most often?

1 CHANNEL 23 (Camden)
2 CHANNEL 50 (Montclair)
3 CHANNEL 52 (Trenton)
4 CHANNEL 58 (New Brunswick)
5 NONE/ALL (VOLUNTEERED)
9 DON'T KNOW

41. Have you watched any of the New Jersey Public Television channels in the past week?

1 YES
2 NO [Go to q.43]
9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.43]

(IF YES TO Q.41, ASK:)

42. Which ones - [NJ Public TV channels watched past week] - |

A 23?
B 50?
C 52?
D 58?
E DON'T KNOW?

43. I'm going to read you another short list of ideas for new TV shows--Like before, just tell me how interested you are in each--First, how about DESIGNATED POINT A-E)--Would you have a lot, some, a little or no interest in this -- |

A A weekly re-cap of what's happened in the NJ legislature and State Government, with an interpretation of the effects of legislation on daily life?

B A showcase for pop music and comedy talent in New Jersey that would be filmed in nightclubs around the state?

C A show providing news and features about what's going on in the world of business in NJ--The program would be directed toward the businessman's point of view?

D A series for "do-it-yourselfers"--Different shows would look at different topics, such as how to make homes more energy efficient or tune up a car?

E Would anybody in your household be interested in a cooking show for children that would show them how to become involved in the basics of cooking, kitchen safety and nutritional information--IF YES PROBE: a lot, some, or just a little interested?

1 LOT
2 SOME
3 LITTLE
4 NO/NONE
9 DON'T KNOW

44. In the last month have you seen on Channels 23, 50, 52, or 58 the New Jersey Nightly News, a half hour news program devoted almost entirely to news about New Jersey?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

(IF YES TO Q44, ASK:)

45. What time do you usually watch it-- (If 6:00 P.M. ask: Is that on weekends or during the week?)

- 1 7:00 AM
- 2 6:00 PM WEEKENDS ONLY
- 3 6:00 PM WEEKDAYS ONLY
- 4 6:00 PM BOTH WEEKENDS AND WEEKDAYS
- 5 6:30 PM
- 6 7:30 PM
- 7 10:00 PM
- 8 OTHER
- 9 DON'T KNOW

46. In the last month, have you watched Channel 13, WNET?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.50]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.50]

(IF YES TO Q.46 ASK:)

47. In the last month have you seen on Channel 13 the New Jersey Nightly News, a half hour news program devoted almost entirely to news about New Jersey?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.50]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.50]

(IF YES TO Q.47, ASK:)

48. What time do you usually watch it--If 6:00 P.M. ask: Is that on weekends or during the week?

- 1 7:00 AM
- 2 6:00 PM WEEKENDS ONLY
- 3 6:00 PM WEEKDAYS ONLY
- 4 6:00 PM BOTH WEEKENDS AND WEEKDAYS
- 5 6:30 PM
- 6 7:30 PM
- 7 10:00 PM
- 8 OTHER
- 9 DON'T KNOW

49. Do you usually watch the New Jersey Nightly News on New Jersey Public Television or on Channel 13?

- 1 NJPTV
- 2 CHANNEL 13
- 3 BOTH (VOL.)
- 9 DON'T KNOW

50. [ASK ONLY OF NON-NJPTV VIEWERS] In the last month, have you watched Channel 13, WNET?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.53]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.53]

(IF YES TO Q.50 ASK:)

51. In the last month have you seen on Channel 13 the New Jersey Nightly News, a half hour news program devoted almost entirely to news about New Jersey?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.53]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.53]

(IF YES TO Q. 51, ASK:)

52. What time do you usually watch it--If 6:00 PM ask: Is that on weekends or during the week?

- 1 7:00 A.M.
- 2 6:00 P.M, WEEKENDS ONLY
- 3 6:00 P.M. WEEKDAYS ONLY
- 4 6:00 P.M. BOTH WEEKENDS AND WEEKDAYS
- 5 6:30 P.M.
- 6 7:30 P.M.
- 7 10:00 P.M.
- 8 OTHER
- 9 DON'T KNOW

53. In the last month have you seen a half hour news program devoted almost entirely to news about New Jersey, called the New Jersey Nightly News, on any channel?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.56]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.56]

(IF YES TO Q. 53, ASK:)

54. On what channel do you usually watch this program?

55. What time do you usually watch it--If 6:00 PM ask: Is that on weekends or during the week?

- 1 7:00 A.M.
- 2 6:00 P.M, WEEKENDS ONLY

- 3 6:00 P.M. WEEKDAYS ONLY
- 4 6:00 P.M. BOTH WEEKENDS AND WEEKDAYS
- 5 6:30 P.M.
- 6 7:30 P.M.
- 7 10:00 P.M.
- 8 OTHER
- 9 DON'T KNOW

56. Is Cable TV now operating in your area--IF NECESSARY, DEFINE AREA AS, "In your community or town"?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.59]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.59]

(IF "YES" TO Q56, ASK:)

57. Do you subscribe to cable service?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

(IF YES TO Q.57, ASK:)

58. Many people who have cable have told us that with so many channels they have changed the way they find out what is on TV--Is there anything you do differently now to find out what's on TV--IF YES, PROBE: What is that?

- 1 NO
 - 9 DON'T KNOW
- YES

Now just a few more questions so we can classify your answers

59. In politics as of today, do you consider yourself a Democrat, Republican, Independent or something else?

- 1 DEMOCRAT [Go to q.61]
- 2 REPUBLICAN [Go to q.61]
- 3 INDEPENDENT
- 4 SOMETHING ELSE/OTHER
- 9 DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION

(IF #3, 4, OR 9 TO Q. 59, ASK:)

60. Do you lean more toward the Democratic Party or more toward the Republican Party?

- 1 DEMOCRATIC PARTY
- 2 REPUBLICAN PARTY
- 3 OTHER
- 4 NEITHER
- 9 DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION

61. Regardless of the political party you might favor, do you consider yourself to be a liberal, conservative, or somewhere in between?

- 1 LIBERAL [Go to q.63]
- 2 CONSERVATIVE [Go to q.63]
- 3 SOMEWHERE IN BETWEEN
- 9 DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION

(IF #3 OR #9 TO Q61, ASK:)

62. Do you lean more toward the liberal side or more toward the conservative side?

- 1 LIBERAL
- 2 CONSERVATIVE
- 3 OTHER/NEITHER
- 9 DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION

63. Do you think most people in New Jersey are liberal, conservative, or somewhere in between?

- 1 LIBERAL
- 2 CONSERVATIVE
- 3 SOMEWHERE IN BETWEEN
- 9 DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION

64. Do you own or rent your apartment or house?

- 1 OWN
- 2 RENT
- 3 LIVE RENT FREE WITH PARENTS/RELATIVES [Go to q.66]
- 4 BOTH OWN AND RENT [Go to q.66]
- 9 NOT DETERMINED [Go to q.66]

IF OWN OR RENT TO Q.64, ASK:

65. Is this an apartment or house?

- 1 APARTMENT
- 2 HOUSE
- 3 CONDOMINIUM
- 9 NOT DETERMINED

66. Including yourself, how many people are there in your household?

- code number
- 8 8 OR MORE
- 9 REFUSED/DK)

(if "1", GO TO Q68)

67. How many people in your household are 17 or under?

- code number
- 8 8 OR MORE
- 9 REFUSED/DK

68. Is the chief wage earner in your household regularly employed?

- 1 YES
- 2 TEMPORARILY LAID OFF
- 3 NO [Go to q.70]
- 4 RETIRED [Go to q.70]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.70]

(IF YES OR TEMPORARILY LAID OFF TO Q.68, ASK:)

69. Does the chief wage earner get paid at an hourly rate, paid a salary, or is the chief wage earner self-employed?

- 1 HOURLY (and piecework)
- 2 SALARIED (and commissions)
- 3 SELF-EMPLOYED
- 9 DON'T KNOW

70. Have you been to a local motor vehicles agency in the past 12 months to renew your driver's license, vehicle registration, or transfer the title on a vehicle? (THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE DOING THIS BY MAIL OR GOING TO VEHICLE INSPECTIONS OR DRIVERS TESTS)

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.72]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.72]

IF NO OR DON'T NO TO Q.70, ASK:

71. Has anyone in your household been to a motor vehicles agency for one of these reasons in the past 12 months?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

72. Did you receive a high school diploma?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.74]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.74]

(IF YES TO Q.72, ASK:)

73. Did you ever attend college--IF YES, Did you graduate?

- 1 YES, GRADUATED
- 2 YES, DID NOT GRADUATE
- 3 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

74. What was your age on your last birthday?

75. In what age group are you [read choices]?

- 1 18 - 20
- 2 21 - 24
- 3 25 - 29
- 4 THIRTIES (30 - 39)

- 5 FORTIES (40 - 49)
- 6 FIFTIES (50 - 59)
- 7 60 OR OVER
- 9 NO ANSWER/REFUSED

76. Are you white, black or of Hispanic origin?

- 1 WHITE
- 2 BLACK
- 3 HISPANIC
- 4 OTHER (SPECIFY)
- 9 NOT DETERMINED

77. So that we can group all answers, what is your total annual family income before taxes: Under \$5,000; \$5,000 to \$10,000; \$10,000 to \$15,000; \$15,000 to \$20,000; \$20,000 to \$30,000 or over \$30,000?

- 1 UNDER \$5,000
- 2 \$5,000 - \$10,000
- 3 \$10,000 - \$15,000
- 4 \$15,000 - \$20,000
- 5 \$20,000 - \$30,000
- 6 OVER \$30,000
- 9 DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

78. As you probably have heard, Senator Harrison Williams has been found guilty of bribery and conspiracy in the Absam case. Some people feel that he can no longer serve New Jersey effectively and have called for him to resign immediately. Senator Williams plans to appeal, saying that the government acted illegally. Do you think that Senator Williams should or should not resign?