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Hello, my name is _____ (first and last name). I'm on the staff of the Eagleton Poll, and I'm taking a public opinion survey of New Jersey adults for Rutgers University. I'd like your views on what New Jersey is like as a place to live and on some topics currently in the news.

1. To begin with, for 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. Generally speaking, would you say things in New Jersey are going in the right direction, or have they pretty seriously gotten off on the wrong track?

1 RIGHT DIRECTION
 2 WRONG TRACK
 9 DON'T KNOW

- 3a. How would you rate the job Christie Whitman is doing as Governor--excellent, good, only fair or poor?

1 EXCELLENT
 2 GOOD
 3 ONLY FAIR
 4 POOR
 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to Q.4]

4. How would you rate the job Bill Clinton is doing as President--excellent, good, only fair or poor?

1 EXCELLENT
 2 GOOD
 3 ONLY FAIR
 4 POOR
 9 DON'T KNOW

5. There will be an election for President of the United States this November. Thinking about the job that Bill Clinton has done as President, do you think he deserves to be re-elected or do you think it's time for a change?

1 YES--DESERVES RE-ELECTION
 2 NO--TIME FOR A CHANGE (VOL)

- 3 DEPENDS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

6. Thinking about the possible candidates who may be running for president, who do you think you will vote for?
[DO NOT READ]

- 1 BILL CLINTON
- 2 LAMAR ALEXANDER
- 3 PAT BUCHANAN
- 4 BOB DOLE
- 5 STEVE FORBES
- 6 DICK LUGAR
- 7 OTHER (specify:)
- 8 WILL NOT VOTE (DEPENDS)
- 9 DON'T KNOW

7. When you were deciding where to live, how important was the quality of the public schools in your decision -- very important, somewhat important, not very important, or not at all important?

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

8. In general, how would you rate the job the public schools are doing here in New Jersey--excellent, good, only fair, or poor?

- 1 EXCELLENT
- 2 GOOD
- 3 ONLY FAIR
- 4 POOR

9. How would you rate the job that your local schools are doing--excellent, good, only fair, or poor?

- 1 EXCELLENT
- 2 GOOD
- 3 ONLY FAIR
- 4 POOR

10. New Jersey is currently working on a plan to insure that the same amount of funding goes to the state's 30 poorest school districts as goes to the wealthier districts. How much have you read or heard about the issue of equal funding for school districts -- a great deal, some, not much or nothing at all?

- 1 A GREAT DEAL
- 2 SOME
- 3 NOT MUCH
- 4 NOTHING AT ALL
- 9 DON'T KNOW

11. In general, do you agree or disagree that spending for education must be equal in all of New Jersey's school districts--Do you (agree/disagree) mildly or strongly?

- 1 STRONGLY AGREE
- 2 MILDLY AGREE
- 3 MILDLY DISAGREE
- 4 STRONGLY DISAGREE
- 9 DON'T KNOW

12. Based on what you have read or heard, do you feel your school district has enough money to provide a quality education for students or do you think your school district needs additional funding?

- 1 HAS ENOUGH MONEY TO PROVIDE A QUALITY EDUCATION
- 2 NEEDS ADDITIONAL FUNDING
- 9 DON'T KNOW

13. Suppose your local public schools said they needed more money. Would you vote for or against raising local property taxes for this purpose?

- 1 FOR
- 2 AGAINST
- 3 DEPENDS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

14. There have been some suggestions for different ways to provide public school education. One way is the charter school. How much have you read or heard about the charter school bill that was recently passed here in New Jersey -- a great deal, some, not much, or nothing at all?

- 1 A GREAT DEAL
- 2 SOME
- 3 NOT MUCH
- 4 NOTHING AT ALL
- 9 DON'T KNOW

READ SLOWLY:

15. Charter schools operate independently of the local school districts and do not have to follow most rules and regulations. A charter school is a contract between those starting the school and the state. The contract details how the school will be run and what will be taught. A charter school can be started by any individual or group. Overall, how do you rate the idea of charter schools - do you think this is an excellent, good, only fair, or poor way to provide public education?

- 1 EXCELLENT
- 2 GOOD
- 3 ONLY FAIR
- 4 POOR
- 9 DON'T KNOW

16. If you could choose, would you send a child to a regular public school or to a charter school?

- 1 REGULAR PUBLIC SCHOOL
- 2 CHARTER SCHOOL
- 8 DEPENDS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

17. Another suggested change for public education is to give vouchers that could be used to send a child to any school a parent or guardian wanted to. How much have you read or heard about the voucher program -- a great deal, some, not much, or nothing at all?

- 1 A GREAT DEAL
- 2 SOME
- 3 NOT MUCH
- 4 NOTHING AT ALL
- 9 DON'T KNOW

18. While there are a variety of ways the voucher system could work, generally the voucher would have a certain set value and it could be used to enroll a student in any public or private school they wanted to attend. Thinking about this voucher system, if it were available, how likely would you be to use a voucher to shop around for a specific school to send a child to -- very likely, somewhat likely, not very likely, or not at all likely?

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

Now, I'd like to ask you some questions about jobs.

19. Overall, how many people in your household are employed?

20. In the last 12 months, has any adult in your household been out of work and actively looking for a job--IF YES: Did that person find a job or not?

- 1 YES, ACTIVELY LOOKING
- 2 YES, FOUND A JOB
- 3 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

21. Are you the chief wage earner in your household?

- 1 YES [Go to q.23]
- 2 NO [Go to q.22]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.23]

[if #2 in Q.21, ASK:]

22. Is the chief wage earner in your household currently employed, temporarily laid off, retired or not employed?

- 1 EMPLOYED [Go to q.22a]
- 2 TEMPORARILY LAID OFF [Go to q.23]
- 3 RETIRED [Go to q.23]
- 4 NOT EMPLOYED [Go to q.23]
- 5 OTHER [Go to q.23]
- 9 DON'T KNOW/REFUSED [Go to q.23]

[IF #1, IN Q-22, ASK:]

22a. 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

22b. And is that a full-time or a part-time job?

- 1 FULL TIME
- 2 PART-TIME
- 9 DON'T KNOW

22c. About how many hours does he or she work in an average week?

23. Are you currently employed, temporarily laid off, retired or not employed?

- 1 EMPLOYED [Go to q.23A]
- 2 TEMPORARILY LAID OFF [Go to q.24B]
- 3 RETIRED [Go to q.42]
- 4 NOT EMPLOYED [Go to q.24A]
- 5 OTHER (specify) [Go to q.42]
- 9 DON'T KNOW/REFUSED [Go to q.42]

[IF #1 IN Q.23, ASK:]

23a. Do you get paid at an hourly rate, a salary, or are you self-employed?

- 1 HOURLY (AND PIECEWORK)
- 2 SALARIED (AND COMMISSIONS)
- 3 SELF-EMPLOYED
- 9 DON'T KNOW

23b. And is that a full-time or a part-time job?

- 1 FULL TIME
- 2 PART-TIME
- 9 DON'T KNOW

23c. About how many hours do/did you work in an average week?

_____ [Go to q.25]

[IF #4 TO Q.23, ASK Q.24a]

24a. Are you a student or full-time homemaker, or are you unable to work because of a disability?

- 1 STUDENT
- 2 HOMEMAKER
- 3 BOTH STUDENT AND HOMEMAKER
- 4 UNABLE TO WORK/DISABILITY
- 5 OTHER
- 9 DON'T KNOW

[IF #2 OR #4 TO Q.23, ASK Q.24B TO 24D]

24b. Are you now actively looking for a job?

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

24c. Have you ever signed up for unemployment benefits or not?

- 1 YES [Go to q.24D]
- 2 NO [Go to q.42]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.42]

24D. Are you currently receiving unemployment benefits?

- 1 YES [Go to q.42]
- 2 NO [Go to q.42]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.42]

[IF RESPONDENT IS EMPLOYED, CONTINUE WITH Q-25, ALL OTHER SKIP TO Q-42]

25. Do you have one wage-paying job or more than one wage-paying job--IF MORE THAN ONE JOB
ASK: How many different jobs do you have?

- 1 ONE JOB
_____ JOBS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

26. Do you generally work during the same hours every day, or does your work schedule change periodically?

- 1 WORK DURING SAME HOURS EVERY DAY
- 2 WORK SCHEDULE CHANGES PERIODICALLY
- 3 MOSTLY SAME HOURS, WITH OCCASIONAL CHANGES
- 9 DON'T KNOW

27. Do you ever work "shift work"--that is during the night or early morning hours-- [IF "YES," PROBE: Do you work night shifts all the time, most of the time, or just some of the time]?

- 1 YES, ALL THE TIME
- 2 YES, MOST OF THE TIME
- 3 YES, SOME OF THE TIME
- 4 NO, NEVER WORK SHIFTS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

[IF HAS MORE THAN ONE JOB ASK THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS FOR THE JOB THAT RESPONDENT CONSIDERS HIS/HER "MAIN" JOB.]

28. How concerned are you that you might become unemployed in the next year--very concerned, somewhat concerned, or not too concerned?

- 1 VERY CONCERNED
- 2 SOMEWHAT CONCERNED
- 3 NOT TOO CONCERNED
- 9 DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

29. When you think about your education, training, and skills that you have, do you think your job requires you to use all of your skills, most of your skills, some of your skills, or none of your skills?

- 1 ALL OF SKILLS
- 2 MOST OF SKILLS
- 3 SOME OF SKILLS
- 4 NONE OF SKILLS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

30. In the past 5 years, how much would you say your job has been changed by technology such as computers--a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

- 1 A GREAT DEAL
- 2 SOME
- 3 NOT MUCH
- 4 NOT AT ALL
- 9 DON'T KNOW

31. Would you say technology has made your job easier, harder, or is it about the same?

- 1 EASIER
- 2 HARDER
- 3 ABOUT THE SAME
- 9 DON'T KNOW

32. Since you've been employed with this company, would you say your job has been upgraded a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

- 1 A GREAT DEAL
- 2 SOME
- 3 NOT MUCH
- 4 NOT AT ALL
- 9 DON'T KNOW

33. About how long have you worked for this company?

_____ [code years]

34. Overall, how satisfied are you with your current job---very satisfied, somewhat satisfied, not very satisfied, or not at all satisfied?

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

35. Five years from now do you expect to be working for the same company you are now, or do you expect you'll be working somewhere else?

- 1 YES, WORKING FOR SAME COMPANY [Go to q.35A]
- 2 NO, WORK SOMEWHERE ELSE [Go to q.36]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.36]

35a. And, in the next 5 years, do you think your job will be upgraded a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

- 1 A GREAT DEAL
- 2 SOME
- 3 NOT MUCH
- 4 NOT AT ALL
- 9 DON'T KNOW

36. Overall, when you think about the job you have compared to those your parents had-- do you think yours is better than your parents, worse, or about the same as your parents?

- 1 JOB IS BETTER THAN PARENTS
- 2 JOB IS WORSE THAN PARENTS
- 3 JOB IS ABOUT THE SAME AS PARENTS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

37. And, compared to you, will your children have a job that is better than yours, worse than yours, or about the same?

- 1 A JOB BETTER THAN PARENTS
- 2 A JOB WORSE THAN PARENTS
- 3 A JOB ABOUT THE SAME AS PARENTS
- 4 HAVE NO CHILDREN
- 9 DON'T KNOW

38. Overall, how loyal do you feel toward the company you work for -- very loyal, somewhat loyal, not very loyal, or not at all loyal?

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

39. And, how loyal do you think the company feels toward you--very loyal, somewhat loyal, not very loyal, or not at all loyal?

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

40. In the past year has your company been laying off any employees to decrease the workforce, hiring new employees to increase the workforce, or have the number of employees stayed about the same?

- 1 LAYING OFF EMPLOYEES
- 2 HIRING NEW EMPLOYEES
- 3 STAYED THE SAME
- 9 DON'T KNOW

41. How concerned are you that your company might lay you off in the next year or two--are you very concerned, somewhat concerned, not very concerned or not at all concerned?

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

[ASK EVERYONE]

42. Which of the following two statements do you agree with the most: It is good for the economy when companies lay off workers because it makes the company more profitable OR It is bad for the economy when companies lay off workers because of the increase in unemployment?

(ROTATE)

1 It is good for the economy when companies lay off workers because it makes the company more profitable

2 It is bad for the economy when companies lay off workers because of the increase in unemployment

8 DEPENDS

9 DON'T KNOW

On another subject,

43. Have you ever played the New Jersey Lottery?

1 YES

2 NO [Go to q.48]

9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.48]

44. Have you played it at any time in the last 12 months?

1 YES

2 NO [Go to q.48]

9 DON'T KNOW

45. Have you played it in the last month?

1 YES, LAST MONTH

2 NO

9 DON'T KNOW

46. How often do you usually buy a lottery ticket--every day, a few times a week, once a week, a few times a month, once a month, or do you only buy a lottery ticket once in a while?

1 DAILY

2 FEW TIMES A WEEK

3 ONCE A WEEK

4 FEW TIMES A MONTH--ONCE A MONTH

5 ONCE IN A WHILE--NOT IN LAST YEAR

9 DON'T KNOW

47. How many dollars worth of tickets do you think you buy in an average month?

/ / / / /

9999. DON'T KNOW

48. How much have you read or heard about the Internet--a great deal, some, not much, or nothing at all?

1 A GREAT DEAL

2 SOME

3 NOT MUCH

4 NOTHING AT ALL

9 DON'T KNOW

49. Do you or anyone in your household ever use a modem to connect to any computer bulletin boards, information services such as CompuServe or Prodigy, or other computers at other locations--[IF YES, PROBE: IS THAT YOU, SOMEONE ELSE, OR BOTH] (Q.60 OL2)?

- 1 YES, RESPONDENT ONLY
- 2 YES, RESPONDENT AND SOMEONE ELSE
- 3 YES, OTHER ONLY
- 4 NO
- 5 NO COMPUTER/NO MODEM
- 9 DON'T KNOW

50. Do you, yourself, ever use a computer at work, school, work or school, to connect with computer bulletin boards, information services such as American Online or Prodigy, or other computers over the Internet (Q.62 OL4)?

- 1 YES, AT WORK
- 2 YES, AT SCHOOL
- 3 YES, BOTH
- 4 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

Now a few questions about sleep.

U1. On average, how many hours of sleep do you get each night?

- / ____ / code hours
- 19 DEPENDS
 - 20 DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

U2. How often do you have problems falling asleep or staying asleep-- every night, several times a week, about once a week, about once or twice a month, less than once a month, or almost never?

- 1 EVERY NIGHT
- 2 SEVERAL TIMES A WEEK
- 3 ABOUT ONCE A WEEK
- 4 ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH
- 5 LESS THAN ONCE A MONTH
- 6 ALMOST NEVER [Go to q.U-3]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.U-3]

[IF PUNCH #1,2,3,4, OR 5 TO Q.U-2, ASK:]

U2A. Have you ever had problems with sleeping that lasted for three months or more at a time?

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

U2B. Have you ever discussed your problems with sleeping with a doctor or other health care provider?

- 1 YES

- 2 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

[ASK EVERYONE:]

U3. Please tell me how much [NAME ITEM] keeps you from getting a good night's sleep--a great deal, some, not much, or not at all|

- A Drinking a beverage with caffeine?
- B Exercising 2 hours before going to sleep?
- C Lack of activity during the day?
- D Your work schedule?
- E Drinking alcohol?
- F Smoking?
- G Having nightmares?
- H Having an illness?
- I Having a stressful day?
- J Worrying about tomorrow?
- K Taking a 15 minute nap during the day?
- L Feeling guilty about something?

- 1 Great Deal
- 2 Some
- 3 Not Much
- 4 Not At All
- 9 Don't Know

U4. Do you ever snore when you sleep, or don't you know whether you snore?

- 1 YES, SNORE
- 2 NO, DO NOT SNORE [Go to q.U-5]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.U-5]

[IF #1-"YES" TO Q.U-4, ASK:]

U4A. How often do you snore when you sleep--every night, several times a week, about once a week, about once or twice a month, or less than once a month?

- 1 EVERY NIGHT
- 2 SEVERAL TIMES A WEEK
- 3 ABOUT ONCE A WEEK
- 4 ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH
- 5 LESS THAN ONCE A MONTH
- 9 DON'T KNOW

U4B. How much does your snoring interfere with your sleep--a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

- 1 A GREAT DEAL
- 2 SOME
- 3 NOT MUCH
- 4 NOT AT ALL
- 9 DON'T KNOW

U4C. How much does your snoring interfere with your breathing--a great deal, some, not much, or not at all?

- 1 A GREAT DEAL
- 2 SOME
- 3 NOT MUCH
- 4 NOT AT ALL
- 9 DON'T KNOW

U4D. Have you ever discussed your snoring with a doctor or other health care provider?

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

[ASK EVERYONE:]

U5. How often do you feel sleepy or drowsy when you are [READ ITEM]--all the time, most of the time, some of the time, or never|

- A Driving?
- B Working?
- C Reading for pleasure?

- 1 ALL
- 2 MOST
- 3 SOME
- 4 NEVER
- 9 DON'T KNOW

U6. When you are experiencing a period of stress, do you generally sleep more, sleep less, or sleep about the same amount as you normally do?

- 1 SLEEP MORE DURING STRESS
- 2 SLEEP LESS DURING STRESS
- 3 SLEEP ABOUT THE SAME AMOUNT
- 4 DEPENDS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

P1. How much have you read or heard about privatizing services that are now provided by government--a great deal, some, not much or nothing at all?

- 1 A GREAT DEAL
- 2 SOME
- 3 NOT MUCH
- 4 NOTHING AT ALL
- 9 DON'T KNOW

READ SLOWLY

P2a. Privatization can be different things. The following are three examples: 1) it can be hiring private companies to replace government employees to provide services such as garbage collection or operating the water supply, or 2) it can be the sale of government facilities such as performing arts centers or toll roads to private companies, or 3) it can be contracts between government and private companies, known as public-private partnerships, to provide services and operate government facilities. Thinking about the different ways privatization can work, in general, do you think privatization is a good idea or a bad idea?

- 1 GOOD IDEA
- 2 BAD IDEA

8 DEPENDS
9 DON'T KNOW

[ROTATE Q.P2b & Q.P2c]

P2b. And, in general, who do you think can provide the best quality services -- private companies or government agencies?

1 PRIVATE COMPANIES
2 GOVERNMENT AGENCIES
8 DEPENDS
9 DON'T KNOW

P2c. And, in general, who do you think can provide services at the lowest cost -- private companies or government agencies?

1 PRIVATE COMPANIES
2 GOVERNMENT AGENCIES
8 DEPENDS
9 DON'T KNOW

READ SLOWLY

P3. Another way that privatization can work is to have competitive contracting. Competitive contracting is when government agencies and their employees compete with private companies to get contracts. Both the government agency and the private company would submit bids on a job, and the contract would be given to whoever can provide the services at the lowest cost and the best quality. In general, do you think competitive contracting is a good idea or a bad idea?

- 1 GOOD IDEA
- 2 BAD IDEA
- 8 DEPENDS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

P4. I'm going to read you a list of some government services that could be privatized-- that is these services which are usually provided by government could be provided by private companies. Who do you think would do a better job of providing (READ ITEM) private companies or government agencies|

- A Treatment and disposal of sewage?
- D Highway, local road, and bridge improvements?
- E Maintenance of the highways, local roads, and bridges?
- F Bus service?
- G Custodial and janitorial maintenance services for government buildings?
- H Food preparation and service in government institutions such as prisons and schools?
- J Water supply?
- K Motor vehicle inspections?
- L Toll road ownership and operations?
- M Computerized record keeping and information services for government agencies?

- 1 PRIVATE COMPANIES
- 2 GOVERNMENT AGENCIES
- 8 DEPENDS
- 9 DON'T KNOW

Just a few more questions so we can classify your answers.

D1. In politics as of today, do you consider yourself a Democrat, Republican, Independent, or something else?

- 1 DEMOCRAT [Go to q.XD2]
- 2 REPUBLICAN [Go to q.XD2]
- 3 INDEPENDENT [Go to q.D2]
- 4 SOMETHING ELSE/OTHER [Go to q.D2]
- 9 DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION [Go to q.D2]

(IF #3,4, OR 9 TO Q. D1, ASK)

D2. Do you lean more toward the Democratic Party or more toward the Republican Party?

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

XD2. Are you currently registered to vote here in New Jersey?

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

D3. Regardless of the political party you might favor, do you consider yourself to be a liberal, conservative, or somewhere in between?

- 1 LIBERAL
- 2 CONSERVATIVE [Go to q. D5]
- 3 SOMEWHERE IN BETWEEN
- 9 DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION

(IF #3 OR 9 TO Q. D3, ASK)

D4. 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

D5. Did you receive a high school diploma?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.D12]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.D12]

(IF "YES" TO Q. D5, ASK:)

D6. Did you ever attend college--(IF YES, ASK: Did you graduate)?

- 1 YES, GRADUATED
- 2 YES, DID NOT GRADUATE
- 3 JUNIOR COLLEGE--GRADUATE
- 4 VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL
- 5 NO
- 9 DON'T KNOW

NOTE: D.7-10 IS SKIPPED

D12. Do you own or rent your apartment or house?

- 1 OWN
- 2 RENT
- 3 LIVE RENT FREE WITH PARENTS/RELATIVES
- 4 BOTH OWN AND RENT
- 9 NOT DETERMINED

D13. Are you married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?

- 1 MARRIED
- 2 WIDOWED
- 3 DIVORCED
- 4 SEPARATED
- 5 NEVER MARRIED
- 9 DON'T KNOW

XD13A. Do you have any children--[IF NECESSARY: ?INCLUDING ANY ADULT CHILDREN?]?

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

XD13B. Are there any school-age children now living in your household--(If NECESSARY: By school-age, I mean grades Kindergarten through 12th grade)?

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

D14. Are you white, black or of Hispanic or Asian origin?

- 1 WHITE
- 2 BLACK
- 3 HISPANIC
- 4 ASIAN
- 5 OTHER (SPECIFY: _____)
- 9 NOT DETERMINED

D15. Do you consider yourself to be Catholic, Protestant, Jewish, or something else?

- 1 CATHOLIC
- 2 PROTESTANT
- 3 JEWISH
- 4 OTHER
- 5 NONE/ATHEIST/AGNOSTIC
- 9 DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

D16. What was your age on your last birthday?

/ ____ / ____ / (CODE # OF YEARS, 99 = REFUSED; AND CODE)

D17. In which of these age groups 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 - 64
- 8 65 OR OVER
- 9 NO ANSWER/REFUSED

D18. In what township or municipality do you live?

D18a. In what county is that?

/ ____ / ____ /
County Town

D19. So that we can group all answers, is your total annual family income before taxes: Under \$35,000; between \$35,000 to just under \$70,000; or \$70,000 or more?

- 1 UNDER \$35,000 [Go to q.D19a]
- 2 \$35,000 TO \$69,999 [Go to q.D19b]
- 3 \$70,000 OR MORE
- 9 DON'T KNOW

D19a. Is that: under \$10,000; \$10,000-\$20,000; \$20,000-\$30,000, or over \$30,000?

- 1 UNDER \$10,000
- 2 \$10,000-\$20,000
- 3 \$20,000-\$30,000
- 4 OVER \$30,000
- 9 DON'T KNOW

D19b. Is that: \$35,000 to \$50,000 or over \$50,000?

- 1 \$35,000 TO \$50,000
- 2 OVER \$50,000
- 9 DON'T KNOW