

EAGLETON POLL 115B
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SUPPLEMENT TO 115A

On another topic:

R1. How much attention have you paid to the Rutgers University football team this season -- a lot, some, a little, or not at all?

- 1 A LOT
- 2 SOME
- 3 A LITTLE
- 4 NOT AT ALL
- 9 DK

R2. Do you agree or disagree that having a successful Rutgers football team can improve the image of the state of New Jersey--
[**PROBE:** Do you agree/disagree strongly or mildly]?

- 1 STRONGLY AGREE
- 2 MILDLY AGREE
- 3 MILDLY DISAGREE
- 4 STRONGLY DISAGREE
- 9 DK

R3. And based on what you have read or heard, would you say the Rutgers football program is going in the right direction or has it gotten off on the wrong track?

- 1 RIGHT DIRECTION
- 2 WRONG TRACK
- 9 DK

R4. Do you think Rutgers University spends too much money, too little money, or about the right amount of money on its football program?

- 1 TOO MUCH MONEY
- 2 TOO LITTLE MONEY
- 3 ABOUT THE RIGHT AMOUNT
- 9 DK

[IF PUNCHES # 1, 2, OR 3 IN Q.R-1, ASK, Q.R-5. IF PUNCHES # 4 OR 9 IN Q.R-1, SKIP TO Q.L-1]

R5. Should Rutgers continue to compete in "big time" college football, or should they change to playing in a lower division?

- 1 CONTINUE TO COMPETE IN THE BIG TIME
- 2 CHANGE TO A LOWER DIVISION
- 3 DEPENDS
- 9 DK

L1. Turning to a different topic, thinking back over the past 12 months, have you had occasion to go to a public library?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO [Go to q.L-3A]
- 9 DK [Go to q.L3-A]

[IF "YES" TO Q.L-1, ASK:]

L2 How many times during the past 12 months? (CODE NUMBER IN BOXES, ZERO FILL)

/ / /

L3_1. What are all the reasons or purposes why you have gone to a public library in the past 12 months for yourself-- Anything else (FIRST MENTION)?

L3_2. What are all the reasons or purposes why you have gone to a public library in the past 12 months for yourself-- Anything else (SECOND MENTION)?

L3_3. What are all the reasons or purposes why you have gone to a public library in the past 12 months for yourself-- Anything else (THIRD MENTION)?

L3a. And, in the past 12 months, have you used a public library without actually going to the library, by using the internet or a computer dial-in hook-up at your home or office?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 9 DK

L4A. Thinking back over the past 12 months again, have you had any occasion to go to a library other than a public library--such as a school or college library, a medical or law library, or some other type of special company or private library-- (IF YES, PROBE: Which type-- Any others (FIRST MENTION)?

- 1 NONE
- 2 YES, A SCHOOL OR COLLEGE LIBRARY
- 3 YES, A MEDICAL OR LAW LIBRARY
- 4 YES, SOME OTHER TYPE OF SPECIAL
- 5 YES, DON'T KNOW THE TYPE
- 8 YES, OTHER (SPECIFY: _____)
- 9 DK

L4B. Thinking back over the past 12 months again, have you had any occasion to go to a library other than a public library--such as a school or college library, a medical or law library, or some other type of special company or private library-- (IF YES, PROBE: Which type-- Any others (SECOND MENTION)?

- 1 NONE
- 2 YES, A SCHOOL OR COLLEGE LIBRARY
- 3 YES, A MEDICAL OR LAW LIBRARY

- 4 YES, SOME OTHER TYPE OF SPECIAL
- 5 YES, DON'T KNOW THE TYPE
- 8 YES, OTHER (SPECIFY: _____)
- 9 DK

L4C. Thinking back over the past 12 months again, have you had any occasion to go to a library other than a public library--such as a school or college library, a medical or law library, or some other type of special company or private library-- (IF YES, PROBE: Which type-- Any others (THIRD MENTION)?

- 1 NONE
- 2 YES, A SCHOOL OR COLLEGE LIBRARY
- 3 YES, A MEDICAL OR LAW LIBRARY
- 4 YES, SOME OTHER TYPE OF SPECIAL
- 5 YES, DON'T KNOW THE TYPE
- 8 YES, OTHER (SPECIFY: _____)
- 9 DK

Now, I'd like to ask you some questions about cigarettes and tobacco.

M1. There has recently been talk about raising the taxes people pay on cigarettes and other tobacco products-- Do you think tobacco taxes should be increased-- [IF "YES" OR "DEPENDS ON THE AMOUNT" **ASK:** Should they be increased up to 25 cents, between 25 and 50 cents, between 50 cents and one dollar, or more than one dollar]?

- 1 Yes, up to 25 cents
- 2 Yes, 25-50 cents
- 3 Yes, 50 cents to 1 dollar
- 4 Yes, more than 1 dollar
- 5 Yes, but not sure of the amount
- 6 No
- 9 Don't know

M2. It has also been suggested that tobacco companies should sponsor educational programs and run ad campaigns to reduce smoking among teenagers and children-- Do you think that this should be voluntary for the tobacco companies or should the government require tobacco companies to sponsor programs to reduce smoking among teens and children?

- 1 Should be voluntary
- 2 Government should require
- 3 Both
- 4 Neither
- 9 DK

M3. In your opinion, how likely are tobacco companies to sponsor programs to reduce teen and child smoking on their own without government action?

- 1 Very likely,
- 2 Somewhat likely
- 3 Not very likely
- 4 Not at all likely

9 DK

M4. Do you currently smoke cigarettes?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know/refused

M5. Do you use any other type of tobacco product?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 9 Don't know/refused

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.D3]
- 2 REPUBLICAN [Go to q.D3]
- 3 INDEPENDENT
- 4 SOMETHING ELSE/OTHER
- 9 DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION

(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

D3. 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.D5]
- 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.D7]
- 9 DON'T KNOW [Go to q.D7]

(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

D7. Are you currently employed, temporarily laid off, retired or not employed?

- 1 EMPLOYED [Go to q.XD7a]
- 2 TEMPORARILY LAID OFF [Go to q.D9]
- 3 RETIRED [Go to q.D9]
- 4 NOT EMPLOYED [Go to q.D9]
- 9 OTHER/REFUSED [Go to q.D9]

D9. Are you the chief wage earner in your household?

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

XD9a. Are you a member of a union?

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

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 under the age of 18 years old?

- 1 YES
- 2 NO

9 DK

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)

D17. [IF REFUSED IN D.16, ASK:] Is it between...(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. Where do you live--in what township or municipality?

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 to \$100,000; or \$100,000 or more?

- 1 UNDER \$35,000 [Go to q.D19A]
- 2 \$35,000 TO \$69,999 [Go to q.D19B]
- 3 \$70,000 TO \$100,000
- 4 \$100,000 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