

**2025 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL
WAVE 161 POLITICS SURVEY
FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE
JAN. 27 – FEB. 2, 2025**

Note: The questions presented below are part of a larger survey conducted on the American Trends Panel. For all questions, the 98 ("don't know" in phone mode) and 99 (refusal in phone mode and no answer in web mode) codes are combined in the data for analytical purposes.

PN = Programming note

CODEBOOK FOR SAMPLE VARIABLES TO BE USED IN SURVEY PROGRAMMING LOGIC

X_FORM

- 1 Form 1
- 2 Form 2

Note: Flag to randomly assign panelists to one of two forms (Form 1, Form 2) and weight within form

X_PARTYSUMFINAL

- 1 Rep/Lean Rep
- 2 Dem/Lean Dem
- 9 DK/Refused/No lean

Note: Flag to identify Republicans, Republican leaners and non-leaners.

-----**MAIN QUESTIONNAIRE BEGINS HERE**-----
-----**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PREVIOUSLY RELEASED****ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE**
-----**TXT:**

[PN: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF BIRTHCIT_APP AND IMMIG_DT_APP/DEPRT_DEG. FORM 1 (X_FORM=1) SEES BIRTHCIT_APP FIRST AND IMMIG_DT_APP/DEPRT_DEG SECOND WHILE FORM 2 (X_FORM=2) SEES IMMIG_DT_APP/DEPRT_DEG FIRST AND BIRTHCIT_APP SECOND; RECORD RANDOMIZATIONS IN THE DATA FILE]

QUE: BIRTHCIT_APP**ASK ALL:**

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1 HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

As you may know, Donald Trump signed an executive order arguing that children born in the U.S. are only U.S. citizens by birth if they have at least one parent who is a U.S. citizen or a legal permanent resident.

Several states and outside groups have sued the Trump administration, arguing that there is a longstanding constitutional guarantee that children born in the U.S. are automatically U.S. citizens by birth.

All in all, do you approve or disapprove of Trump's executive order limiting citizenship?

[PN: IF CATI:] (INTERVIEWER: PROBE: Would that be strongly or somewhat (approve/disapprove)?)

- 1 Strongly approve
- 2 Somewhat approve
- 3 Somewhat disapprove
- 4 Strongly disapprove
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused / [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank

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