

**2025 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL
WAVE 167 POLITICS SURVEY
FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE
APRIL 7 – 13, 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 ATP 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

-----**MAIN QUESTIONNAIRE BEGINS HERE**-----

QUE: POL1DT
ASK ALL:

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

[**PN: IF CATI:**] [**INTERVIEWER: IF R SAYS "It Depends", PROBE ONCE WITH:**
Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as
President? **IF STILL DEPENDS, ENTER AS "Don't know".**]

- 1 Approve
- 2 Disapprove
- 98 [**PN: IF CATI:**] **(DO NOT READ)** Don't know
- 99 [**PN: IF WEB:**] Web blank / [**PN: IF CATI:**] **(DO NOT READ)** Refused

QUE: POL1DTSTR
ASK IF APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF TRUMP (POL1DT=1 OR 2):

Do you [**PN: IF POL1DT=1 INSERT "approve"; IF POL1DT=2 INSERT "disapprove"**] of
the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president...

[**PN: IF CATI:**] **(READ LIST)**

- 1 Very strongly
- 2 Not so strongly
- 98 [**PN: IF CATI:**] **(DO NOT READ)** Don't know
- 99 [**PN: IF WEB:**] Web blank / [**PN: IF CATI:**] **(DO NOT READ)** Refused

QUE: LIFEFIFTY
ASK ALL:

In general, would you say life in America today is better, worse, or about the same as it was
50 years ago for people like you?

- 1 Better
- 2 Worse
- 3 About the same
- 98 [**PN: IF CATI:**] **(DO NOT READ)** Don't know
- 99 [**PN: IF WEB:**] Web blank / [**PN: IF CATI:**] **(DO NOT READ)** Refused

QUE: USCONF_FUT
ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):

How much confidence do you have in the future of the United States?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Quite a lot
- 2 Some
- 3 Very little
- 4 None at all
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

QUE: WISDOM_PPL
ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):

In general, how much trust and confidence do you have in the wisdom of the American people when it comes to making political decisions?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 A very great deal
- 2 A good deal
- 3 Not very much
- 4 None at all
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

BAT: DTCONF**ASK ALL:**

[PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

[PN: IF WEB:] Thinking about Donald Trump's ability to handle a number of things, how confident are you that Donald Trump can do each of the following?

[PN: IF CATI: READ FOR FIRST ITEM:] Thinking about Donald Trump's ability to handle a number of things, how confident are you that Donald Trump can do each of the following? First, **(INSERT ITEM)**. Are you **(READ LIST)**?

[PN: IF CATI: READ FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS:] What about **(INSERT ITEM)**? **(READ AS NECESSARY)**: How confident are you that Donald Trump can **(INSERT ITEM)**? Are you **(READ LIST)**?

BATTERY ITEMS:

ECON **ASK ALL:** Make good decisions about economic policy
 IMMI **ASK ALL:** Make good decisions about immigration policy
 TRAD **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** Negotiate favorable trade agreements with other countries
 ABCN **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** Make good decisions about abortion policy
 CLSR **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** Bring the country closer together
 HECR **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** Effectively handle a public health emergency
 FRGN **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** Make good decisions about foreign policy
 HCP **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** Make good decisions about health care policy
 TAX **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** Make good decisions about tax policy
 EXEC **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** Manage the Executive Branch effectively

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

1 Very confident
 2 Somewhat confident
 3 Not too confident
 4 Not at all confident
 98 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Don't know
 99 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

TXT:

[PN: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF NEW_ADMIN_ECON AND NEW_ADMIN_GLOB SUCH THAT FORM 1 GETS NEW_ADMIN_ECON FIRST AND NEW_ADMIN_GLOB SECOND WHILE FORM 2 GETS NEW_ADMIN_GLOB FIRST AND NEW_ADMIN_ECON SECOND; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

QUE: NEW_ADMIN_ECON

ASK ALL:

Compared with the Biden administration, do you think the policies of the Trump administration are making the country's economy...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Stronger
- 2 Weaker
- 3 Not much different
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

TXT:

[PN: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF NEW_ADMIN_ECON AND NEW_ADMIN_GLOB SUCH THAT FORM 1 GETS NEW_ADMIN_ECON FIRST AND NEW_ADMIN_GLOB SECOND WHILE FORM 2 GETS NEW_ADMIN_GLOB FIRST AND NEW_ADMIN_ECON SECOND; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

QUE: NEW_ADMIN_GLOB

ASK ALL:

Compared with the Biden administration, do you think the policies of the Trump administration are putting the United States in...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 A stronger position internationally
- 2 A weaker position internationally
- 3 About the same position internationally
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

QUE: DTTRUST

ASK IF FORM 2 ONLY (X_FORM=2):

Compared with what previous presidents said while in office, would you say you trust what Donald Trump says...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 More than previous presidents
- 2 Less than previous presidents
- 3 About the same as you trusted what previous presidents said
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

QUE: PRES_ETHICAL_ADMIN

ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):

Overall, how would you rate the ethical standards of top Trump administration officials?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Excellent
- 2 Good
- 3 Only fair
- 4 Poor
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

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TXT:

[PN: IF X_FORM=1, ASK ADMIN_LK FIRST THEN ADMIN_DSLK; IF X_FORM=2 ASK ADMIN_DSLK FIRST THEN ADMIN_LK; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

TXT: TRANSITION1

DISPLAY TO ALL:

[PN: DISPLAY TRANSITION1 TEXT ONCE ON EITHER ADMIN_LK OR ADMIN_DSLK, WHICHEVER COMES FIRST]

The next two questions are about what you most like and dislike about the Trump administration's actions so far. First...

QUE: ADMIN_LK

ASK ALL:

What do you like most about the actions the Trump administration has taken so far?

- ___ [PN: PROGRAM OPEN END TEXT BOX WITH NO CHARACTER LIMIT]
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

TXT:

[PN: IF X_FORM=1, ASK ADMIN_LK FIRST THEN ADMIN_DSLK; IF X_FORM=2 ASK ADMIN_DSLK FIRST THEN ADMIN_LK; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

QUE: ADMIN_DSLK

ASK ALL:

What do you like least about the actions the Trump administration has taken so far?

- _____ [PN: PROGRAM OPEN END TEXT BOX WITH NO CHARACTER LIMIT]
98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused
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QUE: DT_REPRE

ASK ALL:

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

Do you think Donald Trump should primarily focus on addressing the concerns of...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 All Americans, even if it means disappointing some of his supporters
2 Those who voted for him, without worrying too much about the concerns of those who didn't vote for him
98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused
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TXT:

[PN: RANDOMIZE ECON1-ECON1B AND PERSFNC-PERSFNCB IN BLOCKS, SUCH THAT ECON1 ALWAYS APPEARS BEFORE ECON1B AND PERSFNC ALWAYS APPEARS BEFORE PERSFNCB; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN THE DATA FILE.]

QUE: ECON1

ASK ALL:

Thinking about the nation's economy...

How would you rate economic conditions in this country today?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Excellent
2 Good
3 Only fair
4 Poor
98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

QUE: ECON1B
ASK ALL:

A year from now, do you expect that economic conditions in the country as a whole will be...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Better
- 2 Worse
- 3 About the same as now
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

BAT: ECONCONC

ASK ALL:

[PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

[PN: IF WEB:] How concerned, if at all, are you personally about each of the following economic issues in the country today?

[PN: IF CATI: READ FOR FIRST ITEM:] How concerned, if at all, are you personally about each of the following economic issues in the country today? First, (INSERT ITEM)? (READ LIST)

[PN: IF CATI: READ FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS:] What about (INSERT ITEM)? (READ AS NECESSARY: How concerned, if at all, are you personally about (INSERT ITEM)? (READ LIST IF NECESSARY))

BATTERY ITEMS:

- UNEM People who want to work being unable to find jobs
- PRICE **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** The price of food and consumer goods
- REAL **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** The cost of housing
- STCK **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** How the stock market is doing
- ENG2 **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** The price of gasoline and energy

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

- 1 Very concerned
- 2 Somewhat concerned
- 3 Not too concerned
- 4 Not at all concerned
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

BAT: INSTFAV

ASK ALL:

[PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

[PN: IF WEB:] Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of each of the following?

[PN: IF CATI: **READ FOR FIRST ITEM:**] Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of each of the following? First, **(INSERT ITEM)**. Is your opinion...**(READ LIST)**

[PN: IF CATI: **READ FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS:**] What about **(INSERT ITEM)**?
(READ AS NECESSARY: Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of **(INSERT ITEM)**?
Is your opinion... **(READ LIST))**

BATTERY ITEMS:

CONG	Congress
COURT	The Supreme Court
REP	The Republican Party
DEM	The Democratic Party

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

1	Very favorable
2	Mostly favorable
3	Mostly unfavorable
4	Very unfavorable
98	[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99	[PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

QUE: FEDCRT_IMPT

ASK ALL:

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5/5-1 BASED ON ROTATION_GEN, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

How important is it for judges in U.S. federal courts to be fair and impartial in how they decide cases?

[PN: IF CATI:] **(READ LIST)**

1	Extremely important
2	Very important
3	Somewhat important
4	Not too important
5	Not at all important
98	[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
99	[PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

QUE: FEDCRT_CONF

ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5/5-1 BASED ON ROTATION_GEN, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

How confident are you that judges in U.S. federal courts are fair and impartial in how they decide cases?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Extremely confident
- 2 Very confident
- 3 Somewhat confident
- 4 Not too confident
- 5 Not at all confident
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

QUE: FEDCRT_CONF_NS

ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5/5-1 BASED ON ROTATION_GEN, HOLDING 6 AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

How confident are you that judges in U.S. federal courts are fair and impartial in how they decide cases?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Extremely confident
- 2 Very confident
- 3 Somewhat confident
- 4 Not too confident
- 5 Not at all confident
- [PN: INSERT A LINE OF SPACE]**
- 6 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Not sure **[PN: IF CATI:]** Or are you not sure?
- 99 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

QUE: TARIFF_APP

ASK ALL:

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1 HOLDING 98 AND 99. RECORD ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

Do you approve or disapprove of the Trump administration substantially increasing tariffs on goods imported from most countries that trade with the U.S.?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 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

QUE: TRUMPAPPROV_DEI

ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST IN SAME ORDER AS TARIFF_APP; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

Do you approve or disapprove of the Trump administration's actions to end diversity, equity and inclusion (also known as DEI) policies in the federal government?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 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 WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

QUE: TRUMPAPPROV_DEI_NS

ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1, HOLDING OPTION 5 AND 99 LAST IN SAME ORDER AS TARIFF_APP; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

Do you approve or disapprove of the Trump administration's actions to end diversity, equity and inclusion (also known as DEI) policies in the federal government?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Strongly approve
- 2 Somewhat approve
- 3 Somewhat disapprove
- 4 Strongly disapprove
- [PN: INSERT A LINE OF SPACE]**
- 5 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Not sure **[PN: IF CATI:]** Or are you not sure?
- 99 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

BAT: POLSTOR_FOLL

ASK ALL:

[PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5/5- BASED ON ROTATION_GEN,
HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION AND ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

[PN: IF WEB:] How closely have you been following news about each of the following?

[PN: IF CATI: READ FOR FIRST ITEM:] How closely have you been following news about
(INSERT ITEM)? (READ LIST)

[PN: IF CATI: READ FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS:] What about (INSERT ITEM)?
(READ IF NECESSARY: How closely have you been following news about (INSERT ITEM)?
(READ LIST))

BATTERY ITEMS:

LAW **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** The Trump administration's executive orders
sanctioning several big law firms

DOGE **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** The actions of the Trump administration's
Department of Government Efficiency (DOGE) [PN: IF CATI: (PRONO: dohj)] team

DPRT **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** Deportations of people who are living in the U.S.
illegally

TARF **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** The Trump administration's tariffs

PROT **ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):** Protests against Tesla car dealerships and owners

MEAS **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** Measles outbreaks around the country

CUTS **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** Cuts to federal government agencies and
departments

BORD **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** Security along the U.S. border with Mexico

LEGAL **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** Legal challenges to Trump administration actions

SEC **ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):** Some Trump administration communications related
to national security taking place on unofficial messaging platforms, such as Signal or Gmail

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

1 Extremely closely

2 Very closely

3 Somewhat closely

4 Not too closely

5 Not at all closely

98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know

99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

QUE: DT_REDUCTIONS

ASK ALL:

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1 IN SAME ORDER AS TARIFF_APP, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

As you may know, the Trump administration has been ordering cuts to federal departments and agencies. From what you've read and heard, do you approve or disapprove of the cuts the administration is making?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 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 WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

TXT:

[PN : RANDOMIZE ORDER OF DT_RED_CARE and DT_RED_RUN; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

QUE: DT_RED_CARE

ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1, HOLDING RESPONSE 3, 98, AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

When it comes to cuts the Trump administration is making to federal departments and agencies, do you think the administration's approach is...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Too careful
- 2 Too careless
- 3 About right
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

TXT:

[PN : RANDOMIZE ORDER OF DT_RED_CARE and DT_RED_RUN; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

QUE: DT_RED_RUN

ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1, HOLDING RESPONSE 3, 98, AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

When it comes to cuts the Trump administration is making to federal departments and agencies, do you think the administration's approach will...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Make government run better
- 2 Make government run worse
- 3 Not have much of an impact
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

TXT:

[PN : RANDOMIZE ORDER OF DT_RED_NEED AND DT_RED_SAV; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

QUE: DT_RED_NEED

ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1, HOLDING RESPONSE 3, 98, AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

When it comes to cuts the Trump administration is making to federal departments and agencies, do you think the administration's approach will...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Make government better at meeting Americans' needs
- 2 Make government worse at meeting Americans' needs
- 3 Not have much of an impact
- 98 [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 [PN: IF WEB:] Web blank / [PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ) Refused

TXT:

[PN : RANDOMIZE ORDER OF DT_RED_NEED AND DT_RED_SAV; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION IN DATA FILE]

QUE: DT_RED_SAV

ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1, HOLDING RESPONSE 3, 98, AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]

When it comes to cuts the Trump administration is making to federal departments and agencies, would you say that the Trump administration's approach will...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Save Americans money in the long run
- 2 Cost Americans money in the long run
- 3 Not have much of an impact
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

QUE: DTEOS_PRESPOW2

ASK ALL:

As you may know, Donald Trump has used a number of executive orders to set policy in the first few months of his presidency. Do you think Trump is doing...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Too much by executive order
- 2 Too little by executive order
- 3 About the right amount by executive order
- [PN: INSERT A LINE OF SPACE]**
- 4 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Not sure **[PN: IF CATI:]** Or are you not sure?
- 99 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

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QUE: FEDCRT_PROB

ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1):

[**PN: IF WEB:**] As you may know, several actions of the Trump administration have been challenged in U.S. federal court.

[**PN: IF WEB:**] If a federal court rules that a Trump administration action is illegal but the administration refuses to stop its action, would this be...

[**PN: IF CATI:**] As you may know, several actions of the Trump administration have been challenged in U.S. federal court. If a federal court rules that a Trump administration action is illegal but the administration refuses to stop its action, would this be...

[**PN: IF CATI:**] **(READ LIST)**

1 A major problem for the country

2 A minor problem for the country

3 Not a problem for the country

98 [**PN: IF CATI:**] **(DO NOT READ)** Don't know

99 [**PN: IF WEB:**] Web blank / [**PN: IF CATI:**] **(DO NOT READ)** Refused

QUE: FEDCRT_FOL

ASK IF FORM 2 (X_FORM=2):

[**PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST. INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE.**]

[**PN: IF WEB:**] As you may know, several actions of the Trump administration have been challenged in U.S. federal court.

[**PN: IF WEB:**] If a federal court rules that a Trump administration action is illegal, do you think the administration...

[**PN: IF CATI:**] As you may know, several actions of the Trump administration have been challenged in U.S. federal court. If a federal court rules that a Trump administration action is illegal, do you think the administration...

[**PN: IF CATI:**] **(READ LIST)**

1 Has to follow the court's ruling and stop its action

2 Does not have to follow the court's ruling and can continue its action

98 [**PN: IF CATI:**] **(DO NOT READ)** Don't know

99 [**PN: IF WEB:**] Web blank / [**PN: IF CATI:**] **(DO NOT READ)** Refused

QUE: SCOTUS_RULFOL

ASK IF SAID DOES NOT HAVE TO FOLLOW RULING (FEDCRT_FOL=2):

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1 IN SAME ORDER AS FEDCRT_FOL, HOLDING 98 AND 99 LAST; INCLUDE IN DATA FILE]

And if the U.S. Supreme Court rules that a Trump administration action is illegal, do you think the administration...

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Has to follow the Court's ruling and stop its action
- 2 Does not have to follow the Court's ruling and can continue its action
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank / **[PN: IF CATI:] (DO NOT READ)** Refused

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