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**HILLARY CLINTON OWNS 2016 DEM NOMINATION,
QUINNIPIAC UNIVERSITY NATIONAL POLL FINDS;
SUPPORT FOR IMMIGRATION REFORM DROPS**

Former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton has a huge lead over other potential 2016 candidates for the Democratic presidential nomination, and if she doesn't run Vice President Joseph Biden has almost as large a lead on the rest of the field, according to a Quinnipiac University poll released today.

Ms. Clinton would get 65 percent of Democratic votes compared to 13 percent for Vice President Joe Biden, 4 percent for New York Gov. Andrew Cuomo, and 1 percent or less for Massachusetts Gov. Deval Patrick, Maryland Gov. Martin O'Malley and Virginia Sen. Mark Warner, the independent Quinnipiac (KWIN-uh-pe-ack) University poll finds. If Clinton is not in the race, Biden would get 45 percent, with 15 percent for Gov. Cuomo, 6 percent for, Gov. Patrick, 3 percent O'Malley and 2 percent for Warner.

"Former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton has a rock-solid hold on the hearts of Democratic voters at this point," said Peter A. Brown, assistant director of the Quinnipiac University Polling Institute. "If she decides not to run, Vice President Joseph Biden does almost as well as she does against the rest of the field. There is a long way to go until 2016, but none of the other younger potential candidates for the Democratic nomination currently has anything approaching widespread support from party voters."

American voters are more likely to support the death penalty for terrorists than they are for ordinary murderers. Asked whether they favored the death penalty or life in prison without parole for people convicted of murder, voters choose the death penalty 48 – 43 percent. These same voters favor the death penalty 63 – 32 percent for someone convicted of murder during an act of terrorism. Asked specifically about the alleged Boston Marathon bomber, voters favor the death penalty 59 – 36 percent if he is convicted.

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Voters favor putting alleged terrorists on trial by a military court rather than a civilian court by 58 – 30 percent. Only 35 percent of voters say the American criminal justice system is capable of dealing with terrorism, while 53 percent say the system allows terrorist suspects too many rights.

But 76 percent of voters don't know whether civilian courts or military courts have achieved more convictions of terrorists.

Immigration Reform

There is a drop in support for allowing illegal immigrants a path to citizenship: 52 percent today, compared to 59 percent in an April 4 Quinnipiac University poll and the lowest level of support so far.

Illegal immigrants should be required to leave, 30 percent of voters say, up from 25 percent four weeks ago.

Creating a path to citizenship for illegal aliens would increase the likelihood of terrorism, 22 percent of voters say, while 66 percent say it will not make a difference. And 23 percent of voters say that the Boston bombing has changed their mind on whether there should be a path to citizenship for such immigrants.

Internet Sales Tax

Voters oppose 56 – 37 percent levying state sales taxes on internet purchases. Voters over 65 years old favor taxing internet sales 49 – 37 percent and Democrats are divided 46 – 45 percent. Every other group is opposed.

A total of 71 percent of American voters say they are either “dissatisfied” or “angry” over the U.S. Senate rejection of expanded background checks for gun buyers. While 17 percent want President Barack Obama to continue pushing for background checks, 30 percent want him to move on to other issues and 51 percent, want him to do both.

From April 25 – 29, Quinnipiac University surveyed 1,471 registered voters with a margin of error of +/- 2.6 percentage points. Live interviewers call land lines and cell phones. The survey includes 650 Democrats with a margin of error of +/- 3.8 percent.

The Quinnipiac University Poll, directed by Douglas Schwartz, Ph.D., conducts public opinion surveys in Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Florida, Ohio, Virginia and the nation as a public service and for research.

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2. (If Democrat or Democratic Leaner) If the Democratic primary for President were being held today, and the candidates were: Hillary Clinton, Joe Biden, Andrew Cuomo, Deval Patrick, Mark Warner and Martin O'Malley, for whom would you vote?

DEMOCRATS/DEMOCRATIC LEANERS

	Tot	Men	Wom
Clinton	65%	66%	65%
Biden	13	14	12
Cuomo	4	6	2
Patrick	1	1	1
Warner	1	-	1
O'Malley	1	1	1
SMONE ELSE (VOL)	1	1	-
WLDN'T VOTE (VOL)	-	1	-
DK/NA	14	9	18

REGION.....

	NEast	MWest	South	West
Clinton	70%	59%	68%	62%
Biden	11	20	12	11
Cuomo	7	3	2	4
Patrick	1	3	1	1
Warner	-	-	2	-
O'Malley	-	1	-	4
SMONE ELSE (VOL)	-	2	1	-
WLDN'T VOTE (VOL)	-	-	-	-
DK/NA	11	13	15	17

2a. (If voting for Clinton q2) Who is your second choice? (* q2 Recalculated primary vote without Clinton using second choice question)

DEMOCRATS/DEMOCRATIC LEANERS WITHOUT CLINTON

	Tot	Men	Wom
Biden	45%	50%	41%
Cuomo	15	18	14
Patrick	6	5	7
Warner	2	1	2
O'Malley	3	4	2
SMONE ELSE (VOL)	1	1	1
WLDN'T VOTE (VOL)	2	1	2
DK/NA	26	19	31

REGION.....

	NEast	MWest	South	West
Biden	34%	52%	53%	37%
Cuomo	29	11	9	16
Patrick	10	4	5	5
Warner	-	-	4	2
O'Malley	2	1	4	4
SMONE ELSE (VOL)	1	2	1	-
WLDN'T VOTE (VOL)	2	-	2	3
DK/NA	21	28	23	32

7. What do you think is the most important problem facing the country today?

	Tot	Men	Wom
Economy Total	36%	36%	36%
Unemployment/Jobs	18	19	17
Economy general	15	15	16
Cost of living	1	1	1
Business leaving/Outsourcng	1	1	1
Economy other	1	-	1
Budget Total	13%	17%	9%
Budget deficits	6	8	4
Gov too big/Gov spending	3	4	1
Budget general	2	3	1
Budget priorities	1	1	1
Budget/Service cuts	1	1	1
Budget other	-	-	1
Politicians/Campaigns Total	10%	12%	9%
Bipartisan/Compromise	3	3	3
Politicians/Campaigns genrl	2	2	2
Obama administration	1	1	1
Political corruption	1	1	-
Politicians/Campaigns other	3	5	3
Healthcare Total	5%	3%	7%
Healthcare/Costs/Ins/HMO's	4	2	6
Healthcare other	1	1	1
Terrorism Total	3%	3%	3%
Terrorism general	2	2	2
Security/Safety	1	1	1
Immigration	3%	3%	3%
Gun control	3%	3%	3%
Foreign Affairs/Policy Total	3%	2%	3%
Foreign affairs/Policy gen	1	1	1
Military issues	1	1	1
Priorities home, not abroad	1	1	1
Crime/Violence general	2%	-	3%
Education Total	3%	1%	3%
Education general	2	1	2
Funding education	1	-	1
War total	2%	2%	1%
War general	1	1	1
War other	1	1	1
Lack of ethics/Morality	2%	2%	1%

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7. (cont'd) What do you think is the most important problem facing the country today?

Taxes general	1%	1%	1%
Lack of religion	1%	1%	1%
Class inequality	1%	1%	-
Family breakdown/Family value	1%	-	1%
Poverty/Homeless	1%	1%	1%
Environment/Pollution	1%	1%	1%
Senior issues	1%	-	1%
Energy crisis/Gas prices	1%	1%	-
Welfare	1%	-	1%
Other	5%	6%	4%
DK/NA	3%	1%	5%

24. Would you describe the state of the nation's economy these days as excellent, good, not so good, or poor? (* Hispanic subgroup size less than 75, additional caution should be taken when interpreting findings of this group because of the large margin of error)

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Excellent	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	2%
Good	17	9	30	13	18	17	16	22	18
Not so good	45	38	51	47	44	47	44	52	48
Poor	36	53	17	40	37	35	39	19	31
DK/NA	1	-	2	1	1	1	1	6	1

WHITE.....									
COLLEGE DEG									
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	BornAgnEv	Mltry	
							Yes	No	HsHld
Excellent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Good	20	15	13	17	18	15	13	14	13
Not so good	48	42	41	45	44	44	36	45	42
Poor	31	43	45	38	38	40	50	40	44
DK/NA	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	1

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....									
	Yes	No	<50K	50-100	>100K	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Excellent	-	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	1%
Good	20	16	17	14	22	22	15	18	15
Not so good	47	44	42	54	45	53	48	42	42
Poor	31	38	39	30	32	25	36	39	40
DK/NA	1	1	1	1	1	-	2	-	2

TREND: Would you describe the state of the nation's economy these days as excellent, good, not so good, or poor?

EXLNT+GOOD....							
High Low							
	May 02	Feb 11	Jul 12	Feb 23	Oct 06	Dec 10	Mar 04
	2013	2013	2012	2012	2011	2003	2009
Excellent	-	1	1	1	-	3	-
Good	17	19	13	13	6	37	3
Not so good	45	41	45	43	38	42	28
Poor	36	38	41	43	55	16	68
DK/NA	1	-	1	1	-	1	-

25. Do you think the nation's economy is getting better, getting worse, or staying about the same?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Better	32%	12%	54%	29%	33%	32%	30%	41%	35%
Worse	24	35	11	27	22	26	26	17	20
The same	43	51	34	44	43	42	43	39	42
DK/NA	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	3	4

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mltry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
Better	38%	26%	24%	31%	32%	29%	15%	31%	27%
Worse	21	28	31	23	22	29	35	26	29
The same	40	45	45	45	45	42	50	42	43
DK/NA	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1

	COLLEGE DEG		ANNUAL	HSHOLD	INC	AGE IN	YRS.....		
	Yes	No	<50K	50-100	>100K	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Better	39%	29%	30%	35%	39%	34%	33%	32%	31%
Worse	20	26	27	21	17	19	25	24	26
The same	41	44	43	43	44	46	41	44	41
DK/NA	1	1	1	1	-	2	1	-	2

TREND: Do you think the nation's economy is getting better, getting worse, or staying about the same? (* Low also 11% Sep 2011)

	BETTER.....						
						High	Low
	May 02	Feb 11	Feb 23	Oct 06	Sep 01	Jan 18	Oct 06
	2013	2013	2012	2011	2011	2011	2011*
Better	32	34	35	11	11	36	11
Worse	24	28	26	44	49	20	44
The same	43	37	38	44	39	43	44
DK/NA	1	1	1	1	1	2	1

26. Would you say that you are better off or worse off financially than you were a year ago?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Better off	36%	19%	53%	35%	38%	34%	31%	58%	47%
Worse off	41	56	24	44	41	41	45	26	33
SAME (VOL)	22	24	22	20	19	24	23	16	17
DK/NA	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	3

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mltry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
Better off	38%	28%	28%	33%	34%	30%	22%	33%	29%
Worse off	40	47	46	46	43	46	51	45	46
SAME (VOL)	21	24	25	20	22	24	26	21	23
DK/NA	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

Better off	41%	34%	33%	38%	49%	52%	42%	32%	22%
Worse off	38	43	45	38	29	32	45	43	39
SAME (VOL)	21	22	21	22	22	14	12	24	38
DK/NA	1	1	1	2	-	2	1	1	1

TREND: Would you say that you are better off or worse off financially than you were a year ago?

	May 02 2013	Nov 13 2008	May 05 2004	Dec 10 2003	Feb 04 2003	Nov 13 2002
Better off	36	27	43	43	36	38
Worse off	41	50	34	36	38	39
SAME (VOL)	22	22	22	20	25	22
DK/NA	1	1	1	1	1	1

27. Do you think items and services purchased on the internet should be subject to state sales taxes or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Yes	37%	33%	46%	33%	38%	36%	37%	37%	45%
No	56	61	45	60	55	56	56	52	48
DK/NA	8	6	9	7	7	9	7	11	7

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mltry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
Yes	40%	35%	35%	37%	37%	36%	34%	36%	38%
No	52	58	57	55	57	55	57	57	56
DK/NA	8	7	8	8	6	9	9	7	7

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

Yes	38%	36%	38%	33%	40%	29%	30%	39%	49%
No	55	56	54	62	55	68	64	55	37
DK/NA	7	8	8	5	5	3	6	7	15

28. Which punishment do you prefer for people convicted of murder; the death penalty or life in prison with no chance of parole?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Death penalty	48%	65%	35%	47%	53%	43%	51%	32%	39%
Life/no parole	43	27	60	42	38	49	40	61	55
DK/NA	9	8	5	11	9	9	9	7	6

WHITE.....									
COLLEGE DEG									
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	BornAgnEv	Yes	No
	HsHld								
Death penalty	41%	56%	56%	54%	56%	48%	59%	52%	61%
Life/no parole	49	35	36	33	36	43	33	38	31
DK/NA	10	8	8	12	8	10	8	10	9

COLLEGE DEG									
ANNUAL HSHOLD INC									
	Yes	No	<50K	50-100	>100K	AGE IN	YRS.....	18-29	30-44
	45-64 65+								
Death penalty	42%	50%	45%	54%	50%	38%	51%	52%	46%
Life/no parole	48	41	47	38	41	54	42	40	44
DK/NA	10	8	8	8	9	9	8	8	10

TREND: Which punishment do you prefer for people convicted of murder; the death penalty or life in prison with no chance of parole?

	May 02	Jul 17	Dec 15
	2013	2008	2004
Death penalty	48	47	42
Life/no parole	43	44	46
DK/NA	9	9	12

29. Would you support or oppose a law requiring background checks on people buying guns at gun shows or online? Do you feel that way strongly or somewhat?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Strongly support	69%	52%	87%	69%	59%	78%	68%	80%	73%
Somewhat support	14	22	6	16	15	13	15	6	13
Somewhat oppose	4	9	1	3	7	2	4	3	5
Strongly oppose	9	13	4	9	15	4	9	8	7
DK/NA	3	5	2	3	4	3	4	3	2

REGION.....									
DENSITY.....									
	NEast	MWest	South	West	Urban	Suburb	Rural	HvKids	Gun
	HsHld								
Strongly support	78%	68%	68%	64%	73%	70%	62%	70%	62%
Somewhat support	12	12	14	17	12	15	16	14	16
Somewhat oppose	3	3	7	4	3	5	5	4	6
Strongly oppose	4	12	10	10	9	7	12	8	12
DK/NA	4	4	2	5	3	2	5	3	4

COLLEGE DEG									
ANNUAL HSHOLD INC									
	Yes	No	<50K	50-100	>100K	AGE IN	YRS.....	18-29	30-44
	45-64 65+								
Strongly support	73%	68%	72%	65%	73%	69%	71%	71%	66%
Somewhat support	14	14	12	16	15	13	13	14	14
Somewhat oppose	4	5	3	6	4	3	5	3	7
Strongly oppose	8	10	8	11	6	10	9	8	9
DK/NA	1	4	3	2	2	5	2	4	4

30. As you may know, the Senate rejected a proposal to require background checks on people buying guns at gun shows or online. Which of the following best describes how you feel about the Senate rejecting this proposal; enthusiastic, satisfied, dissatisfied or angry?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Enthusiastic	5%	10%	1%	6%	8%	3%	6%	-	3%
Satisfied	21	37	6	21	27	16	23	11	16
Dissatisfied	38	35	38	41	36	40	37	46	43
Angry	33	16	52	30	26	39	32	39	36
DK/NA	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	3	2

	REGION.....				DENSITY.....			HvKids	Gun
	NEast	MWest	South	West	Urban	Suburb	Rural	<18	HsHld
Enthusiastic	2%	8%	4%	7%	4%	5%	7%	6%	7%
Satisfied	19	19	23	23	18	21	26	21	30
Dissatisfied	33	41	41	34	43	33	38	37	38
Angry	43	30	29	33	33	39	25	34	23
DK/NA	4	3	2	2	3	2	4	2	3

	COLLEGE DEG		ANNUAL	HS HOLD	INC	AGE IN YRS.....			
	Yes	No	<50K	50-100	>100K	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Enthusiastic	6%	5%	4%	7%	5%	4%	7%	5%	4%
Satisfied	20	22	19	21	23	17	23	22	21
Dissatisfied	32	41	44	33	32	47	35	36	38
Angry	40	29	31	36	38	29	33	35	32
DK/NA	2	3	2	2	2	3	1	2	4

31. Do you think President Obama should continue to pursue a law that would require background checks on people buying guns at gun shows or online, or should he move on to other issues, or should he do both?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Pursue law	17%	9%	27%	16%	17%	18%	15%	22%	23%
Move on	30	52	7	34	41	21	34	9	21
Both	51	38	65	50	41	60	50	69	55
DK/NA	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	1

	REGION.....				DENSITY.....			HvKids	Gun
	NEast	MWest	South	West	Urban	Suburb	Rural	<18	HsHld
Pursue law	16%	17%	19%	15%	19%	19%	12%	18%	12%
Move on	25	32	30	34	23	31	39	32	43
Both	58	50	49	51	56	48	48	50	44
DK/NA	1	-	2	-	1	1	1	-	1

	COLLEGE DEG		ANNUAL	HS HOLD	INC	AGE IN YRS.....			
	Yes	No	<50K	50-100	>100K	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Pursue law	16%	18%	18%	14%	18%	18%	15%	19%	17%
Move on	31	30	25	37	33	25	32	32	29
Both	52	51	55	48	49	56	53	49	51
DK/NA	1	1	1	1	-	1	-	1	3

32. Which comes closest to your view about illegal immigrants who are currently living in the United States? A) They should be allowed to stay in the United States and to eventually apply for US citizenship. B) They should be allowed to remain in the United States, but not be allowed to apply for U.S. citizenship. C) They should be required to leave the U.S.

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
A) Stay/Citizenship	52%	36%	69%	51%	52%	53%	50%	68%	70%
B) Stay/Not citizen	11	15	8	12	10	12	11	6	12
C) Not stay	30	42	18	31	33	28	33	19	16
DK/NA	6	7	4	6	5	7	6	7	1

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mltry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
A) Stay/Citizenship	62%	44%	47%	44%	49%	50%	42%	50%	45%
B) Stay/Not citizen	11	11	11	13	11	11	12	10	13
C) Not stay	23	38	37	35	35	32	40	34	36
DK/NA	5	7	5	8	5	7	6	6	6

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

A) Stay/Citizenship	60%	49%	50%	52%	60%	60%	50%	52%	51%
B) Stay/Not citizen	13	10	10	11	13	11	12	9	13
C) Not stay	23	34	34	32	22	27	31	33	27
DK/NA	4	7	6	4	5	2	7	5	9

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A) Stay/Citizenship	38%
B) Stay/Not citizen	10
C) Not stay	43
DK/NA	8

TREND: Which comes closest to your view about illegal immigrants who are currently living in the United States? A) They should be allowed to stay in the United States and to eventually apply for US citizenship. B) They should be allowed to remain in the United States, but not be allowed to apply for U.S. citizenship. C) They should be required to leave the U.S.

	May 02 2013	Apr 04 2013	Feb 07 2013	Dec 05 2012
A) Stay/Citizenship	52	59	56	57
B) Stay/Not citizen	11	11	10	11
C) Not stay	30	25	30	26
DK/NA	6	5	4	5

33. In general, do you support or oppose same-sex marriage?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Support	45%	20%	65%	48%	40%	49%	46%	33%	55%
Oppose	47	73	29	44	51	44	48	58	29
DK/NA	8	7	6	8	9	7	7	9	16

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mltry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
Support	58%	40%	33%	47%	42%	49%	17%	48%	37%
Oppose	36	53	61	46	51	45	79	45	55
DK/NA	6	7	6	7	7	6	4	7	8

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

Support	57%	39%	41%	50%	56%	62%	53%	43%	25%
Oppose	37	52	50	44	40	30	42	50	63
DK/NA	6	9	9	6	4	8	6	6	12

TREND: In general, do you support or oppose same-sex marriage?

	May 02 2013	Apr 04 2013	Mar 08 2013	Dec 05 2012	Jul 17 2008
Support	45	50	47	48	36
Oppose	47	41	43	46	55
DK/NA	8	9	10	7	9

34. Do you think each state should make its own law on whether same-sex marriage is legal or illegal there, or do you think this should be decided for all states on the basis of the U.S. Constitution?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
States laws	36%	48%	23%	39%	43%	31%	39%	26%	26%
Constitution	57	48	69	54	51	61	56	62	65
DK/NA	7	4	8	8	6	8	5	12	9

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mltry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
States laws	42%	37%	42%	37%	48%	32%	42%	40%	35%
Constitution	53	57	51	59	48	62	51	55	58
DK/NA	5	6	7	4	4	7	7	5	6

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

States laws	38%	36%	34%	39%	35%	38%	41%	35%	32%
Constitution	56	57	58	56	62	57	54	59	57
DK/NA	6	7	9	4	3	5	5	6	11

TREND: Do you think each state should make its own law on whether same-sex marriage is legal or illegal there, or do you think this should be decided for all states on the basis of the U.S. Constitution?

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States laws	36	36
Constitution	57	56
DK/NA	7	7

35. In general, do you think terrorist suspects should be tried in civilian courts or military courts?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Civilian courts	30%	17%	37%	35%	28%	32%	31%	22%	30%
Military courts	58	73	48	55	63	53	58	60	57
DK/NA	12	10	15	10	10	15	11	18	13

	WHITE.....						COLLEGE DEG		BornAgnEv	Mltry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	Yes	HsHld
Civilian courts	39%	27%	28%	26%	30%	32%	23%	30%	30%	30%
Military courts	47	62	62	61	61	55	64	59	60	60
DK/NA	13	11	11	13	9	13	12	11	10	10

	COLLEGE DEG		ANNUAL	HS HOLD	INC	AGE IN	YRS.....		
	Yes	No	<50K	50-100	>100K	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Civilian courts	39%	26%	30%	32%	33%	32%	27%	30%	34%
Military courts	47	63	58	57	56	60	59	59	51
DK/NA	14	11	12	12	11	8	14	11	15

36. Do you happen to know whether civilian courts or military courts have achieved more convictions of terrorists?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Civilian courts	12%	11%	14%	11%	14%	11%	12%	9%	8%
Military courts	11	12	8	12	13	8	10	12	16
Don't know	76	76	78	76	72	80	77	79	76
REFUSED	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-

	WHITE.....						COLLEGE DEG		BornAgnEv	Mltry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	Yes	HsHld
Civilian courts	20%	9%	12%	14%	16%	10%	11%	13%	16%	16%
Military courts	8	11	13	8	12	8	16	8	14	14
Don't know	72	80	75	77	71	82	73	79	70	70
REFUSED	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-

	COLLEGE DEG		ANNUAL	HS HOLD	INC	AGE IN	YRS.....		
	Yes	No	<50K	50-100	>100K	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Civilian courts	20%	9%	9%	13%	21%	8%	12%	14%	13%
Military courts	9	11	13	11	6	4	16	11	9
Don't know	70	79	78	75	73	87	71	74	77
REFUSED	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	1

37. Do you think the American criminal justice system is capable of dealing with terrorism or do you believe it allows terrorist suspects too many rights?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
System capable	35%	19%	50%	34%	35%	34%	34%	35%	39%
Allows too many rights	53	72	37	52	54	52	55	40	54
DK/NA	13	9	13	14	11	14	11	25	8

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mrtry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
System capable	47%	28%	27%	25%	34%	34%	29%	28%	25%
Allows too many rights	44	60	62	65	57	53	63	61	65
DK/NA	10	12	11	11	9	12	8	11	10

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

System capable	47%	29%	34%	34%	40%	44%	41%	29%	32%
Allows too many rights	44	57	51	59	49	41	49	59	56
DK/NA	9	14	15	7	11	14	10	13	12

38. In general, do you think people convicted of murder during an act of terrorism should receive the death penalty or life in prison with no chance of parole?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Death penalty	63%	81%	49%	63%	68%	59%	66%	46%	58%
Life/no parole	32	15	46	32	28	35	29	46	41
DK/NA	5	3	5	5	4	6	4	8	1

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mrtry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
Death penalty	58%	71%	73%	69%	70%	64%	76%	69%	73%
Life/no parole	36	26	22	25	27	31	20	26	24
DK/NA	6	4	5	6	3	6	4	6	3

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

Death penalty	56%	66%	61%	67%	63%	52%	66%	68%	60%
Life/no parole	37	30	35	29	31	45	28	28	34
DK/NA	6	4	4	4	5	4	5	4	6

39. If the alleged Boston marathon bomber is convicted of murder, do you think he should receive the death penalty or life in prison with no chance of parole?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Death penalty	59%	78%	44%	61%	65%	54%	63%	41%	51%
Life/no parole	36	18	52	33	31	40	32	50	49
DK/NA	5	4	4	6	4	6	5	9	-

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mrtry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
Death penalty	55%	67%	69%	69%	68%	60%	71%	66%	68%
Life/no parole	38	29	26	27	28	35	25	29	28
DK/NA	6	4	5	4	4	5	5	5	3

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

Death penalty	55%	62%	56%	63%	62%	47%	61%	65%	58%
Life/no parole	39	34	40	33	32	49	32	30	38
DK/NA	6	4	4	4	7	4	7	4	5

40. Some people say that since many alleged terrorists seek martyrdom, a sentence of life in prison with no chance of parole is a better punishment for them than the death penalty. Do you agree or disagree?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Agree	37%	22%	49%	39%	32%	42%	35%	49%	51%
Disagree	56	74	42	56	62	51	59	40	49
DK/NA	6	4	9	5	6	7	6	11	-

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mrtry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
Agree	34%	35%	32%	31%	31%	37%	30%	34%	33%
Disagree	57	60	61	62	63	56	66	59	62
DK/NA	8	5	7	7	6	7	4	7	5

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

Agree	36%	38%	43%	33%	32%	50%	35%	34%	36%
Disagree	56	56	51	63	62	44	62	61	51
DK/NA	7	6	6	4	6	6	3	5	13

41. Do you think there is more the government can do to prevent attacks like the one in Boston, or is there not much more the government can do to prevent this type of attack?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
More gov can do	54%	61%	49%	55%	51%	57%	55%	57%	52%
Not much more	39	34	42	39	44	34	38	32	42
DK/NA	7	5	9	6	5	9	7	10	6

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mrtry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
More gov can do	52%	56%	60%	56%	52%	58%	58%	59%	53%
Not much more	43	36	33	39	45	33	36	35	42
DK/NA	5	8	7	5	3	9	6	6	5

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

More gov can do	51%	56%	57%	47%	54%	55%	56%	53%	53%
Not much more	44	36	35	46	41	40	37	41	36
DK/NA	6	8	7	7	5	4	7	6	11

42. Have the Boston marathon bombings changed your opinion regarding whether there should be a path to citizenship for illegal immigrants currently living in the United States?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Yes/Changed opinion	23%	24%	24%	21%	19%	27%	23%	37%	14%
No	70	71	70	72	75	66	71	57	82
DK/NA	6	5	7	7	6	7	7	6	5

WHITE.....

	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mrtry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
Yes/Changed opinion	12%	28%	26%	23%	16%	27%	28%	23%	23%
No	86	63	67	69	79	65	66	70	70
DK/NA	2	9	7	8	5	8	6	7	7

COLLEGE DEG ANNUAL HSHOLD INC AGE IN YRS.....
Yes No <50K 50-100 >100K 18-29 30-44 45-64 65+

Yes/Changed opinion	14%	28%	31%	18%	12%	21%	20%	23%	30%
No	83	64	63	76	85	73	77	71	58
DK/NA	3	8	6	6	3	6	4	6	11

43. Do you think allowing more illegal immigrants who are living in the U.S. a path to citizenship would increase the likelihood of terrorism, decrease the likelihood of terrorism, or wouldn't it make a difference?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp*
Increase likelihood	22%	30%	16%	20%	21%	22%	24%	18%	13%
Decrease likelihood	7	5	8	9	6	8	7	5	12
No difference	66	61	71	65	69	63	64	67	76
DK/NA	6	4	5	7	5	6	5	10	-

	WHITE.....								
	COLLEGE DEG						BornAgnEv		Mltry
	Yes	No	Prot	Cath	Men	Wom	Yes	No	HsHld
Increase likelihood	14%	29%	29%	22%	22%	25%	35%	22%	24%
Decrease likelihood	7	7	8	4	4	9	7	7	8
No difference	75	59	56	67	69	60	53	65	62
DK/NA	5	6	6	7	4	6	5	6	5

	COLLEGE DEG		ANNUAL	HSOLD	INC	AGE IN YRS.....			
	Yes	No	<50K	50-100	>100K	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+
Increase likelihood	14%	25%	25%	19%	16%	15%	19%	25%	23%
Decrease likelihood	6	7	9	5	5	12	6	6	6
No difference	76	61	60	73	76	69	72	64	61
DK/NA	4	6	6	2	3	5	3	5	11