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Political and Social Attitudes in Serbia 2002

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Good day / morning / evening, my name is _____, an interviewer of Partner Marketing Research Agenca from Belgrade. At the moment, we are conducting an public oppinion survey in Serbia, and we would like to interview one person from your household. I would like to speak with the adult person from your household who is going to have birthday anniversary next. The results of the survey will be used exclusively for research pposes, and you can remain completely anonymous, if you like.

Q-1 [q-1]. On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the way democracy works in Serbia?[EB]

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| 1. very satisfied | 4. not at all satisfied |
| 2. fairly satisfied | 5. Don't know |
| 3. not very satisfied | |

Q-2 [q_2_a to q_2_j]. People associate democracy with various things. Are the things listed below associated with democracy? (Read statements one by one. One answer for every statement)

	very much	mostly	mostly not	not at all	can't estimate
a. Political freedoms, such as freedom of speech and freedom of association	1	2	3	4	5
b. Greater social equality	1	2	3	4	5
c. Local government making political and administrative decisions	1	2	3	4	5
d. Less corruption and pulling strings	1	2	3	4	5
e. The courts holding all people equal before the law	1	2	3	4	5
f. The government controlling banks and private enterprises	1	2	3	4	5
g. More jobs, less unemployment	1	2	3	4	5
h. Better economic conditions	1	2	3	4	5
i. Several political parties competing for power	1	2	3	4	5
j. Parliament that has crucial legislative role.	1	2	3	4	5

Q-3 [q_3]. Here are three opinions about political systems. Which one comes closest to your own way of thinking? [EB] (Read the statements)

- Democracy is the best political system in all circumstances
- In certain circumstances a dictatorship can be preferable to democracy
- Whether we live in a democracy or under a dictatorship makes no difference to people like me.
- Don't know

Q-4 [q_4]. Here are three further opinions about political systems. Which one comes closest to your own way of thinking? (Read the statements)

- The rules and procedure of democracy should be respected in all circumstances.
- In the name of economic and social reform some of the formal requirements of democracy can be relaxed
- The details of democratic procedure make no difference to people like me
- Don't know

Q-5a [q_5a]. In your opinion, how is the reform process advancing nowadays? Please look at these people (SHOW CARD Q-5) No. 1 is standing still. No. 7 is running as fast as possible. Choose the one which best corresponds with your opinion (Write down in the table below, in the column Q-5a).

Q-5b [q_5b]. And which corresponds best to what you would like? (Write down in the table below, in the column Q-5b)

Q-5a	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8. Don't know
Q-5b	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8. Don't know

Q-6 [q_6a to q_6q]. **I would like to ask you a question about how much trust you have in certain institutions. For each of the following institutions, please tell me if you tend to trust it or tend not to trust it.** [EB] (*Read the institutions one by one. One answer for every institution*)

	Trust	Don't trust	Don't know	Didn't hear about it
a. The Press	1	2	3	4
b. Television	1	2	3	4
c. The Serbian legal system	1	2	3	4
d. The Police	1	2	3	4
e. The Army	1	2	3	4
f. The Orthodox church	1	2	3	4
g. Political parties	1	2	3	4
h. The (national) government	1	2	3	4
i. The national Parliament	1	2	3	4
j. The Federal Parliament	1	2	3	4
k. Politicians	1	2	3	4
l. The President of Yugoslavia	1	2	3	4
m. The President of Serbia	1	2	3	4
n. The European Union	1	2	3	4
o. NATO	1	2	3	4
p. OSCE	1	2	3	4
q. UN	1	2	3	4

Q-7. [q_7] **How well informed do you feel about the work of the National Assembly of Serbia?**

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| 1. well informed | 4. hardly informed at all |
| 2. somewhat informed | 5. Don't know |
| 3. poorly informed | |

Q-8 [q_8_1 to q_8_h]. **From which of the following sources have you recently heard about the work of the National Assembly of Serbia?** (*Read sources of information one by one. One answer for each source, or encircle i in front of the option "Doesn't follow the work of National Assembly" below the table*)

a. Radio	1. Yes	2. No
b. Newspaper	1. Yes	2. No
c. TV show	1. Yes	2. No
d. Live parliament transmissions	1. Yes	2. No
e. Friends	1. Yes	2. No
f. Internet	1. Yes	2. No
g. Political meeting/other contact with politician(s)	1. Yes	2. No
h. Other (specify) _____	1. Yes	2. No

i. [q_8x] Doesn't follow the work of National Assembly

Q-9 [q_9]. (*Ask only respondents who are informed about the work of national assembly from Live parliament transmissions - answer YES to Q-8d*) **Has watching live parliament transmissions strongly improved, somewhat improved, neither improved nor decreased, somewhat decreased or strongly decreased your opinion of the National Assembly of Serbia?**

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| 1. strongly improved | 4. somewhat decreased |
| 2. somewhat improved | 5. strongly decreased |
| 3. neither improved nor decreased | 6. Don't know |

Q-10 [q_10]. **Is there a need for a Code of Conduct in National Assembly?**

1. There is a need
2. There is no need
3. Don't know

Q-28 [q_28_a to q_28_c]. **How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?** [ISSP] (Read statements one by one. One answer for each statement)

	Agree strongly	agree	neither agree nor disagree	disagree	disagree strongly	Don't know
a. I would rather be a citizen of Serbia than of any other country in the world	1	2	3	4	5	6
b. There are some things about Serbia today that make me feel ashamed of Serbia	1	2	3	4	5	6
c. The world would be a better place if people from other countries were more like the people in Serbia	1	2	3	4	5	6

Q-29 [q_29]. **People may feel different degrees of attachment to their town or village, to their region, to their country (Serbia), or to Europe. Please tell me how attached you feel to each...** (Red areas one by one. One answer for each area)

	very attached	fairly attached	not very attached	not at all attached	don't know
a. your town or village	1	2	3	4	5
b. your region	1	2	3	4	5
c. your country	1	2	3	4	5
d. Europe	1	2	3	4	5

Q-30 [q_30]. **Please evaluate the current level of autonomy given to the region where you reside. Is it more than sufficient, sufficient, or insufficient?**

1. more than sufficient
2. sufficient
3. insufficient
4. Don't know

Q-31 [q_31_a to q_31_l]. **I would like to ask you a question about how much trust you have in people from various countries and republics. How much do you trust....** (Read countries one by one. One answer for each country)

	Lot of trust	Some trust	Not very much trust	No trust at all	Don't know
a. Montenegro	1	2	3	4	5
b. Slovenia	1	2	3	4	5
c. Croatia	1	2	3	4	5
d. Macedonia	1	2	3	4	5
e. BiH	1	2	3	4	5
f. Albania	1	2	3	4	5
g. Bulgaria	1	2	3	4	5
h. Hungary	1	2	3	4	5
i. Greece	1	2	3	4	5
j. Italy	1	2	3	4	5
k. USA	1	2	3	4	5
l. Switzerland	1	2	3	4	5

Q-32 [q_32]. **Which of the following statements comes closest to your own view about resolving the status of Kosovo and Metohija?** (Procitati tvrdnje)

1. Kosovo and Metohija is an integral part of Serbia and this status should be maintained at all costs
2. The status of Kosovo and Metohija is difficult to determine
3. The sooner people forget about Kosovo and Metohija belonging to Serbia, the sooner we can start to get on with our daily lives
4. Don't know

Q-33 [q_33]. **In your opinion should the Republika Srpska be allowed to join with Serbia should it so choose?**

1. Strongly agree
2. agree
3. disagree
4. strongly disagree
5. Don't know

Q-40 [q_40]. **In your opinion, with which of the following countries should Serbia cooperate the most?** (Red the countries. One answer only)

1. EU Member States
2. USA
3. Russia
4. Balkan states
5. Our old friends from the "non aligned movement" (African and Asian developing countries)
6. *Don't know*

Q-41 [q_41]. **Generally speaking, do you think that Serbia's membership in the European Union would be a good thing, a bad thing, or neither good nor bad?** [EB]

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| 1. Good | 3. Neither good nor bad |
| 2. Bad | 4. <i>Don't know</i> |

Q-42 [q_42]. **All things considered, how well informed do you feel that you are about the European Union, its policies, its institutions?** [EB]

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| 1. very well | 4. not at all well |
| 2. quite well | 5. <i>Don't know</i> |
| 3. not very well | |

Q-43 [q_43]. **Generally speaking, do you think that Serbia's membership in NATO would be a good thing, a bad thing, or neither good nor bad?**

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| 1. Good | 3. Neither good nor bad |
| 2. Bad | 4. <i>Don't know</i> |

Q-44 [q_44]. **Do you think there are too few women in politics, enough women in politics or too many women in politics?**

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| 1. Too few | 3. Too much |
| 2. Enough | 4. <i>Don't know</i> |

Q-45 [q_45_1 to q_45_11]. **What are the main problems women face in Serbia today? Choose three most important problems from this list. (Show card Q-45 Three answers allowed)**

1. Violence against women
2. Unfair working conditions
3. Unemployment
4. Poverty
5. Being main responsible for child support
6. Political under representation
7. Lack of public right to be heard
8. Shortages in health care system
9. Discrimination in private life
10. Discrimination in public life
11. *Don't know*

Q-46 [q_46_a to q_46_d]. **Do you think men and women in Serbia have equal opportunities...? (Read domains one by one. One answer for each domain)**

	Yes	No	<i>Don't know</i>
a. In education	1	2	3
b. In employment	1	2	3
c. In politics	1	2	3
d. In business	1	2	3

D-8 [d_8]. What is your personal monthly income?

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| 0. has no personal income | 5. 15001-20000 dinars |
| 1. up to 3000 dinars | 6. More than 20000 dinars |
| 2. 3001 - 5000 dinars | 7. <i>Don't know</i> |
| 3. 5001 - 10000 dinars | 8. <i>Refusal</i> |
| 4. 10001-15000 dinars | |

D-9 [d_9]. Do you consider yourself as belonging to a particular religion?

1. Yes
2. No (*Go to D-12*)
3. *Don't know (Go to D-12)*

D-10 [d_10]. What is your religion?

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| 1. Serb Orthodox | 5. Jewish |
| 2. Other Orthodox | 6. Muslim |
| 3. Roman Catholic | 7. Other |
| 4. Protestant | 8. <i>Don't know - refused</i> |

D-11 [d_11]. Do you personally feel that your religion is of any importance in your life?

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| 1. of great importance | 3. only of little importance |
| 2. some importance | 4. <i>Don't know</i> |

D-12 [d_12]. How many persons permanently live in this household?

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| 1. one person | 4. four persons |
| 2. two persons | 5. five or more persons |
| 3. three persons | |

D-13 [d_13]. D-13. How many persons under the age of 18 live in this household?

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| 0. no children under 18 | 2. two persons |
| 1. one person | 3. three or more persons |

D-14 [d_14]. What is total monthly household income?

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| 1. up to 3000 dinars | 5. 20001-30000 dinars |
| 2. 3001 - 5000 dinars | 6. More than 30000 dinars |
| 3. 5001 - 10000 dinars | 7. <i>Don't know</i> |
| 4. 10001-20000 dinars | 8. <i>Refusal</i> |

D-15 [d_15]. Are you the head of this household?

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| 1. Yes (<i>Go to D-17</i>) | 2. No |
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D-16 [d_16]. What is the occupation of the head of the household?

1. Employer-manager of establishment with 10 or more employees
2. Employer-manager of establishment with less than 10 employee
3. Professional worker. lawyer, accountant, teacher, etc
4. Supervisory - office worker: supervises others.
5. Non-manual - office worker: non-supervisory
6. Foreman and supervisor
7. Skilled manual worker
8. Semi-skilled manual worker
9. Unskilled manual worker
10. Farmer. has own farm
11. Agricultural worker
12. Member of armed forces, security personnel
13. Never had a job
14. *Don't know*

D-17 [d_17_a to d_17_t]. **Do you own:?** (Ask for each appliance)

	Yes	No
1. Laundry washing mashine	1	2
2. Refrigerator	1	2
3. Electric stove	1	2
4. Wood stove	1	2
5. Freezer	1	2
6. TV set	1	2
7. Dish washing mashine	1	2
8. Fixed phone	1	2
9. Wireless phone	1	2
10. Microwave oven	1	2
11. Camera (VHS, digital...)	1	2
12. Audio system	1	2
13. DVD player	1	2
14. Vacuum cleaner	1	2
15. Registered car	1	2
16. More than one car	1	2
17. Satellite/cable TV	1	2
18. Computer	1	2
19. Video	1	2
20. Mobile phone	1	2

Say to respondent at the end: "Thank you for participating in our survey. Do you have any questions? In the next few days, my supervisor might call you or come to your home, to check the quality of my work, and to answer all the questions you might have regarding this interview. In order to help her/him, can I have your telephone number?"

RECORD RESPONDENT'S DATA IN CONTACT SHEET.

G-1 [g_1]. Municipality: _____
G-2 [g_2]. Mesna zajednica: _____
G-3 [g_3] Region: 1. Beograd 2. Voivodina 3. Central Serbia
G-4 [g_4] Date of interview: _____
G-5 [g_5] Type of settlement: 1.urban 2. other
G-6 [g_6] Day of the week: 1. Monday 2. Tuesday 3. Wednesday 4. Thursday 5. Friday 6. Saturday 7. Sunday
G-7 [g_7] . Size of settlement: 1.village 2.town - up to 40.000 inhabitants 3. town - 40.000 to 100.000 4. town - 100.000 to 1,000.000 5.City of Belgrade - over 1,000.000 inhabitants
G-8 [g_8]. Interviewer's code: _____