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Good morning/afternoon. I am from Ulster Opinion Surveys Limited. We are carrying out a short survey, and would be grateful for your help in answering some questions.

112 On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied, or not at all satisfied with the life you lead?

Very satisfied	1	(12)
Fairly satisfied	2	
Not very satisfied	3	
Not at all satisfied	4	
Don't know/no reply	0	

113 When you yourself, hold a strong opinion, do you ever find yourself persuading your friends, relatives or fellow workers to share your views? If so, does this happen often, from time to time, or rarely?

Often	1	(13)
From time to time	2	
Rarely	3	
Never	4	
Don't know	0	

SHOW CARD "A"

114 There is a lot of talk these days about what the aims of Northern Ireland should be for the next ten years. On this card are listed some of the goals to which different people would give top priority. Would you please say which of these you yourself consider the most important? **ONE ANSWER PER COLUMN ONLY.**

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	Q. 114	Q. 115
	Most Important	Next Most
	(14)	(15)
Maintenance of law and order	1	1
Giving people more say in Government decisions	2	2
Fighting rising prices	3	3
Protecting freedom of expression	4	4
Don't know/no reply	0	0

115 And the next most important? **ONE ANSWER PER COLUMN ONLY**

116 On the whole are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the way democracy works in Northern Ireland?

Very satisfied	1	(16)
Fairly satisfied	2	
Not very satisfied	3	
Not at all satisfied	4	
Don't know	0	

SHOW CARD "B"

17 On this card are three basic kinds of attitudes vis a vis the society we live in. Please choose the one which best describes your own opinion.

The entire way our society is organised must be radically changed by revolutionary action	1	(17)
Our society must be gradually improved by reforms	2	
Our present society must be valiantly defended against all subversive forces	3	
Don't know	0	

18 When you get together with your friends, would you say you discuss political matters frequently, occasionally, or never?

Frequently	1	(18)
Occasionally	2	
Never	3	
Don't know	0	

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21 You have probably heard about the European Community (Common Market). Considering your personal knowledge of the questions which the Common Market is concerned with, can you tell me if you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? **READ OUT**

		Agree	Disagree	D.K.	
119	I have no time for this and cannot be interested in everything at once	1	2	0	(19)
120	The newspapers, radio and television do not say enough about European questions	1	2	0	(20)
121	The newspapers, radio and television do not deal seriously enough with European questions	1	2	0	(21)

22 Generally speaking, do you think that Northern Ireland's membership of the Common Market is a good thing, a bad thing, or neither good nor bad?

Good thing	1	(22)
Bad thing	2	
Neither good nor bad	3	
Don't know	0	

CARD ONE

123	Do you consider yourself a supporter of any particular political party. If so, do you feel yourself to be very involved in this party, fairly involved, or merely a sympathiser?	Very involved	1	(23)
		Fairly involved	2	
		Merely a sympathiser	3	
		No affinities with any party	4	
		Don't know	0	

SKIP TO Q. 125

124	Is this party for or against the development of the European Community into a European Political Union? <u>PROBE:</u> Completely, or only to some extent?	Completely for	1	(24)
		To some extent for	2	
		To some extent against	3	
		Completely against	4	
		Don't know	0	

125	In June of next year, the citizens of countries belonging to the European Community will be asked to vote to elect members of the European Parliament. Everybody will be entitled to vote. Are you, yourself, for or against this particular election. <u>PROBE:</u> Completely or only to some extent?	Completely for	1	(25)
		To some extent for	2	
		To some extent against	3	
		Completely against	4	
		Don't know	0	

126	Would you say that the fact that you are able to vote for the forthcoming election in the European Parliament gives you a stronger feeling that you are a citizen of Europe, than if there was no election?	YES, stronger	1	(26)
		NO, not stronger	2	
		Don't know/no reply	0	

SHOW CARD "C"

127	Which one of these opinions comes closest to your own on the future elections to the European Parliament?	It is an event with important consequences which is certain to make Europe more politically unified	1	(27)
		It is an unimportant event because the national governments will not be bound by the votes in the European Parliament	2	
		Don't know	0	

SHOW CARD "D"

128	Which of the following attitudes would you expect a Northern Ireland member of the European Parliament to have?	He should support things that are good for Europe as a whole, even if they are not always good for Northern Ireland <u>at the time</u>	1	(28)
		He should support the interests of Northern Ireland <u>all the time</u> , whether or not they are good for Europe as a whole.	2	
		Don't know	0	

129 How likely is it that you will go and vote? Certainly, probably, probably not, or certainly not?

Will certainly go and vote	1	(29)
Will probably go and vote	2	
Will probably not vote	3	
Will certainly not vote	4	
Depends (DO NOT PROMPT)	5	
Don't know	0	

SHOW CARD "K"

130/131 Which party are you most likely to vote for in the elections to the European Parliament, assuming for the moment that this party will have candidates in the constituency where you vote?

	130/ 131	132/ 133	Punch Column 31 & 32 not use
Official Unionist Party	(30) 1	(32) 1	
Democratic Unionist Party	2	2	
NILP (N.I. Labour Party)	3	3	
UPNI (Unionist Party of N.I.)	4	4	
Alliance	5	5	
S.D.L.P.	6	6	
Other party (state & code)	7	7	
Don't know/no reply	0	0	

132/133 In practice at these elections, some parties may not have a candidate in every constituency. If the party you have just quoted doesn't have a candidate where you vote, which other party would you be most likely to vote for?

SHOW CARD " E " AND READ IT OUT FOR RESPONDENT:

134 There are two ways of looking at the more distant future of the European Community
Some people think the Community should not only have a directly elected parliament, but also an actual government which would have the final say in decisions in some important areas,
Others think that the individual governments of member countries should have the final say.
Which of these two comes nearest to your way of thinking? **DO NOT PRESS, OR DO NOT SUGGEST. REPEAT IF NECESSARY.**

An actual European Government	1	(34)
National Government to have the final say	2	
Other response (spontaneous)	3	
.....	0	

135 It has been suggested that people sought after for crimes committed in one member country of the European Community who have taken refuge in another member country should be automatically handed back to the country who want to put them on trial. Are you

Completely for	1	(35)
Somewhat for	2	
Somewhat against	3	
Completely against this idea	4	
Don't know/no reply	0	

NOW, LET US COME TO OTHER TOPICS

136	Taking all things together, how would you say things are these days - would you say you're very happy, fairly happy, or not too happy these days?	Very happy	1	(36)
		Fairly happy	2	
		Not too happy	3	
		Don't know	0	

137	Would you say that, in this part of the country, that is, where you live, the opportunities for getting a job are good or bad at the moment? If so, are they very good, quite good, rather bad, or very bad?	Very good	1	(37)
		Quite good	2	
		Rather bad	3	
		Very bad	4	
		Don't know/no reply	0	

138	Are you yourself in work at the moment? IF YES, how many hours a week do you normally work?	Not working	1 - Q. 139	(38)
		Working less than 8 hours a week	2	
		Working 8 to 29 hours a week	3	
		Working 30 to 39 hours a week	4	
		Working 40 - 48 hours a week	5	
		Working more than 48 hours a week	6	
		Working hours not specified	7	

SKIP TO Q. 140

139	Have you had a job in the past? If so, was it full time (30 hours or more a week), or part-time (less than 30 hours a week)	YES, full time	1	(39)
		YES, part-time	2	
		NO	3	
		Don't know/no reply	0	

140	I want to talk about the last 3 years, that is since Spring 1975. During this time have you ever been unemployed, that is either without a job, or wanted to find work, but could not get a job?	Yes, out of work or could not get a job	1 - Q. 141	(40)
		No, never out of work or looking for a job	2 - Q. 149	
		Don't know/no reply	0	

141	As of today, have you got a job, have you stopped looking for one, or are you unemployed and looking for a job?	Have a job	1	(41)
		No longer looking for a job	2	
		Is unemployed or looking for a job	3 - Q. 142	
		Don't know/no reply	0	

142	Are you urgently looking for work or can you afford to take a little time about it?	Looking urgently	1	(42)
		Can take my time	2	
		Don't know	0	

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143 Would you take a part-time job (that is up to 30 hours a week maximum)?

	Q. 143	Q. 144
	Part-time	Lower Level
	(43)	(44)
Would	1	1
Would not	2	2
Don't know	0	0

144 Would you or would you not accept a job at a lower level than your qualifications or experience would entitle you to?

145 How long altogether have you been unemployed or looking for a job during these last 3 years?

Less than 3 months	1	(45)
3 to less than 6 months	2	
6 to less than 12 months	3	
1 year and over	4	
Don't know	0	

146 During the last 3 years, have you been actually registered as unemployed, or are you now registered?

Have been registered, BUT NOT NOW	1	(46)
Registered NOW	2	
Never registered	3	
Don't know	0	

147 During these 3 years, did you actually receive unemployment pay or other benefits such as social security because you were out of work (ignore any benefits you might have received for other reasons). MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE.

Unemployment benefit	1	-Q. 149	(47)
Social security benefits etc.	2 - Q. 148		
None	3		
Don't know	0		

148 For how long did you receive these benefits?

Less than 3 months	1	(48)
3 to less than 6 months	2	
6 to less than 12 months	3	
1 year and over	4	
Don't know	0	

ASK ALL:

149 Do you think that in the next two years you might be needing a job and not be able to find one? Would you say that this

READ OUT

... is very likely	1	(49)
... could well happen	2	
... is not very likely	3	
... won't happen	4	
... Don't know	0	

150 Among the people you know well, family, friends and close acquaintances, is there anyone who has been actually unemployed during the last 3 years (since Spring 1975)?

YES, family	1	(50)
YES, friends and acquaintances	2	
NO	3	
Don't know	0	

SHOW CARD " F "

151- Here are some different kinds of advice that could be given to people who haven't managed to find a job. In your opinion, which are good advice and which are bad?
153 (GET ONE ANSWER FOR EACH ITEM, THAT IS FOR EACH LINE)

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	Good Advice	Bad Advice	Can't Say
	→ (51)	→ (52)	→ (53)
Learn to do another job	1	1	1
Move to another town	2	2	2
Be less choosy	3	3	3
Try to get a job which pays cash (avoiding tax and insurance)	4	4	4
Stay unemployed rather than take a job that won't satisfy you	5	5	5
If you don't need the money, give up the idea of working	6	6	6

SHOW CARD " G "

154- What is the worst thing about not being able to find work? And the next one? (TWO
155 ANSWERS, ONE PER COLUMN.)

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	First	Second
	→ (54)	→ (55)
Lack of contact with colleagues	1	1
Reduced income, not enough money	2	2
Poor opinion of friends and acquaintances	3	3
Family problems	4	4
Boredom, nothing to do	5	5
Lack of self-confidence and self-respect	6	6
Worries about the future	7	7
Loss of experience at one's trade or job	8	8
Don't know	0	0

156 Do you personally know people who are registered as unemployed and who are not seriously looking for work, have you heard talk of such people, or haven't you heard of any?

157 Do you personally know anyone who, while not registered as unemployed would like to work if possible, have you heard of such people, or haven't you heard of any?

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	Q. 156	Q. 157
	→ (56) →	→ (57)
Know people personally	1	1
Heard of such people, but don't know personally	2	2
None I have heard of	3	3
Don't know	0	0

158-160 From what you see around about these days, are there many people or a few, or virtually none

- READ OUT**
- who do paid overtime ?
 - who have a second job?
 - who do jobs on the side for cash, thus avoiding tax and insurance on it?

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	Paid Over-time	Second job	Jobs on the side
	→ (58) →	→ (59) →	→ (60)
Many	1	1	1
A few	2	2	2
Virtually none	3	3	3
Don't know	0	0	0

161-163 Is it a good thing or a bad thing that **READ OUT (ONE ANSWER FOR EACH LINE)**

	Good	Bad	Don't Know	
People do paid overtime	1	2	0	(61)
People have a second job	1	2	0	(62)
People do jobs on the side for cash	1	2	0	(63)

SHOW CARD " H "

164-165 In your opinion, what are the two main reasons there are so many women registered as unemployed? **INTERVIEWER: RECORD TWO MAIN REASONS - FIRST MENTION IN COLUMN (64), SECOND MENTION IN COLUMN (65).**

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	First	Second
	→ (64) →	→ (65)
• Employers are less reluctant to discharge a woman than a man	1	1
• Women have frequently less qualifications than men, which limits the kind of work they can be offered	2	2
• Industries which employ mainly women are on the decline so job opportunities are shrinking	3	3
• For some women, it is almost as worthwhile to get unemployment benefit as to work	4	4
• Others responses (state & code)	5	5
• Don't know	0	0

SHOW CARD " 1 "

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In your opinion what are the two main reasons there are so many young people registered as unemployed? **AGAIN RECORD FIRST AND SECOND MENTIONS IN CORRECT COLUMNS.**

	First (66)	Second (67)	Puncher
• Employers prefer to offer jobs to people with some experience	1	1	
• Young people do not wish to work in the jobs which are open to them	2	2	
• Employers are reluctant these days to increase their work force	3	3	
• Young people come into the employment market for the first time inadequately trained for work	4	4	
• Other (State & code)	5	5	
Don't know	0	0	

NOW, LET US COME TO OTHER TOPICS.

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We hear often nowadays about situations where hostages are taken. If, in order to stop this, it became necessary to risk the lives of hostages already taken, would you agree that this risk should be taken?

YES	1	(68)
NO	2	
Don't know	0	

69

Do you regard yourself as belonging to a Religion? If so, which of them?

Roman Catholic	1	} GO TO Q. 170	(69)
Church of Ireland	2		
Other (State & code)	3		
None	4	} SKIP TO Q. 171	
Don't know/no reply	0		

70

Do you go to religious services several times a week, once a week, a few times in the year, or never?

Several times a week	1	(70)
Once a week	2	
A few times a year	3	
Never	4	
Don't know/no reply	0	

SHOW CARD "J"

171. In political matters, people talk of "the left" and "the right". How would you place your views on this scale?

DO NOT PROMPT. THE 10 BOXES ON THE CARD ARE NUMBERED, RING CHOICE. IF RESPONDENT HESITATES, ASK HIM TO TRY AGAIN. MARK REFUSALS UNDER "R".

LEFT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	X	RIGHT	Refusal "E"
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CLASSIFICATION DETAILS

CARD TWO

MARITAL STATUS:

- Are you Single 1
- Married 2
- Common Law Marriage 3
- Divorced 4
- Separated 5
- Widowed 6

EDUCATION:

How old were you when you finished your full-time education

- 14 years or younger 1
- 15 years 2
- 16 years 3
- 17 years 4
- 18 years 5
- 19 years 6
- 20 years 7
- 21 years 8
- 22 years or more 9
- Still at school/university X

POLITICAL PREFERENCE: SHOW CARD "K"

Generally speaking, which political party do you feel closer to?

- Official Unionist Party 1
- Democratic Unionist Party 2
- N.I.L.P. (N. I. Labour Party) 3
- U.P.N.I. (Unionist Party of NI) 4
- Alliance 5
- S.D.L.P. 6
- Other Party (State & code) 7
- None/no preference X
- Don't know/no answer 0

SKIP TO RECORD SEX, ETC.

Apart from the party you have just mentioned is there another one that you feel rather close to?

- Official Unionist Party 1
- Democratic Unionist Party 2
- N.I.L.P. (N.I. Labour Party) 3
- U.P.N.I. (Unionist Party of NI) 4
- Alliance 5
- S.D.L.P. 6
- Other party (State & code) 7
- None/no preference X
- Don't know/no answer 0

SEX:

- MALE 1
- FEMALE 2

PRECISE AGE: Write in boxes below

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(67) (68)

NO. IN HOUSEHOLD:

How many persons live at home? (Including respondent, all adults and children). SINGLE CODE.

- 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 and over

CHILDREN 8 - 15:

How many children living at home between 8 - 15 years, inclusive? SINGLE CODE

- 1 2 3 4 5 and over

CHILDREN UNDER 8 YEARS:

How many children living at home under 8 years? SINGLE CODE

- 1 2 3 4 5 and over

SHOW INCOME CARD:

Here is a scale of incomes. We would like to know, in what group your family is, counting all wages, salaries, pension and any other income that comes in. Just give me the number of the group your household falls into, before tax and deductions.

- Income group 1
- Income group 2
- Income group 3
- Income group 4
- Income group 5
- Income group 6
- Income group 7
- Income group 8
- Income group 9
- Income group X
- Income group V
- Don't know/no reply 0

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Col. (63) not used

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NAME OF RESPONDENT:

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ADDRESS

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OCCUPATION OF RESPONDENT:

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SKILL/QUALIFICATION:

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IF MANAGER/PROPRIETOR, NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES, IF FARMER, STATE ACREAGE:

RELATIONSHIP OF RESPONDENT TO HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD:

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OCCUPATION OF HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

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SKILL/QUALIFICATION:

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IF MANAGER/PROPRIETOR, NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES. IF FARMER, STATE ACREAGE.

OCCUPATION/PROFESSION OF RESPONDENT:

Self-employed:

- Farmer/fisherman (skipper) 1 (73)
- Professional (lawyer, accountant, etc) 2
- Business (owner of shop, craftsman, proprietor) 3

Employed:

- Manual Worker 4
- White Collar/Office Worker 5
- Executive/Top management, director 6

Not employed:

- Retired 7
- Housewife, not otherwise employed 8
- Student 9
- Unemployed 0

"NOT EMPLOYED" GO TO NEXT POINT - OTHERS ASK:

How many people are working where you work (organisation/company, shop, factory, etc).

- Less than 5 1 (74)
- 5 to 50 2
- 50 to 500 3
- 500 and over 4

RESPONDENT STATUS: Are you the head of the Household?

- YES 1 - GO TO LANGUAGE QUESTIONS "W" AND "Z" AND THEN TO "AREA TYPE". (75)
- NO 2 - CONTINUE

IF "NO" ABOVE, SEE INSTRUCTIONS AND CODE OCCUPATION OF HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD:

OCCUPATION/PROFESSION OF HEAD OF H/HOLD

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- Executive/top management, director 6

Not Employed:

- Retired 7
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AREA TYPE

Would you say you live in

- A rural area or village 1
- A small or middle-sized town 2
- A big town 3

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HABITAT (O.U.O.)

- Less than 2,000 people 1
- 2,000 - 19,000 2
- 20,000 - 99,000 3
- 100,000 and over 4

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COLUMN (79) NOT USED ←

LANGUAGE QUESTION "W" (INTERVIEWER)

What language is spoken in your family?

- English 1
- Irish 2
- Other 3
- Refused to answer 4

No
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INTERVIEWER: NOW RECORD CODE IN APPROPRIATE BOX (10) ON TOP OF PAGE 1

LANGUAGE QUESTION "Z" (INTERVIEWER)

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement:

"Ireland would not really be Ireland without its' Irish speaking people".

- Agree 1
- Disagree 2
- DK/Not stated 0

No
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INTERVIEWER: NOW RECORD CODE IN APPROPRIATE BOX (11) ON TOP OF PAGE 1

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(80) ←

I certify that this interview has been carried out strictly in accordance with your instructions.

SIGNED: _____

DATE: _____

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CARD 13

- The entire way our society is organised must be radically changed by revolutionary action.
- Our society must be gradually improved by reforms.
- Our present society must be valiantly defended against all subversive forces

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CARD 1A

- Giving people more say in government decisions
- Fighting rising prices
- Maintenance of law and order
- Protecting freedom of expression

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CARD "B"

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CARD "C"

It is an unimportant event because the national governments will not be bound by the votes in the European Parliament.

It is an event with important consequences which is certain to make Europe more politically unified.

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CARD 11

- . If you don't need the money, give up the idea of working.
- . Stay unemployed rather than take a job that won't satisfy you.
- . Try to get a job which pays cash (avoiding tax and insurance).
- . Be less choosy
- . Move to another town
- . Learn to do another job

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CARD 11

- . An actual European Government
- . National Government to have the final say

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CARD "H"

- For some women, it is almost as worthwhile to get unemployment benefits as to work
- Industries which employ mainly women are on the decline, so job opportunities are shrinking
- Women have frequently less qualifications than men, which limits the kind of work they can be offered.
- Employers are less reluctant to discharge a woman than a man.

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CARD "G"

- Loss of experience at one's trade or job
- Worries about the future
- Lack of self-confidence and self-respect
- Boredom, nothing to do
- Family problems
- Poor opinion of friends and acquaintances
- Reduced income, not enough money
- Lack of contact with colleagues

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CARD "J"

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CARD "J"

- Young people come into the employment market for the first time inadequately trained.
- Employers are reluctant to accept inexperienced people into their work force.
- Young people do not wish to work in the jobs which are open to them.
- Employers prefer to offer jobs to people with some experience.

INCOME CARD

Completely confidential: Please use this card to give me just the code number for:

YOUR TOTAL FAMILY INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES
before tax and other deductions.

<u>WEEKLY</u>		<u>MONTHLY</u>		<u>ANNUALLY</u>	
Less than £9.25 a week	1.	Less than £40 a month	1.	Less than £480 a year	
£9.25 - £18.49 "	2.	£40 - £79 "	2.	£480 - £959 "	
£18.50 - £27.74 "	3.	£80 - £119 "	3.	£960 - £1,439 "	
£27.75 - £36.89 "	4.	£120 - £159 "	4.	£1,440 - £1,919 "	
£36.90 - £46.19 "	5.	£160 - £199 "	5.	£1,920 - £2,399 "	
£ .20 - £55.39 "	6.	£200 - £239 "	6.	£2,400 - £2,879 "	
£55.40 - £73.49 "	7.	£240 - £319 "	7.	£2,880 - £3,839 "	
£73.50 - £92.29 "	8.	£320 - £399 "	8.	£3,840 - £4,799 "	
£92.30 - £110.99 "	9.	£400 - £479 "	9.	£4,800 - £5,759 "	
£111.00 - £138.39 "	X	£480 - £599 "	X	£5,760 - £7,199 "	
£138.40 and over	V	£600 and over "	V	£7,200 and over "	

CARD

Official Unionist Party
 Democratic Unionist Party
 N.I.L.P. (Northern Ireland Labour Party)
 U.P.N.I. (Unionist Party of Northern Ireland)
 Alliance
 S.D.L.P.
 Other party