NORTH CAROLINA STATEWIDE
SURVEY RESEARCH REPORT
MAY 2009

DO YOU SUPPORT THE DEATH PENALTY IN NORTH CAROLINA?

			DIRECTION			ISSUE/PROBLEM							LEG. VOTE			
	N	%	RIGHT	WRONG	NOT SURE	ECON/JOBS	TAXES SPENDING	PUBLIC EDUCATION	HEALTH CARE COST	CORRUPT. MISMANAGE	ILLEGAL IMMIGRAT.	NOT SURE	DEM	REP	NEITHER	NOT SURE
	598	100	253	285	59	283	85	67	38	47	38	23	236	219	25	116
			42%	48%	10%	47%	14%	11%	6%	8%	6%	4%	39%	37%	4%	19%
YES	381	64	56%	72%	59%	61%	76% *	63%	55%	74% *	68%	61%	47% *	77% *	88% *	67%
NO	167	28	37% *	19% *	34%	31%	19% *	19%	34%	17% *	24%	26%	44% *	15% *	8% *	23%
NOT SURE	50	8	7%	10%	7%	7%	5%	18% *	11%	9%	8%	13%	9%	8%	4%	9%
NET YES	214	36	19% *	53% *	25% *	30%	58% *	43%	21% *	57% *	45%	35%	2% *	62% *	80% *	44%
YES : NO	2.3:1		1.5:1 *	3.8:1 *	1.8:1 *	2.0:1 *	4.1:1 *	3.2:1 *	1.6:1 *	4.4:1 *	2.9:1 *	2.3:1	1.0:1 *	5.1:1 *	11.0:1 *	2.9:1 *

			RE-REGISTER			ABORTION			AGE					BEHAVIORAL VOTING				
	N	%	REP	DEM	UNAFFIL.	ALWAYS LEGAL	CERTAIN CIRCUM.	NEVERL LEGAL	18-25	26-40	41-55	56-65	66+	ALWAYS DEMOCRAT	MORE DEMS THAN REPS	MORE REPS THAN DEMS	ALWAYS REP	TICKET SPLITTER
	598	100	195	246	126	172	281	122	30	118	195	130	124	128	115	137	55	146
			33%	41%	21%	29%	47%	20%	5%	20%	33%	22%	21%	21%	19%	23%	9%	24%
YES	381	64	73% *	49% *	75% *	64%	64%	66%	63%	66%	66%	63%	59%	41% *	55%	75% *	64%	77% *
NO	167	28	19%	43% *	17% *	31%	25%	28%	37%	29%	28%	25%	28%	48% *	38% *	15% *	24%	18% *
NOT SURE	50	8	8%	8%	7%	5%	11%	7%	0%	5%	7%	12%	13%	10%	7%	10%	13%	5%
NET YES	214	36	54% *	6% *	58% *	33%	38%	38%	27% *	37%	38%	38%	31%	-7% *	17% *	61% *	40%	59% *
YES : NO	2.3:1		3.8:1 *	1.1:1 *	4.3:1 *	2.0:1 *	2.5:1 *	2.4:1	1.7:1 *	2.3:1	2.4:1	2.5:1	2.1:1 *	1:1.2 *	1.4:1 *	5.2:1 *	2.7:1 *	4.3:1 *

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			PHILOSOPHY					EMPLOYMENT							HERITAGE		AFFIL.		
	N	%	VERY LIBERAL	SOMEWHAT LIBERAL	SOMEWHAT CONS	VERY CONS	MODERATE	SELF EMPLOYED	PRIVATE COMPANY	WORK FOR GOVERNMNT	SPOUSE HOUSEWIFE	RETIRED	UNEMPLOY.	CAUCASIAN	AFRICAN AMERICAN	DEM	REP	UNAFFIL.
	598	100	48	100	148	106	185	72	230	68	42	148	36	454	126	280	219	99
			8%	17%	25%	18%	31%	12%	38%	11%	7%	25%	6%	76%	21%	47%	37%	17%
YES	381	64	38% *	56%	70%	75% *	64%	64%	67%	59%	64%	61%	61%	70%	37% *	52% *	74% *	73% *
NO	167	28	52% *	35%	21%	20%	28%	24%	29%	29%	29%	26%	36%	21%	54% *	39% *	19%	16% *
NOT SURE	50	8	10%	9%	9%	6%	8%	12%	4%	12%	7%	13%	3%	8%	9%	9%	7%	11%
NET YES	214	36	-15% *	21% *	49% *	55% *	36%	40%	38%	29%	36%	36%	25% *	49% *	-17% *	14% *	55% *	57% *
YES : NO	2.3:1		1:1.4 *	1.6:1 *	3.3:1 *	3.8:1 *	2.3:1	2.7:1 *	2.3:1	2.0:1 *	2.3:1	2.4:1	1.7:1 *	3.3:1 *	1:1.4 *	1.3:1 *	3.9:1 *	4.5:1 *

			GENDER		GEOGRAPHIC					
	N	%	MALE	FEMALE	CHARLOTTE	WESTERN	PIEDMONT TRIAD	TRIANGLE	NORTHEAST	SOUTHEAST
	598	100	268	330	120	82	117	112	84	83
			45%	55%	20%	14%	20%	19%	14%	14%
YES	381	64	68%	61%	68%	62%	73%	54% *	61%	63%
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