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NATIONAL ATTITUDES ON
IMMIGRATION AND ILLEGAL ALIEN
RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- ----PUBLISHED IN---- DATE PUBL
RESEARCH FORECASTS NA CONN MUTUAL LIFE: BE 1981

----QUESTION-----
Do you agree or disagree that the U.S. has been
too willing to accept refugees from Cuba and
South Vietnam?

----ANSWER-----

	Agree	Neither Agr/Disagr	Disagree
General Public	76%	7	17
Leaders	48	11	41
Business	72	9	19
Education	51	11	38
Voluntary associations	51	12	37
Government	50	7	43
Science	48	11	41
News media	47	13	40
Military	46	13	41
Law and justice	40	12	48
Religion	36	10	54

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1980-09-01 1980-11-15 NATIONAL 2018 TELEPHONE
AGE 14 AND OLDER

NATIONAL ATTITUDES ON
IMMIGRATION AND ILLEGAL ALIEN
RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- -----PUBLISHED IN----- DATE
GALLUP NA PUBLIC OPINION MAGAZ 1979-10-11

-----QUESTION-----
Thinking now about the Indochinese refugees, the
so called "boat people," would you favor or oppose
the U.S. relaxing it's immigration policies so
that many of these people could come to live in
the U.S.?

-----ANSWER-----
Favor 32%
Oppose 57%
No opinion 11%

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1979-08-03 1979-08-06 NA NA NA

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----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- ----PUBLISHED IN---- DATE PUBL
GALLUP NA PUBLIC OPINION MAGAZ 1979-10, 11

----QUESTION-----
If some of these people (Indochinese refugees)
came to live in this community, do you think they
would be welcomed, or not?

----ANSWER-----
Boat people would be welcomed in community 57%
Would not 30%
Don't know 13%

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1979-08-03 1979-08-06 NA NA NA

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-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
GALLUP	170	GALLUP OPINION INDEX	1979-09

-----QUESTION-----
Would you, yourself, like to see some of these
people (Indochinese "boat people") come to live
in this community or not?

-----ANSWER-----

Yes, would	47%
No, would not	40
Don't know	13

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1979-08-03 1979-08-20	NATIONAL	1500	IN HOUSE
1979-08-03 1979-08-06	ADULTS		

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IMMIGRATION AND ILLEGAL ALIEN
RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	--POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
CBS NEWS / NEW YORK TIMES	NA	CBS / NEW YORK TIMES	1979-07-14

-----QUESTION-----
If some of these refugees settled near where you
live, do you think they should be welcomed, or not
really welcomed?

-----ANSWER-----

Welcomed	60%
Not really welcomed	31
No opinion	9

-----SURVEY DATES-----	--SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE-----
1979-07-09 1979-07-11	NATIONAL	1192	TELEPHONE

NATIONAL ATTITUDES ON
IMMIGRATION AND ILLEGAL ALIEN
RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN----	DATE PUBL
CBS NEWS / NEW YORK TIMES	NA	CBS / NEW YORK TIMES	1979-07-18

-----QUESTION-----
Many refugees from Indochina, often called the "boat people," are seeking new homes in various countries. President Carter has announced that the United States will double the number of these refugees we take--to 14,000 a month. Do you approve or disapprove of admitting these additional refugees?

-----ANSWER-----
Approve 34%
Disapprove 62
No opinion 4

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1979-07-09 1979-07-11	NATIONAL	1192	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- -----PUBLISHED IN----- DATE PUBL
GALLUP 928 GALLUP OPINION INDEX NA

-----QUESTION-----
If these South Vietnamese are evacuated, should
they be permitted to live in the United States, or
not?

-----ANSWER-----
Should 36%
Should Not 54
No Opinion 10

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1975-04-18 1975-04-21 NATIONAL 1500 IN HOUSE
ADULTS

NATIONAL ATTITUDES ON
IMMIGRATION AND ILLEGAL ALIEN
RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN----	DATE PUBL
ABC NEWS / WASHINGTON POST	0030	ABC/WASHINGTON POST	1981-03-23

-----QUESTION-----
There have also been a substantial number of
immigrants from Cuba. Do you think that ...

-----ANSWER-----	White	Black
The government is giving too much assistance to these Cuban immigrants	62%	57%
Or should the government give them all the assistance it can until they can get along on their own	30	34
Assistance should continue at current rate	1	2
Don't Know	6	8

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1981-02-26 1981-03-06	NATIONAL ADULTS	1872	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980 -106	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-08-26

-----QUESTION-----
How would you rate President Carter in ...
His handling of the Cuban refugee situation.

-----ANSWER-----

Positive	17%
Negative	81
Not Sure	2

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-08-14 1980-08-18	NATIONAL LIKELY VOTERS	1514	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980-92	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-07-30

-----QUESTION-----
Now let me ask you about some specific things
President Carter has done. How would you rate
him on....
His handling of the Cuban refugee situation?

-----ANSWER-----
Positive 16%
Negative 83
Not Sure 1

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-07-18 1980-07-21	NATIONAL LIKELY VOTERS	1458	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN----	DATE PUBL
CBS NEWS / NEW YORK TIMES.	NA	CBS / NEW YORK TIMES	1980-06-24

-----QUESTION-----
Many refugees from Cuba have come to the United States recently. Do you approve or disapprove of allowing most of these Cuban refugees to settle in the United States?

-----ANSWER-----	
Approve	25%
Disapprove	71
No opinion	4

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-06-18 1980-06-22	NATIONAL	1517	TELEPHONE

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IMMIGRATION AND ILLEGAL ALIEN
RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN----	DATE PUBL
CBS NEWS / NEW YORK TIMES	NA	CBS / NEW YORK TIMES	1980-06-24

-----QUESTION-----
If some of these refugees settled near where you
live, do you think they would be welcomed, or not
really welcomed?

-----ANSWER-----

Welcomed	42%
Not welcomed	48
No opinion	10

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-06-18 1980-06-22	NATIONAL	1517	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- -----PUBLISHED IN----- DATE PUBLISHED
HARRIS 1980-73 ABC / HARRIS SURVEY 1980-06-05

-----QUESTION-----
Now let me ask you about some specific things
President Carter has done. How would you rate
him on.....
His handling of the Cuban refugee situation?

-----ANSWER-----
Positive 13%
Negative 84
Not Sure 3

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1980-06-05 1980-06-09 NATIONAL 1493 TELEPHONE
LIKELY VOTERS

NATIONAL ATTITUDES ON
IMMIGRATION AND ILLEGAL ALIEN
RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980-87	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-07-17

-----QUESTION-----
Let me read you some statements about the U.S.
letting refugees from Cuba into this country. For
each, tell me if you tend to agree or disagree.
Although it might be true that the U.S. did not
handle the flood of Cuban refugees very well, we
should not carefully screen all those who have
come in, weed out the criminals and troublemakers
who ought to be either sent back to Cuba or turned
over to the U.N., and try to help the rest get
settled in this country.

-----ANSWER-----
Agree 87%
Disagree 12
Not Sure 1

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-06-05 1980-06-09	NATIONAL LIKELY VOTERS	1493	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980-87	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-07-17

-----QUESTION-----
Let me read you some statements about the U.S.
letting refugees from Cuba into this country. For
each, tell me if you tend to agree or disagree.
We should get rid of as many of the Cuban refugees
as possible, sending back those we can and getting
other countries to take many of them off our
hands.

-----ANSWER-----

Agree	60%
Disagree	38
Not Sure	2

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-06-05 1980-06-09	NATIONAL LIKELY VOTERS	1493	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980-87	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-07-17

-----QUESTION-----
Let me read you some statements about the U.S.
letting refugees from Cuba into this country. For
each, tell me if you tend to agree or disagree.
The United States has always been a place where
refugees can come and we should let the Cubans in,
even if as many as 250,000 ended up coming to this
country.

-----ANSWER-----
Agree 23%
Disagree 75
Not Sure 2

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-06-05 1980-06-09	NATIONAL LIKELY VOTERS	1493	TELEPHONE

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-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980-87	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-07-17

-----QUESTION-----
Let me read you some statements about the U.S.
letting refugees from Cuba into this country. For
each, tell me if you tend to agree or disagree.
It is wrong for us to let so many Cuban and other
refugees into this country when we are having real
economic troubles at home and unemployment is on
the rise.

-----ANSWER-----
Agree 73%
Disagree 25
Not Sure 2

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-06-05 1980-06-09	NATIONAL LIKELY VOTERS	1493	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
NBC / ASSOCIATED PRESS	55	NBC NEWS POLL	1980-06-05

-----QUESTION-----
What kind of a job do you think the Carter Admin-
istration is doing in handling the Cuban refugee
situation...an excellent job, a good job, only a
fair job, or a poor job?

-----ANSWER-----

Excellent	3%
Good	16
Only fair	32
Poor	44
Not Sure	5

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-05-28 1980-05-30	NATIONAL ADULTS	1615	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
GALLUP	NA	NEWSWEEK MAGAZINE	1980-05-0

-----QUESTION-----
Some people think the Cuban refugees should be permitted to settle where they want. Others think that every effort should be made to disperse them around the United States. Which comes closest to your view?

-----ANSWER-----

Settle where they want	30%
Disperse around the U.S.	57%
Don't know	13%

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-05-21 1980-05-22	NATIONAL ADULTS	512	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- ----PUBLISHED IN---- DATE PUBL
GALLUP NA NEWSWEEK MAGAZINE 1980-05-26

----QUESTION-----
So far, 40,000 Cuban refugees have come into the
United States and 200,000 more may wish to come.
How many more, if any, should the United States
accept?

----ANSWER-----
All or most 13%
Some 12%
None 40%
Only those who have
relatives in the
U.S. 28%
Don't know 7%

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1980-05-21 1980-05-22 NATIONAL 512 TELEPHONE
ADULTS

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
GALLUP	155	GALLUP OPINION INDEX	1980

-----QUESTION-----
Have you heard or read about the Cubans who are
leaving Cuba to come to live in the United States?

-----ANSWER-----

Yes	97%
No	3

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-05-16 1980-05-19	NATIONAL ADULTS	1500	IN HOUSE

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IMMIGRATION AND ILLEGAL ALIEN
RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN----	DATE PUBL
GALLUP	155	GALLUP OPINION INDEX	1980

-----QUESTION-----
Asked of those who replied in the affirmative:
Should the U.S. government permit these Cubans to
come and live in the United States, or not?

-----ANSWER-----

Should	34%
Should not	57
Don't know	9

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-05-16 1980-05-19	NATIONAL ADULTS	1500	IN HOUSE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980-64	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-05-26

-----QUESTION-----
Let me read you some statements about the U.S.
letting refugees from Cuba into this country.
For each, tell me if you tend to agree or disagree

Because it shows the world that people living
under communism do not like living under such a
system, it is highly important that we take in all
the refugees we can handle

-----ANSWER-----

Agree	31%
Disagree	63
Not Sure	6

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	---INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-05-16 1980-05-18	NATIONAL ADULTS	1197	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980-64	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-05-26

-----QUESTION-----
Let me read you some statements about the U.S.
letting refugees from Cuba into this country.
For each, tell me if you tend to agree or disagree

Castro made us look foolish when he forced
the U.S. to take many criminals, mental patients
and other misfits as refugees to the U.S.

-----ANSWER-----

Agree	62%
Disagree	32
Not Sure	6

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-05-16 1980-05-18	NATIONAL ADULTS	1197	TELEPHONE

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-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980-64	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-05-26

-----QUESTION-----

Just this past week, President Carter announced that the unlimited and unrestricted acceptance of refugees from Cuba would be stopped. He said the U.S. would be willing to admit first these kinds of Cuban refugees in the future: those with relatives in the U.S., those who are political prisoners in jail in Cuba, and those Cubans who have taken refuge in the U.S. diplomatic mission and the Peru Embassy in Havana. In general, do you favor or oppose this new Carter policy of restricting what kinds of Cuban refugees we will allow into the U.S.?

-----ANSWER-----

Favor	63%
Oppose	29
Not Sure	8

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-05-16 1980-05-18	NATIONAL ADULTS	1197	TELEPHONE

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-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980-64	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-05-26

-----QUESTION-----
As you know the U.S. has said that it would accept
into this country refugees who want to leave Cuba.
It is estimated that more than 40,000 Cuban
refugees have come to this country over the past
month. Do you think President Carter has been
more right or more wrong in allowing so many
Cuban refugees into this country?

-----ANSWER-----

More Right	24%
More Wrong	68
Not Sure	8

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-05-16 1980-05-18	NATIONAL ADULTS	1197	TELEPHONE

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-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
HARRIS	1980-64	ABC / HARRIS SURVEY	1980-05-26

-----QUESTION-----

Let me read you some statements about the U.S.
letting refugees from Cuba into this country.
For each, tell me if you tend to agree or disagree

The United States has always been a place
where refugees can come, and we should let the
Cubans in, even if as many as 250,000 ended up
coming to this country.

-----ANSWER-----

Agree	20%
Disagree	76
Not Sure	4

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1980-05-16 1980-05-18	NATIONAL ADULTS	1197	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- -----PUBLISHED IN----- DATE PUBL
HARRIS 1980-64 ABC / HARRIS SURVEY 1980-05-25

-----QUESTION-----
Let me read you some statements about the U.S.
letting refugees from Cuba into this country.
For each, tell me if you tend to agree or disagree

It is wrong for us to let so many Cuban and
other refugees into this country when we are
having real economic troubles at home and
unemployment is on the rise

-----ANSWER-----
Agree 75%
Disagree 23
Not Sure 2

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1980-05-16 1980-05-18 NATIONAL 1197 TELEPHONE
ADULTS

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IMMIGRATION AND ILLEGAL ALIEN
RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- -----PUBLISHED IN----- DATE PUBL
MIAMI HERALD NA PUBLIC OPINION MAGAZ 1980-06-01

-----QUESTION-----
Now I am going to read you a list of reasons some
people give for welcoming more Cuban refugees.
For each statement, tell me if you agree or
disagree.
It's the American way to accept all who want to
come.

-----ANSWER-----
Agree Disagree
Non-Latin White 56% 44%
Black 67 33
Latin 91 9

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1980-05-01 1980-05-04 ADULTS 644 TELEPHONE
FLORIDA
DADE COUNTY

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-----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- -----PUBLISHED IN----- DATE PUBL
ABC NEWS / WASHINGTON POST 0030 ABC/WASHINGTON POST 1981-03-23

-----QUESTION-----

Now I'd like to ask you a few questions about immigrants. Here are some groups which have recently been immigrating to this country. For each, please tell me if you feel that the government should encourage them to enter this country or discourage them from doing so
Iranian students

-----ANSWER-----

WHITE
Encourage 21%
Discourage 75
Don't Know 5

BLACK
Encourage 22
Discourage 68
Don't Know 10

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1981-02-26 1981-03-06 NATIONAL 1872 TELEPHONE
ADULTS

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-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
ABC NEWS / WASHINGTON POST	0030	ABC/WASHINGTON POST	1981-03-03

-----QUESTION-----

Now I'd like to ask you a few questions about immigrants. Here are some groups which have recently been immigrating to this country. For each, please tell me if you feel that the government should encourage them to enter this country or discourage them from doing so
Iranians fleeing their country

-----ANSWER-----

WHITE
Encourage 16%
Discourage 79
Don't Know 5

BLACK
Encourage 17
Discourage 75
Don't Know 8

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1981-02-26 1981-03-06	NATIONAL ADULTS	1872	TELEPHONE

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-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE PUBL
ABC NEWS / WASHINGTON POST	0030	ABC/WASHINGTON POST	1981-03-23

-----QUESTION-----

Now I'd like to ask you a few questions about immigrants. Here are some groups which have recently been immigrating to this country. For each, please tell me if you feel that the government should encourage them to enter this country or discourage them from doing so
Northern Europeans, i. e. Germans, French, Danish, Swedish, etc...

-----ANSWER-----

WHITE	
Encourage	40%
Discourage	53
Don't Know	7
BLACK	
Encourage	25
Discourage	65
Don't Know	10

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1981-02-26 1981-03-06	NATIONAL ADULTS	1872	TELEPHONE

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RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER-----	-POLL NO--	-----PUBLISHED IN-----	DATE
ABC NEWS / WASHINGTON POST	0030	ABC/WASHINGTON POST	1981-02

-----QUESTION-----

Now I'd like to ask you a few questions about immigrants. Here are some groups which have recently been immigrating to this country. For each, please tell me if you feel that the government should encourage them to enter this country or discourage them from doing so

Russian Jews

-----ANSWER-----

WHITE	
Encourage	36%
Discourage	56
Don't Know	8
BLACK	
Encourage	23
Discourage	66
Don't Know	11

-----SURVEY DATES-----	-SAMPLE POPULATION--	SAMPLE SIZE	--INTERVIEW MODE----
1981-02-26 1981-03-06	NATIONAL ADULTS	1872	TELEPHONE

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-----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- ----PUBLISHED IN---- DATE PUBL
ABC NEWS / WASHINGTON POST 0030 ABC/WASHINGTON POST 1981-03-23

-----QUESTION-----
Now I'd like to ask you a few questions about
immigrants. Here are some groups which have
recently been immigrating to this country. For
each, please tell me if you feel that the govern-
ment should encourage them to enter this country
or discourage them from doing so
Haitians

-----ANSWER-----
WHITE
Encourage 27%
Discourage 63
Don't Know 11

BLACK
Encourage 27
Discourage 59
Don't Know 14

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1981-02-26 1981-03-06 NATIONAL 1872 TELEPHONE
ADULTS

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IMMIGRATION AND ILLEGAL ALIEN
RELATED ISSUES AND PROBLEMS

-----POLLSTER----- -POLL NO-- -----PUBLISHED IN----- DATE PUBL
GALLUP NA NEWSWEEK MAGAZINE 1980-05-26

-----QUESTION-----
Many Haitians have also been coming to the United States. Some people feel that we should let them in as we have the Cubans; others feel we should not let them in because they are not political refugees. Which comes closest to your view?

-----ANSWER-----
Let them in 39%
Do not let them in 46%
Don't know 15%

-----SURVEY DATES----- -SAMPLE POPULATION-- SAMPLE SIZE --INTERVIEW MODE-----
1980-05-21 1980-05-22 NATIONAL 512 TELEPHONE
ADULTS